TUESDAY 25 FEBRUARY 2020

5.00pm - AUSTRALIAN AWARDS FOR UNIVERSITY TEACHING
6.00pm - SUPPORTED BY UNIBANK
6.00pm - 7.30pm SUPPORTED BY BEYOND BLUE
Welcome by Professor Andrew Vann
Deputy Chair, Universities Australia and

Vice-Chancellor and President, Charles Sturt University



WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2020

7.45am	Registration	
8.15am - 8.30am	Welcome by Ms Catriona Jackson Chief Executive, Universities Australia Welcome to Country Mr Paul House, Ngambri-Ngunnawal custodian	Royal Theatre
8.30am - 9.00am	MINISTERIAL ADDRESS SPEAKER The Hon Dan Tehan MP Minister for Education CHAIR Ms Catriona Jackson Chief Executive, Universities Australia	Royal Theatre
9.00am - 10.00am	OPENING KEYNOTE THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC OUTLOOK, WHAT IT MEANS FOR UNIVERSITIE AND THE CASE FOR MORE ACADEMICS IN POLITICS AND POLICY SPEAKER Professor Justin Wolfers Professor of Economics and Public Policy, University of Michigan CHAIR Professor Brian Schmidt AC Vice-Chancellor, The Australian National University	Royal S, Theatre
10.00am - 10.30am	MORNING TEA	
10.30am - 11.30am	PLENARY THE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN MODERN DEMOCRACIES AND CIVIL SOCIETY SPEAKER The Hon Michael Kirby AC CMG International jurist, educator and former judge CHAIR	Royal Theatre
	Professor Carolyn Evans Vice-Chancellor and President, Griffith University	SUPPORTED BY TRIBAL
12.00pm - 2.00pm	LUNCH	
12.30pm - 1.30pm	TELEVISED NATIONAL PRESS CLUB LUNCHEON SPEAKER Professor Deborah Terry A0 Chair, Universities Australia and Vice-Chancellor, Curtin University	Royal Theatre

WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2020

2.00pm -3.30pm

STREAM A - BRADMAN THEATRETTE

BEYOND SUPPLY AND DEMAND

SPEAKERS

Ms Susan Lamb

Research Fellow, Queensland University of Technology

The Hon Fiona Nash

Strategic Adviser, Regional Engagement and Government Relations, Charles Sturt University

Professor Abigail Payne

Director and Ronald Henderson Professor, Melbourne Institute: Applied Economic & Social Research

CHAIR

Professor Margaret Sheil AO

Vice-Chancellor and President, Queensland University of Technology

STREAM C - ROYAL THEATRE BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS POST BREXIT: HOW CAN A UK-AUSTRALIA FTA SUPPORT RESEARCH AND INNOVATION?

SPEAKERS

Professor Julia Buckingham

Vice-Chancellor, Brunel University

Ms Elisabeth Bowse

Chief Negotiator, Regional Trade Agreements. DFAT

Professor Shearer West

Vice-Chancellor, University of Nottingham

Professor John Dewar AO

Vice-Chancellor and President, La Trobe University

CHAIR

Professor Peter Dawkins AO

Vice-Chancellor and President, Victoria University

3.30pm -4.00pm

AFTERNOON TEA

STREAM B - MENZIES THEATRETTE LEADERSHIP MODELS OF INDIGENOUS HIGHER EDUCATION - NOW AND INTO THE FUTURE

SPEAKERS

Professor Bronwyn Fredericks

Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Indigenous Engagement), The University of Queensland

Professor Tom Calma AO

Chancellor, University of Canberra

Professor Braden Hill

Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Equity and Indigenous), Edith Cowan University

CHAIRS

Professor Simon Maddocks

Vice-Chancellor and President, Charles Darwin University

Dr Leanne Holt

President, NATSIHEC

WORKSHOP 1 - BALLROOM

POST-SUICIDE RESPONSE TRAINING

FACILITATORS

Mr David Wild

Schools National Clinical Advisor for the Be You initiative, headspace

Mr Marc Bryant

Program Manager, Mindframe

CHAIR

Dr Renee Hamilton

Policy Director - Safety and Wellbeing Universities Australia

WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2020

4.00pm -5.30pm

STREAM D - ROYAL THEATRE

COUNTERING FOREIGN INTERFERENCE: A PARTNERSHIP APPROACH

SPEAKERS

Ms Catriona Jackson

Chief Executive, Universities Australia

Mr Cameron Ashe

Acting National Counter Foreign Interference Coordinator,

Australian Government

Ms Sarah Chidgev

Deputy Secretary, Attorney-General's

Department

CHAIR

Mr Martin Bean CBE

Vice-Chancellor and President

RMIT University

STREAM E - MENZIES THEATRETTE

NAVIGATING THE INTERSECTION BETWEEN HIGHER EDUCATION AND **VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

SPEAKERS

Professor Peter Dawkins AO

Vice-Chancellor and President.

Victoria University

Professor Linda Kristianson AO

Swinburne University of Technology

Mr Craig Robertson

Chief Executive Officer.

