



## **Wonder of Science Patron**

Professor Ian Frazer AC, FRS, FAA, MB ChB(Edin), MD(Melb) is a clinician scientist. As a professor at The University of Queensland, he leads a research group working at the Translation Research Institute (TRI) on the immunobiology of epithelial cancers.

Professor Frazer's work with his colleague, the late molecular virologist Dr Jian Zhou, led to the development of a vaccine which prevents infection with HPV and cervical cancer. He was the inaugural president of the Australian Academy of Health and Medical Sciences, and a member of the Australian National Science and Technology Council.

Professor Frazer was recognised as Australian of the Year in 2006 and was recipient of the Prime Ministers Prize for Science, and of the Balzan Prize in 2008, and was elected Fellow of the Royal Society of London in 2012. He was appointed Companion of the Order of Australia in the Queen's Birthday Honours list in 2013.

Wonder of Science is indeed very proud to announce Professor Ian Frazer as Patron and to have his support in inspiring the next generation of Queensland scientists. In addition, Wonder of Science acknowledges the 'wonder'-full assistance of the Frazer Family Foundation in supporting a Wonder of Science pilot program for disadvantaged students in 2022.

