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Key Dates

Earlybird Registration Closes

Thursday 15 July 2010

Standard Registration

Friday 16 July - Saturday 2 October 2010

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Monday June 21, 2010

MA 2010 Program update – new national and international speakers announced

Joining our stellar [international guest speaker list](#) we can confirm Joanne Orr, Director of Museums & Galleries Scotland, an expert in both international and local museum development. Ms Orr will also head up our Regional & Remote Day (R & R) on Saturday 2 October. Susanna Siu, Chief Curator, Heritage & Museum Services, Government of Hong Kong, is an experienced and passionate speaker on Chinese antiquities, heritage and policy.

From around Australia we are delighted to announce Dr J Patrick Greene, CEO, Museum Victoria; Professor Warren Bebbington, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (University Affairs) University of Melbourne; and presenting a R & R paper, Dr Lynda Kelly, Head of Audience Research, Australian Museum.

Other speakers from around the country are listed on the website, with more announced as they are confirmed. [Stay in touch](#) with updates via this e-mail bulletin; if you have received this from a friend, [register for e-bulletins here](#) or go straight to the conference [registration](#) page to [book your place](#) today.

Social program launched

Register now to secure your place at exclusive [networking events](#) with expert colleagues from museums and galleries nationwide and overseas. The [social program](#) includes:

- Welcome Reception at Melbourne Museum (FREE with registration)
- Evening Event at the State Library of Victoria
- Conference Gala Dinner at the Great Hall, National Gallery of Victoria
- Evening Reception and R & R Welcome at the University of Melbourne

Delegates will also receive FREE entry to all Museum Victoria venues (Melbourne Museum, Immigration Museum, Scienceworks) on production of a valid MA2010 badge, for the duration of the Conference (excludes special exhibitions).

Delegates attending the Conference Gala Dinner will also receive FREE entry to the Melbourne Winter Masterpieces Stadel Exhibition, during normal gallery opening hours throughout the Conference, on production of a valid MA2010 badge.

The Conference Steering Committee warmly thanks our generous Conference Supporters, Museum Victoria and the National Gallery of Victoria.

MA2010 delegates can also benefit from a range of special offers at selected museums around Victoria, see website for details. Why not extend your stay in Melbourne and explore some of Victoria's metropolitan and regional treasures?

Earlybird special closes in twenty-four days

Earlybird registration closes on 15 July – [register now and save up to 45%](#) compared with the non-member standard rate. For details, go to our [registration page](#).

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