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Key Dates

Earlybird Registration Closes

Friday 30 July 2010

Standard Registration

Saturday 31 July - Saturday 2 October 2010

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Thursday July 29, 2010

Extended earlybird - closes 5 pm (AEST) 30 July

Last chance to book places at the MA2010 conference at the special earlybird rate. [Register now](#) and save up to 45%. The earlybird offer must close at 5 pm on Friday 30 July.

Go to our [registration page](#) to book your place at the flagship museums and galleries conference.

Bursary applications – deadline 5 pm (AEST) 30 July

Last chance to submit bursary applications for the MA2010 conference before the deadline: 5 pm AEST this Friday 30 June. Download the [application form and guidelines](#) here.

Please remember to register as a delegate for the conference if you are applying for a bursary. If you are unsuccessful in your application, we will honour the early-bird registration you have made.

Preliminary program

Highlights of this year's conference are online in our [preliminary program](#) with our biggest ever line-up of international guest speakers and expert Australasian colleagues presenting over five days. Our social program also offers an exciting mix of networking events across several of Melbourne's very best cultural centres.

Members of MA Special Interest Groups and National Networks are also invited to our specially-arranged SIG/NN events and sessions. See the [preliminary program](#) for details.

Explore the cultural treasures of Victoria

Whether you are Victorian or visiting our beautiful State, there is plenty to keep you busy beyond the conference program.

The University of Melbourne itself boasts holds a variety of significant [Cultural Collections](#). Within Melbourne city centre, you can enjoy a range of [high-quality cultural experiences](#) with our [Conference Partners](#) including Museum Victoria, the National Gallery of Victoria and the State Library of Victoria, to

name a few.

We have also listed some suggested **regional day trips** all within two hours' from Melbourne by car or train, to explore the treasures of Ballarat, Bendigo, Geelong, the Mornington Peninsula and Yarra Valley. With over 700 'marvellous museums' in Victoria, it's well worth extending your stay.

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