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Professor Peter Ebeling AO is an endocrinologist and Head of the Department of Medicine, School of Clinical Sciences at Monash Health, Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences, Monash University, Melbourne.

Prof. Ebeling currently serves as Medical Director of Osteoporosis Australia (OA); Board member of the International Osteoporosis Foundation (IOF); and Executive Committee member of the Asia Pacific Consortium on Osteoporosis (APCO). He also sits on the Editorial Board of Osteoporosis International (OI) and is a Councillor for the American Society of Bone and Mineral Research – only the third Australian to be elected. He was previously Editor of Clinical Endocrinology (CI) and Editor-in-Chief of Bone Reports (BR).

Prof. Ebeling is Past President of both the Endocrine Society of Australia (ESA) and the Australian and New Zealand Bone and Mineral Society (ANZBMS), He was involved with the NHMRC Academy from 2009 – 2014, and the NHMRC Research Committee from 2015 - 2018. He further served as inaugural Director of the Australian Institute of Musculoskeletal Science (AIMSS), and in 2015, was made an Officer of the General Division of the Order of Australia (AO) for distinguished service in the field of bone health.

His research interests include musculoskeletal health and diseases; public health aspects of vitamin D, including effects on muscle function, bone and diabetes; post-transplantation osteoporosis; and osteoporosis in men.

Prof. Ebeling has more than 435 peer-reviewed publications, including in the New England Journal of Medicine (NEJM), PNAS (USA), J Clinical Investigation and Science. He also teaches and mentors medical students, and supervises a number of Research Higher Degree students, and advanced physician trainees in Endocrinology.

“APCO plays an incredibly important role in the Asia Pacific, by bringing together the key players in osteoporosis in the region, to work together, to prevent the predicted large increase in hip fractures in this region over the next 30 years,” said Prof Ebeling.

“The launch of The APCO Framework is highly significant, as it provides the map to create a uniform approach for managing osteoporosis in the Asia Pacific, and creates key clinical standards to measure its success.”

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