

# Asia Pacific Economic and Business History Conference

## 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> February 2023

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### Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February

17:30-19:30: Welcome reception

**Handpicked Wines Cellar Door, 50 Kensington St, Chippendale**

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### Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February

08:30: Registration open. UTS Business School, Level 3.

08:45-08:55: Opening and Acknowledgment of Country

**Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002**

09:00-10:30: Session 1

<p><b>Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002</b></p> <p>Chair: Lionel Frost (Monash)</p> <p>Ruby Ekkel (ANU), “Take on a man’s job’: Competing masculinities and the Queensland koala trapping industry, 1919-1927”.</p> <p>James Watson (ANU), “Asbestos Cement for Tomorrow’s Home’: Breadwinners and Homemakers in the Fibro House Market, 1945-1975”.</p> <p>Cheong Yeon Won (Monash), “The Holy Mother Will Set Women Free: Protestant Missionaries, Local Churches, and Women Rights in Colonial Korea”.</p>	<p><b>Seminar Room: CB08.03.004</b></p> <p><i>Pacific Populations</i></p> <p>Chair: Kris Inwood (Guelph)</p> <p>Mark Finnane (Griffith), “Speculating about genocide: The Queensland frontier 1859-1897”.</p> <p>Timothy Halliday, Sumner La Croix (Hawai’i-Mānoa), Joseph Price (Brigham Young) and Jacob Van Leeuwen (Texas A&amp;M), “Male-Biased Sex Ratios, Marriage, and Household Composition in Early Twentieth-Century Hawai’i”.</p> <p>Roger Byard and Hamish Maxwell-Stewart (Adelaide/New England), “Estimating the Size of the Tasmanian Pre-Contact Population”.</p>
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10:30-11:00: Morning tea

11:00-12:30: Session 2

<p><b>Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002</b></p> <p>Chair: Neil Barnwell</p> <p>Alistair Cameron, Lata Gandadharan, Pushkar Maitra, Paulo Santos (Monash), “On the Origins of Misogyny”.</p>	<p><b>Seminar Room: CB08.03.004</b></p> <p><i>Putting Death in its Place: Mortality, Intergenerational Disadvantage, and the Built Environment</i></p> <p>Chair: Mark Finnane (Griffith)</p>
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<p>Hyewon Kim (Cornell), Chulhee Lee (Seoul), Seojung Oh (UC Davis), "Parental gender norms and college major choice".</p> <p>Chun Chee Kok (Monash) and Gideon J. Lim (Hong Kong), "Ethnic Segregation and Politics: Evidence from Malaysia".</p>	<p>Richard Tuffin, Hamish Maxwell-Stewart (New England) and Kris Inwood (Guelph), "Mapping Hobart 1847-1905".</p> <p>Isabelle Cherkesly and Rebecca Kippen (Monash University), "Consumption, phthisis, spitting of blood: Changing patterns and understanding of tuberculosis as a cause of death in Tasmania, 1838–1930".</p> <p>John Wilson (UniSA), Richard Tuffin (New England), Martin Shanahan (UniSA) and Lionel Frost (Monash), "Constructing an amenities index for Hobart, 1888-1900".</p>
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12:30-13:30: Lunch

13:30-14:30: Session 3

<p><b>Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002</b></p> <p>Chair: Claire Wright (UTS)</p> <p>Andrew Parnell (Monash): "Advocating for Gender Equality in Federation-era Australia: Bruce Smith's progressive ideas".</p> <p>Alex Millmow (Federation), "Preparing the Way: Six Pioneering Women in the Twentieth Century Australian Economics"</p>	<p><b>Seminar Room: CB08.03.004</b></p> <p>Chair: Monica Keneley</p> <p>Brian Scott, "Incorporation, the Architect of Australia's 19th century economic and business development".</p> <p>Evan Ward and Sydney Ward (Brigham Young), "Antipodes, Empire, and Affluence: Australia's Economic Integration to Asian Aviation".</p>
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14:30-15:00: Coffee break