TAFE Directors Australia

Ms Sally-Ann Williams

Professor Nick Klomp

STREAM F - BRADMAN THEATRETTE THRIVING MENTAL HEALTH OF

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

SPEAKERS

Ms Georgie Harman

Chief Executive Officer, Beyond Blue

Dr Christie White President, ANZSSA

Ms Romana-Rea Begicevic

President, Council of Australian

Postgraduate Associations

Mr Jason Trethowan

Chief Executive Officer, headspace

Professor Sandra Harding AO

Vice-Chancellor and President

James Cook University

Vice-Chancellor,

Chief Executive Officer, Cicada Innovations

Vice-Chancellor and President,

CQUniversity

WORKSHOP 2 - BALLROOM

HOW TO DEVELOP EXPERT POLICY

INFLUENCE

FACILITATOR Dr Subho Banerjee

Visiting Fellow, Crawford School of

Public Policy

6.45pm -10.00pm

CONFERENCE DINNER

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MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Professor Emma Johnston AO Dean of Science, UNSW Sydney

THE CRUCIAL ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN TIMES OF CRISIS

Associate Professor Erin Smith Edith Cowan University

Professor Ross Andrews The Australian National University and Menzies School

of Health Research

IN CONVERSATION WITH

Ms Misha Schubert Director, Strategic Communications, Universities Australia

THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2020

BREAKFAST ADDRESS 7.30am -Ballroom 8.45am TAKING ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE TO SCALE: THE IMPLICATIONS FOR **EDUCATION. POLICY AND THE FUTURE OF WORK** SPEAKER Professor Genevieve Bell AO Director, 3A Institute, The Australian National University CHAIR Dr Michael Spence AC Vice-Chancellor and Principal, The University of Sydney 9 00am -**OPPOSITION ADDRESS** Royal 9.30am **SPEAKER Theatre** The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP Shadow Minister for Education Ms Catriona Jackson Chief Executive, Universities Australia 9.30am -PI FNARY Royal 10.45am **Theatre** UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP IN A CHANGING WORLD **SPFAKER** Professor Mamokgethi Phakeng Vice-Chancellor, University of Cape Town **SESSION** CHAIR **SUPPORTED** Professor Deborah Terry AO Chair, Universities Australia and BY OPTUS Vice-Chancellor, Curtin University AND CISCO 10.45am - MORNING TEA 11.15am

11 15am - STREAM G - MENZIES THEATRETTE 12.45pm **IMPROVING THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE**

SPEAKERS

Professor Marcia Devlin

Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor,

Victoria University

Professor Arshad Omari

Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor,

Edith Cowan University

Ms Molly Willmott

National President.

National Union of Students

CHAIR

Professor David Lloyd

Vice-Chancellor and President, University of South Australia

STREAM H - ROYAL THEATRE

EMERGING POLICY ISSUES IN HIGHER EDUCATION

SPEAKERS

Professor Andrew Norton

Professor in the Practice of Higher Education Policy, ANU Centre for Social Research and Methods

Ms Catriona Jackson

Chief Executive. Universities Australia

Mr David Phillips

Director, PhillipsKPA

CHAIR

Professor Brian Schmidt AC

Vice-Chancellor,

The Australian National University

THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2020

STREAM I - BRADMAN THEATRETTE

LEADING AT ALL LEVELS: PREVENTING VIOLENCE AT AND THROUGH UNIVERSITIES

SPEAKERS

Professor Barney Glover AO

Vice-Chancellor and President, Western Sydney University

Professor Margaret Gardner AC

President and Vice-Chancellor,

Monash University

Professor Adam Shoemaker

Vice-Chancellor,

Southern Cross University

Professor John Dewar AO

Vice-Chancellor and President, La Trobe University

CHAIR

Ms Patty Kinnersly

Chief Executive Officer,

Conference close

Our Watch

12 (5pm | | | | | | | | | |

3.55pm -

4.00pm

WORKSHOP 3 - BALLROOM

DEEP ENGAGEMENT WITH INDIGENOUS STUDENTS. EDUCATION AND

COMMUNITIES

FACILITATOR Ms Maree Graham

Deputy Director, Students and Community Engagement, Jumbunna Institute for Indigenous Education & Research

Royal

Theatre

12.45pm - 1.45pm	LUNCH	
12.45pm 1.45pm	Universities Australia Executive Women's Group Meeting SPEAKER Professor Emma Johnston AO Dean of Science, UNSV	
1.45pm - 2.45pm	FROM VISAS TO VALUE: UK HIGHER EDUCATION AT A TIME OF SEISMIC CHANGE SPEAKER Professor Julia Buckingham CBE President, Universities UK CHAIR Professor Linda Kristjanson AO Vice-Chancellor, Swinburne University of Technology	Royal Theatre SESSION SUPPORTED BY QUACQUARELLI SYMONDS
2.45pm - 3.55pm	CLOSING PLENARY ON PRINCIPLE, PRANKS, PASSION AND PEER-REVIEW SPEAKER Mr Craig Reucassel Australian writer, comedian and documentary maker CHAIR Professor Andrew Vann Deputy Chair, Universities Australia and Vice-Chancellor and President, Charles Sturt University	Royal Theatre

Professor John Dewar AO Deputy Chair, Universities Australia and

Vice-Chancellor and President, La Trobe University