

**The Australasian Consortium of Humanities Research Centres  
2014 Annual Meeting**

***Alliances and Impacts: Sustaining Humanities Research in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century***

**13–14 October 2014**  
*(Pre-meetings 12 October)*

**Sidney Myer Asia Centre, The University of Melbourne**

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## PROGRAMME

### Pre-meetings – Sunday 12 October 2014

2.00–4.30pm, [1888 Building](#)

2.00	<b>Registration</b> Coffee and tea on arrival	
2.15pm	<b>Welcome and Overview:</b> Assoc. Prof Robert Phiddian, Director, Australasian Consortium of Humanities Research Centres	
2.30	<b>Session 1: Writing Beyond the Academy</b> Simon Clews, Director of the Writing Centre for Scholars and Researchers, The University of Melbourne	
3.30	<b>Session 2a: Your Career in the Humanities</b> Prof Marilyn Lake, ARC Professorial Fellow and Immediate Past President, Australian Historical Association; Dr Michelle Smith, Deakin University	<b>Session 2b: Issues for Directors, Associate Directors and Managers of Humanities Research Centres</b>

### Day One – Monday 13 October 2014

Yasuko Hiraoka Myer Room, [Sidney Myer Asia Centre](#)

8.30am	<b>Registration</b> Coffee and tea on arrival	
8.30	<b>Advisory Board Meeting</b>	
9.15	<b>Welcome to Country</b>	
9.30	<b>Welcome to University of Melbourne</b> Prof Julie Willis, Pro Vice-Chancellor (Research), The University of Melbourne	
9.40	<b>Welcome from ACHRC</b> Assoc. Prof Robert Phiddian, Director, ACHRC Prof Kate Darian-Smith, The University of Melbourne	
10.00	<b>Session 1: Keynote: The Impact on the Humanities and the Wider Cultural Sector; A View from the UK</b> Dr JD Hill, Head of Research, British Museum and 2014 Institute of Advanced Studies (UWA) Professor-at-Large <i>Chair: Prof Kate Darian-Smith, The University of Melbourne</i>	
10.45	<b>Morning tea</b>	
11.15	<b>Session 2: Research Alliances: International Networks</b> 1. Prof Susannah Radstone, Dean, Research and Research Education, Division of Education, Arts and Social Sciences, University of South Australia 2. Prof Glenda Sluga, Professor of International History, University of Sydney; ARC Kathleen Fitzpatrick Laureate Fellow 3. Prof Jenny Lewis, Professor of Public Policy, School of Social and Political Sciences; Research Director, Melbourne School of Government, The University of Melbourne <i>Chair: Assoc. Prof Kerry Taylor, Head, School of Humanities, Massey</i>	

	<i>University</i>
12.45pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1.45	<p><b>Session 3: Strategic Research Teams</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Prof Imelda Whelehan, Pro Vice-Chancellor (Research Training) and Dean of Graduate Research, University of Tasmania</li> <li>2. Prof Gillian Wigglesworth, Deputy Dean Faculty of Arts and Professor in Linguistics and Applied Linguistics, The University of Melbourne; Co-Convenor, ARC Centre for Excellence for the Dynamics of Language</li> <li>3. Prof Carolyn Stevens, Japanese Studies Centre, Monash University</li> <li>4. Prof David Lowe, Director, Alfred Deakin Research Institute, Deakin University</li> </ol> <p><i>Chair: Prof Keir Reeves, Centre for Regional Innovation and Competitiveness, Federation University</i></p>
3.15	<b>Afternoon tea</b>
3.45	<p><b>Session 4: Humanities Research: Future Directions</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dr Christina Parolin, Executive Director, and Dr Kylie Brass, Policy and Projects Manager, Australian Academy of the Humanities: Mapping the Humanities and Social Sciences in Australia Project</li> <li>2. Assoc. Prof Robert Phiddian and Dr Tully Barnett, ACHRC: Sustainability Project</li> </ol> <p><i>Chair: Assoc. Prof Janet Fletcher, Associate Dean, Research and Research Training, Faculty of Arts, The University of Melbourne</i></p>
4.45	<b>Drinks</b>
5.45–6.45	<p><b>PUBLIC LECTURE: Dr JD Hill, Head of Research, British Museum and 2014 Institute of Advanced Studies (UWA) Professor-at-Large</b>  <b>‘Take 100 Objects...’: Thinking and Speaking with Things</b>  <a href="#">Charles Pearson Lecture Theatre</a>, Building 171</p>
7.15	<p><b>Dinner, <a href="#">University House</a></b>          (Note: separate registration for dinner is required)</p>

## Day Two – Tuesday 14 October 2014

Yasuko Hiraoka Myer Room, [Sidney Myer Asia Centre](#)

8.45am	<b>Registration</b> – coffee and tea on arrival
9.15	<p><b>Session 5: Keynote</b>          Assoc. Prof Jakelin Troy, Director of AIATSIS Research, Indigenous Social and Cultural Wellbeing  <i>Chair: Prof Kate Darian-Smith, The University of Melbourne</i></p>
9.45	<p><b>Session 6: Humanities Research: Models and Practices of Collaboration</b>          (Short presentations on ways that humanities research intersects with other disciplines)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dr Heather Gaunt, Curator of Academic Programs (Research), Ian Potter Museum of Art, The University of Melbourne</li> <li>2. Assoc. Prof Shaun McVeigh, Institute for International Law and the Humanities, The University of Melbourne</li> <li>3. Prof Paul Arthur, Digital Humanities, University of Western Sydney</li> <li>4. Dr Lachlan MacDowall, Centre for Cultural Partnerships, Faculty of the Victorian College of the Arts and the Melbourne Conservatorium of Music, The University of Melbourne</li> <li>5. Prof Julie McLeod, Deputy Director, Melbourne Social Equity Institute,</li> </ol>

	The University of Melbourne <i>Chair: Dr Debjani Ganguly, Director, Humanities Research Centre, The Australian National University</i>
11.15	<b>Morning tea</b>
11.45	<b>Session 7: Humanities Research: Funding New Alliances</b> 1. Prof Denise Meredyth, Executive Director, Humanities and Creative Arts, Australian Research Council 2. Emeritus Prof Steven Schwartz, Executive Director, Council for the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences 3. Prof Gerard Vaughan, Gerry Higgins Professorial Fellow, Australian Institute of Art History, The University of Melbourne <i>Chair: Professor Jane Davidson, Deputy Director, ARC Centre of Excellence for the History of Emotions, The University of Melbourne</i>
1pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30	<b>ACHRC AGM</b>
2.15	<b>Session 8: Partnerships</b> 1. Dr Robin Hirst, Director, Collections, Research and Exhibitions, Museum Victoria 2. Peter Rose, Editor, Australian Book Review 3. Louise Box, Humanities 21 <i>Chair: Prof Mark Hargreaves, Pro Vice-Chancellor (Research Partnerships), The University of Melbourne</i>
3.45	<b>Afternoon tea and closing remarks</b>
4.15	<b>Close</b>