



**DEANS OF ARTS, HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
14-15 NOVEMBER 2001  
MELBOURNE

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**Day 1 : Wednesday 14 November**

*Venue; Deakin University, Melbourne campus, Burwood Highway, Burwood.  
Conference Room, Level 7, Building C.*

9.30 am Coffee and registration

10.00 am Welcome

Professor Joan Beaumont, Dean of Arts, Deakin University

10.05 am

Session 1: THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES IN THE UNIFIED NATIONAL SYSTEM

Chair: Professor Rob Pascoe

Presenter: Michael Gallagher, DETYA

11.10 am Morning Tea

11.30 am

Session 2: RESEARCH IN THE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Chair: Professor Stuart Macintyre

Presenters

- Professor Sue Rowley, Executive Director, ARC Humanities panel
- Professor Doug McEachern, Executive Director, ARC Social Sciences panel

12.45 pm LUNCH

1.45 pm

Session 3: THE BATTLE FOR FUNDING

Chair: Professor Joan Beaumont

Panel of:

- Professor Anne Pauwels, University of Western Australia
- Professor Roger Wales, Dean of Arts, La Trobe University
- Professor Sharon Bell, Dean, Faculty of Creative Arts, University of Wollongong
- Professor Julie Mulvaney, Head, School of Social and Behavioural Sciences
- Professor Michael Rowan, Pro Vice Chancellor and Vice President, Education, Arts and Social Sciences, University of South Australia.

3.15 pm Afternoon Tea

3.30 pm

Session 4: AUQA AND QUALITY MODELS

Chair TBA

Presenter: David Woodhouse, Executive Director, Australian Universities Quality Agency.

5.00 pm  
DRINKS RECEPTION  
Professor Anne Martin, Deputy Vice Chancellor, Deakin University  
Level 7, Building C, Deakin University Melbourne campus

6.15 –6.30 pm Bus to dinner venue  
7.00 for 7.30 DINNER — Venue TBA

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**Day 2 : Thursday 15 November**

*Venue; Victoria University City Campus, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Convention Centre, Flinders Lane, Melbourne.*

**KEY ISSUES IN THE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Session 5

9.30 am THE BA PROJECT

Chair: Professor Roger Wales

Presenter: Professor Rob Pascoe, Dean of Arts, Victoria University

10.15 am COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA STUDIES COURSES IN AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES

Presenter: Professor Peter Putnis, Pro-Vice Chancellor and Professor of Communication, University of Canberra.

Professor Putnis will report on a research project he undertook under DETYA's Evaluations and Investigations Program, which included a survey of all Australian universities.

11.00 am Morning Tea

Session 6:

11.30 am LANGUAGE TRAINING IN A GLOBALISING WORLD

Chair TBA

Presenter:

Professor Stephen Garton. Dean of Arts, University of Sydney

12.15 pm ATTRITION IN THE BA

Chair: TBA

Presenter: Professor Alan Rix, Executive Dean of Arts, University of Queensland

1.00pm LUNCH

2.00 pm ARTS GRADUATE OUTCOMESHOW BUSINESS SEE US

Chair: TBA

Presenter: TBA

2.50 pm Afternoon Tea

3.15 pm UPDATE ON THE DASSH ACTION GROUP:

Chair: Professor Joan Beaumont

- Presenter Professor Tom Stannage, Executive Dean, Curtin University.

4.30-5.00 pm Close

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