

The UNE Asia Pacific Network (APN)

Research Showcase

Thursday 22nd September 2022 - 9.15am to 4.45pm

Program of Presentations

Registration: https://une-au.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcucOmopj8sEtQFp Fh1FUHhcey0y4 n4Ja

9.15-9.30

Welcome - Johanna Garnett, APN Administrator

Introduction from School of HASS Representative

9.30-10.30 Panel One – Moderator – Gwyn McClelland

1. Capacity building in the Asia Pacific region, Dr. Rose Mutuota and Dr Mutuota Kigotha, UNE School of Education.

2. China's social credit system: How robust is the human rights critique? Dr Simon Burgess, UNE Business School and Matthew Wysel, PhD candidate.

3. Expanding gender as a category of analysis in development work with a focus on Samoa, Dr Christina Kenny, UNE School of HASS and Dr. Fetaomi Tapu-Qiliho University of Samoa.

10.30-11.00 – Coffee Break

11.00 – 12.00 Panel Two – Moderator – Paul Smith

1. Cross Cultural International Peer Support, A Prof. Ingrid Harrington, Dr Vegnes Maniam, Susan Bennett, School of Education UNE; Hayley Trenchard (LeapEd, Malaysia); and Dr Traci Ann Garrad (Notre Dame).

2. SiMERR's Systems-based Applied Research Program in the Philippines. A. Professor Joy Hardy, Deputy Director centre for Science, ICT and Maths Education, UNE.

3. Understanding Farm-Household Decision-Making and Adoption of Technologies: Insights and Implications for Intervention Designs, Professor Rene Villano – UNE Business School.

12.00-1.00 Panel Three – Moderator – Laura Clark

1. Myanmar post-coup, civil society and grassroots development, Dr Johanna Garnett, UNE School of HASS.

2. Youth perspectives on environmental, economic and social pressures in rural communities: a survey of university students in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, A. Professor Paul Kristiansen, SABL, UNE

3. Keeping connected with home: Working with the Pitcairn Islanders in the Australasian diaspora Dr Joshua Nash, UNE School of HASS.

1.00-2.30 Lunch – on campus Armidale - venue to be advised

2.30-3.30 Panel Four - Moderator - Christina Kenny

1. The Nagasaki Atomic Bomb Museum and digitalisation. Dr Gwyn McClelland, UNE School of HASS.

2. Controlling the Narrative of Japanese "Comfort Women": Justifying Sexual Servitude in Occupied Japan, Lyana Palmer, Student, UNE School of HASS.

3. 47 Rōnin of the Akō Vendetta during the Meiji Era, Callum Gallagher, MA Candidate, UNE School of HASS.

3.30-4.30 Panel Five - Moderator – Johanna Garnett

1. Urban Tokyo Shops as Setting in Japanese Popular Culture: Constructions of Self in Consumer Spaces Dr Laura Emily Clark, UNE School of HASS.

2. Next Steps: Preparing School Leavers for Post School Options, A Prof. Ingrid Harrington, Dr Vegnes Maniam, Susan Bennett, School of Education UNE; Dr Traci Ann Garrad (Notre Dame); and Aizuddin Ghazalli (IPGM Malaysia).

3. Cyberbirds and Territorialisations in the Music of Takashi Yoshimatsu. Dr Paul Smith, UNE School of HASS.

4.30-4.45 Wrap Up – Johanna Garnett

5.30 – 7.30 Social Event – Armidale - to be advised.