15:00-16:15: EHSANZ AGM

**Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002**

16:30-18:00: 2023 Noel Butlin Lecture

**Measure of significance: Human Capital in Business History**

Professor Grietjie Verhoef (University of Johannesburg)

Chair: Lionel Frost (Monash)

*UTS Business School Auditorium, CB08.02.005*

18:30-21:30: Conference dinner

**The Old Clare Hotel, Chippendale**



## Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February

08.30: Registration open

09:00-10:30: Session 4

<p><b>Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002</b></p> <p>Chair: Claire Wright (UTS)</p> <p>Dawn L. Teele and Pauline Grosjean (UNSW), "In Search of Gender in Historical Political Economy".</p> <p>Alice Calder (UNSW), "Conflict and Political Mobilization: The Demand for Suffrage and the Civil War".</p>	<p><b>Seminar Room: CB08.03.004</b></p> <p>Chair: Tim Hatton (ANU)</p> <p>Edwyna Harris (Monash) and Sumner La Croix (Hawai'i-Mānoa), "Do Rules for Establishing Property Rights in Land Affect Future Development? Evidence from Colonial South Australia, 1837-1910".</p> <p>Xavier Reader (UWA), "Western Australian legacies of slavery and imperial wealth: Examining the Swan River land returns of 1829-1830".</p> <p>Chip van Dyk (Newcastle), "The pre-history of Botanical Imperialism in New South Wales".</p>
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10:30-11:00: Morning tea

11:00-12:30: Session 5

<p><b>Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002</b></p> <p>Chair: Pauline Grosjean (UNSW)</p> <p>Grant Fleming, Zhangxin (Frank) Liu, David Merrett, and Simon Ville, "Women Shareholders in Nineteenth-Century Victoria".</p> <p>Ian McDonald (Melbourne), "Margaret Thatcher's monetarism and the challenge of disinflation".</p> <p>Peter Docherty (UTS), "The Relationship between Monetary Policy and Macroprudential Policy in the Final Report of Australia's Napier Royal Commission, 1935-37".</p>	<p><b>Seminar Room: CB08.03.004</b></p> <p>Chair: Sumner La Croix (Hawai'i-Mānoa)</p> <p>Lingyu Kong (Zhongnan) and Florian Ploeckl (Adelaide), "Cliques and Directors: Informal and Formal networks between Banks in Republican China".</p> <p>Nan Li, Xiaomin Liu (Fudan), Zhaojin Zeng (Duke Kunshan), "Business on the Empire's Periphery: Local Chambers of Commerce and the Transformation of Manchuria (1892-1930)".</p> <p>Mark Hup and Liuyan Zhao (Peking), "Policy Uncertainty and Financial Markets: The Chinese Silver Crisis During the Great Depression".</p>
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12:30-13:30: Lunch

13:30-15:00: Session 6

<p><b>Oval Classroom: CB08.03.002</b></p> <p>Chair: Florian Ploeckl (Adelaide)</p> <p>Tim Hatton (ANU), "The Irony of Distance: Emigrant Voyages to the US and Australia, 1850-1913".</p>	<p><b>Seminar Room: CB08.03.004</b></p> <p><i>Manufacturing and the Australian City</i></p> <p>Chair: Andrew Parnell (Monash)</p> <p>Lionel Frost (Monash) and Martin Shanahan (UniSA), "The manufacturing sector and the</p>
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Jiarun Li (Sydney), Amir Armanious and Peter Docherty (UTS), "The Characteristics of Failing and Surviving Banks in the Victorian Crisis of 1893"

Neil Barnwell, "Australian access to sterling during the First World War".

evolution of Melbourne, Sydney, and Adelaide before the deindustrialisation of the 1970s".

Charles Fahey (La Trobe), Seamus O'Hanlon (Monash) and Emma Robertson (La Trobe), "Becoming Industrial: manufacturing and the transformation of Cremorne and South Richmond, c. 1900-1930".

Matthew Bailey (Macquarie), "Retailing and manufacturing in New South Wales, 1890s-1930s".

*15:00: Afternoon tea and close*