Day 1  Wednesday 16 October

9:00-9:30  Coffee and Registration

9:30-9:45  Welcome and Overview of Program (Professor Janet Greeley)

9:45-11:00  AGM
(Professor Rob Pascoe (Victoria University) & Professor Joan Beaumont (Deakin) Co-Chairs of DASSH)

11:00-11:30  Morning Tea

11:30-1:00  Languages in Australian Universities
  • Report from the DASSH Language Workshop
    (Professor Anne Pauwels, UWA)
  • Discussion of paper on the Future of Language Development
    (Professor David Moss (Griffith) & Professor Sharon Bell (Wollongong))
  • Feedback on LOTE Review (Mr John Moore, Erebus Consulting)

1:00-2:00  Lunch

2:00-3:00  Panel Discussion on AUQA Audit Experiences
(Professor Joyce Kirk (RMIT- AUQA Assessor); Professor Terry Lovat (Newcastle); Associate Professor Maurice French (USQ))

3:00-4:00  Panel Discussion with Deans from New Zealand
(Professor Alistair Fox (Otago), TBA (Auckland), Professor David Mackay (Victoria U of Wellington); Professor Barrie MacDonald (Massey))

4:00-4:30  Afternoon Tea

(Professor Rob Pascoe, AUTC BA Project Manager)

5:30-6:30  Cocktail Party – JCU Council Chamber
Hosted by the Vice-Chancellor & President, Professor Bernard Moulden

7:30  Dinner at Sciroccos, Palmer Street, South Townsville
National Meeting of the
Deans of Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities
Junior Common Room
University Halls
James Cook University, Townsville

Day 2  Thursday 17 October

9:00-10:15  Report from the Chief Scientist’s Office & Discussion on Research Priorities in the Humanities and Social Sciences 2003-04 (Dr Joanne Daly)

10:15-10:45  Morning Tea

10:45-12:15  Discussion with the ARC and NHMRC on Research Funding (Brief presentations followed by discussion session)
   •  Professor Doug McEachern
      ARC Executive Director
      Social, Behavioural & Economic Sciences
   •  Professor Sue Rowley
      ARC Executive Director
      Humanities & the Creative Arts
   •  Dr Jack Best
      Chair
      Strategic Research Development Committee
      NHMRC

12:15-1:00  Discussion of Teacher Education Review (Ms Susan Smith, Director of the Review of Teaching and Teacher Education)

1:00-2:00   Lunch

2:00-2:45  Discussion on paper on Accreditation & Quality Assurance (enclosure) (Professor Joan Beaumont, Deakin)

2:45-3:30  Funding Models in Australian Universities (Professor Janet Greeley)

3:45  Bus transport to the airport