

Program

TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2013

1600-1815	Forum Registration Opens	
1615-1745	New AAIRes Workshop Ms Wendy Marchment, Deakin University	Burney Room
1745-1815	New Presenters' Briefing	Burney Room
	Free night for delegates	

WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2013

0800-1700	Registration Desk Open		
0900-0910	Opening Comments: Mr Robert McCormack, The University of Western Australia	Preston C	
0910-0915	Official Welcome: Ms Kathie Rabel, AAIR Vice-President	Preston C	
0915-0920	Welcome to Country	Preston C	
0920-0930	Day One Opening: Mr Robert McCormack, The University of Western Australia	Preston C	
0930-1030	Keynote Speaker: Mr Phil Aungles, Department of Education	Preston C	
1030-1100	Morning Refreshments		
1100-1140	Session 1.1 Preston C Migration Review Tribunal Cases (MRT)- External data to inform Internal Quality Assurance Ms Julie Arthur, Southern Cross University	Session 1.2 Preston A Deriving business benefit from an investment in data - How USQ is faring Mr Chris Kearns, Altis Consulting Mr Steve Ivey, University of Southern Queensland	Workshop Session 1.3 Preston B The UES: Current status, future directions Chair: Ms Sonia Whiteley, Mr Eric Skuja, The Social Research Centre Mr Darren Matthews, Graduate Careers Australia
1150-1230	Session 2.1 Preston C Application of Predictive Analytics to Higher Degree Research Course Completion Times Dr Rachna Dhand, Edith Cowan University	Session 2.2 Preston A Australia's Next Top Load Model Ms Kerry Martin, Mr Matthew Bielby, University of the Sunshine Coast	
1230-1330	Lunch		
1330-1410	Session 3.1 Preston C Seasonal adjustments: recruiting and retaining domestic students over the summer period Mr Michael Luckman, Dr Andrew Harvey, La Trobe University	Workshop Session 3.2 Preston A The Science and Use of Load Planning Automation Mr Paul Te Braak, abaX Data	Special Interest Group 1 Preston B Surveys and Evaluations Chair: Mr Bruce Guthrie, Graduate Careers Australia
1420-1500	Session 4.1 Preston C Who are Your Clients and What do They Want? Ms Wendy Marchment, Deakin University		

Streams key:

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1500-1530	Afternoon Refreshments				
1530-1600	AAIR AGM				Preston C
1600-1640	Session 5.1	Preston C	Session 5.2	Preston A	Special Interest Group 2
	Preston B				
	Do We Need a New Student Evaluation System? <i>Ms Wendy Marchment, Dr Lyndal Horne, Deakin University</i>		Presenting the Benefits Associated with Modelling Continuing Load as Disaggregated Levels <i>Mrs Ewa Seidel, Flinders University</i>		Data Warehouse / Business Intelligence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Integrated Higher Education Planning Approach by M-Power Solutions Is there a better way to conduct benchmarking which utilises government data sources? <i>Chair: Dean Ward, Edith Cowan University</i> <i>Mark Simpson, Rick Cooper, M-Power Solutions</i>
1650-1730	Session 6.1	Preston C	Session 6.2	Preston A	
	Preston B				
	GCA Research Update: Last Drinks? <i>Mr Bruce Guthrie, Graduate Careers Australia</i>		The Undergraduate student experience survey discovers a new student reality. <i>Mr Hannes Loock, University of Johannesburg</i>		
1730-1755	Own time for delegates				
1800-2000	Welcome Reception, Ocean Room, Rendezvous Grand Hotel Perth				

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THURSDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2013

0800-1700	Registration Desk Open				
0900-0915	Day Two Opening: Mr Robert McCormack, The University of Western Australia				Preston C
0915-1015	Keynote Speaker: Emeritus Professor Alan Robson AM CitWA, The University of Western Australia				Preston C
1015-1045	Morning Refreshments				
1045-1130	Keynote Speaker: Hon Dr Liz Constable, The University of Western Australia				Preston C
1130-1200	Panel Session				Preston C
1200-1215	Sponsor Presentation: eXplorance				Preston C
1215-1315	Lunch				
1315-1355	Session 7.1 Preston C The New Zealand Employment Outcomes of Tertiary Education Project Mr Malcolm Rees, Massey University	Session 7.2 Preston A Where has all the data gone? Mr Alec Webb, Group of Eight	Special Interest Group 3 Preston B Student Load Management Chair: Alison Byrne, The University of Sydney		
1405-1445	Session 8.1 Preston C The impact of university rankings on graduate starting wages Mr David Carroll, Graduate Careers Australia	Session 8.2 Preston A Role perceptions of academics who teach to 'at risk' first year students: The influence of gender. Prof Gerrie J. Jacobs, Dr Melanie Jacobs, University of Johannesburg			
1445-1515	Afternoon Refreshments				
1515-1555	Session 9.1 Preston C Fostering Continuous Improvement through Training Experience Management (TEM) Mr Conor Burke-Gaffney, Mr Mohammed Sheraidah, eXplorance Inc.	Session 9.2 Preston A When funding is cut course viability assessment is critical Mr Greg Jakob, University of Ballarat	Session 9.3 Preston B Change of Preference: Analysing UAC Applicants Behaviour Dr Anbu Anbulagan, The Australian National University		
1600-1635	Free time for delegates				
1640	Bus departs for optional Tours – University of Western Australia				
1715-1830	Optional Tours – University of Western Australia. Terry Larder, Tour Guide				
1815	Second bus departs for Forum Dinner				
1845-0000	Forum Dinner – The University Club of Western Australia				

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FRIDAY 15 NOVEMBER 2013

0800-1530 Registration Desk Open

0930-0945 Day 3 Opening: **Mr Robert McCormack, The University of Western Australia**

0945-1045 Keynote Speaker: **Ms Julie Hare, The Australian**

1045-1115 Morning Refreshments

1115-1155	Session 10.1 Compliance to conformity: How to stop red tape strangling innovation Mr John Pike, Murdoch University	Preston C	Workshop Session 10.2 'Closing the feedback loop': Cross-institutional comparisons of strategies to effectively communicate to students on their feedback, and a case study from the University of Technology, Sydney Ms Carolyn Newbigin, Mr Alberto Mendez, University of Technology, Sydney	Preston A	Special Interest Group 4 Government Reporting Chair: Mr Don Johnston, Southern Cross University	Preston B
1205-1245	Session 11.1 Developing and Implementing an Excellence Framework in Higher Education Mr Mark Thompson, Edith Cowan University	Preston C				

1245-1330 Lunch

1330-1410	Session 12.1 Processing Times and Conversion Rates for Admission Process Mr Harpreet Khalsa, Edith Cowan University	Preston C	Special Interest Group 5 Quality and Risk Management Chair: Mr Mark Thompson, Edith Cowan University	Preston A		
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1420-1500

1500-1515 Awarding of Prizes for Best Paper, Best Presentation and Best New Presenter
Announcement of 2014 Forum

1515-1530 Thank you and Forum Close

1550-1620 Forum Bus Departs for Perth Airport

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