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MEDIA APPEARANCES - TV

ABC Live News	2019
<i>Australian Broadcasting Corporation</i>	
Video	
Nine News Canberra	2019
<i>Nine News Canberra</i>	
Video	
UNSW TV - "Meet Ian Jacobs"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales TV</i>	
Video	
UNSW TV - "Using genetic mutations to help blood disorders"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales TV</i>	
Video	
STHS - "Ananthan Ambikairajah"	2015
<i>Sydney Technical High School</i>	
Video	
UNSW TV - "O-Week 2015 - Enjoy the Ride!"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales TV</i>	
Video	
UNSW Science - "UNSW Wavelength - Open Day 2015"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
About UNSW - "Why UNSW?"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
UNSW TV - "Couch Roboteers!"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
Think Inc - "An evening with Dr Ben Goldacre"	2015
<i>Think Inc.</i>	

UNSW Science - "UNSW Wavelength - Astrophysicist talk Tim Tams and time"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
UNSW Science - "UNSW Wavelength - BABSFEST video competition"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
About UNSW - "Postgraduate Information Sessions"	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
MEDIA APPEARANCES - PRINT	
ANU - "Brains and bellies: In menopause, bigger can sometimes mean better"	2020
<i>The Australian National University</i>	
Article	
AFR - "As the belly expands with age, the memory may shrink"	2020
<i>Australian Financial Review</i>	
Article	
Canberra Weekly - "Obesity and Alzheimer's linked to same part of brain: study"	2020
<i>Newstate Media</i>	
Article	
City News - "Study finds 'surprising' link between obesity and the brain"	2020
<i>City News</i>	
Article	
YourLifeChoices - "Australian researchers discover link between weight and Alzheimer's"	2020
<i>YourLifeChoices</i>	
Article	
ANU - "Obesity linked to part of the brain damaged by Alzheimer's"	2020
<i>The Australian National University</i>	
Article	
SMH - "Women have higher 'bad cholesterol' after menopause"	2019
<i>Sydney Morning Herald</i>	
Article	
The Canberra Times - "Cholesterol levels higher in older women"	2019
<i>The Canberra Times</i>	
Article	
ANU - "Cholesterol levels increase in postmenopausal women"	2019
<i>The Australian National University</i>	

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UPI - "Study: Postmenopausal women have higher bad cholesterol levels" 2019
United Press International

[Article](#)

ABC News - "Menopause shifts fat to the waistline, but doesn't cause weight gain, study finds" 2019
Australian Broadcasting Corporation

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AFR - "Women of a certain age should watch their shape more than their weight" 2019
Australian Financial Review

[Article](#)

SMH - "Study highlights importance of healthy lifestyle during menopause" 2019
Sydney Morning Herald

[Article](#)

The Australian - "Changed shape of menopause risk" 2019
The Australian

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ANU - "Menopause 'not the cause of midlife weight gain' in women" 2019
The Australian National University

[Article](#)

STHS - "Ex Techie leads important health study" 2019
Sydney Technical High School

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Univadis - "Menopause is associated with changes in fat distribution" 2019
Univadis

[Article](#)

Medical Xpress - "Menopause 'not the cause of midlife weight gain' in women" 2019
Medical Xpress

[Article](#)

City News - "Study: Menopause isn't the cause of weight gain" 2019
City News

[Article](#)

MEDIA APPEARANCES - RADIO/PODCASTS

Midnight Conversations 2018 to date
Midnight Conversations

[Audio](#)

2CC - Sunday Roast with Rod Henshaw and Ian Meikle 2020

2CC

ABC National Radio with Richelle Hunt

2019

Australian Broadcasting Corporation Radio Melbourne

[Audio](#)

The Pod “Ananthan Ambikairajah Featuring Comedian Fiona O’Loughlin”

2013

Arc at University of New South Wales

[Audio](#)

The Pod “Ananthan Ambikairajah Featuring Comedian Wil Anderson”

2013

Arc at University of New South Wales

[Audio](#)

The Pod “Ananthan Ambikairajah Featuring Honorary Guest Comedian Sammy J”

2013

Arc at University of New South Wales

[Audio](#)

The Pod “Ananthan Ambikairajah Featuring Comedian Sammy J”

2013

Arc at University of New South Wales

[Audio](#)

INVITED TALKS AND GUEST LECTURES

Speaker - PhD Exit Seminar

2020

Research School of Population Health

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Guest Lecturer - R Workshop “Simple and Generalised Linear Models”

2019

Research School of Biology

Guest Lecturer - RSPH Early Career Researcher’s R Workshop

2019

Research School of Population Health

Guest Speaker - RSPH PhD Induction

2019

Research School of Population Health

Guest Speaker - RSPH Seminar Series

2019

Research School of Population Health

Guest Speaker - Research Showcase “Ageing and Brain Health”

2018

Australian Association of Gerontology

Guest Speaker for the 106th Annual Speech Day

2018

Sydney Technical High School

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Careers in Science Conference - Guest Speaker and Moderator

2017

University of New South Wales - Science

[Video](#)

Guest Lecturer for SCIF1131	2016
<i>University of New South Wales - Science Learning and Teaching Unit</i>	
Opening Address for An Evening With Dr Lisa Randall	2016
<i>Think Inc.</i>	
Farewell Address for Class of 2015	2015
<i>Sydney Technical High School</i>	
Video	
Science Faculty Commencement Address	2015
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
Guest Speaker for The Big Picture Program	2014 - 2016
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Video	
Speaker for UNSW Leadership Program - The Hub	2013
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	
Compere for the NSW Educational Ceremony for the Regional Director	2010
<i>New South Wales Education</i>	