

2017 NAFEA Conference Program

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Wednesday, 12 th of July 2017			
12:00pm-	Registration		
1:00pm	Welcome		
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3:30pm	Afternoon tea		
4:00pm	<p>Workshop 5 Bridging the Gap: Managing Placement Expenses and Growing Demands Collaboratively. Ms Ina Kotze, USQ, NAFEA, Mrs Katherine Cosh, USQ and Ms Wendy Harris, Griffith University</p>		
5:00pm	Wrap-up		
6:30pm – 8:30pm	Welcome Drinks and Registration		

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Thursday, 13 th of July 2017			
8:00am - 8:30am	Registration/Tea/Coffee		
8:30am	Welcome to Country		
8:40am	Welcome to the Conference (including Sponsor Presentation, NAFEA Programs launch)		
9:00am	Session 1: Introductory Keynote: Bridging the Gap of Student WIL Wellbeing: The Impacts of Unpaid Practicum on Students Dr Deanna Grant-Smith, Dr Jenna Gillett-Swan, QUT; Dr Ricky Tunny, Ms Katherine Theobald, QUT, NAFEA		
10:00am	Morning Tea		
10:30am	Session 2 (Break-out): Health Disciplines	Session 3 (Break-out): General Placement Discussion Group	Session 4 (Break-out): Education Disciplines
11:30am	Session 5 (Paper): How is Work Integrated Learning Experienced by Students? Ms Helen Stephenson, Flinders University		Session 6 (Break-out) (1hr): Bridging the Gap between Study and Workplace. Facilitated by Ms Jacqueline Niblett and Debbie Hathaway, The University of Queensland.
12:00pm	Session 7: (Paper) Bridging the Gap - Connecting Lifeworld Experiences to Australian Schooling: Experiences of International Pre-service Teachers (PSTs) in the 'Celebrating Cultural Diversity' Program at UniSA Dr Hannah Soong, Mr Bill Lucas, Ms Rebecca Reid-Nguyen, Dr Ruth Geer, Mr Marty-Mills Bayne, University of South Australia		
12:30pm	Lunch		
1:15pm	Session 8: State Chapter Meetings		
2:15pm	Session 9 (Paper) The Practicum Experiences of Non-Indigenous Pre-Service Teachers in Remote Indigenous Communities Ms Julie Dyer, Deakin University		Session 10 (Paper) NAFEA Administrator Wellness Project Associate Professor Dean Cooley, Federation University and Ms Anita Wheeldon, University of Southern Queensland
2:45pm	Session 11: Silver Sponsor Presentation		
3:15pm	Afternoon Tea		
3:45pm - 4:45pm	Session 12: Keynote Presentation: Good practice in WIL: challenges and opportunities Emeritus Professor Judyth Sachs		
6:30pm-11:00pm	Conference Dinner		

Friday, 14 th of July 2017			
8:30am	Session 13: NAFEA Strategic Initiatives: Professional Development Program, Outstanding Awards Program (including announcement of winner), Scholarship Programs		
9:00am	Session 14: Keynote: Bridging the Gap : National WIL Strategy and innovative Industry Engagement Ms Judie Kay		
10:00am	Session 15: (Paper) Bridging the Gap between Policy Expectations and Actual Professional Experience Placement Practices Ms Jana Kovtun and Ms Sue Heald, Western Sydney University	Session 16: (Paper) International professional experiences: What value are they? Dr Ange Fitzgerald and Dr Rebecca Cooper, Monash University	Session 17 (Break out) (1 hr): Student Inter-Professional Learning Ms Helen Roberts, MICRRH, JCU
10:30am	Session 18: (Paper) “ I had the feeling that parents didn’t want to talk to me ”: supporting male pre-service teachers on Early Childhood Education placements Mr Martyn Mills-Bayne, University of South Australia	Session 19: (Paper) Learning from international students’ experiences of their practicum in the Master of Teaching Program with a view to improving their program success. Ms Erica Sharplin and Associate Professor Victoria Whittington	
11:00am	Session 20: (Paper) Balancing the Needs of Global Partners, Academic Requirements, and Practical Learning Experiences Treaisa Rowe, AVI		
11:30am	Session 21: PANEL SESSION (1 hr) Industry Partners, Students, Supervisors and University Expectations: How Do We Bridge the Gap? Facilitated by Dr Ricky Tunny Dr Ingrid Lensink, Manager, Health Education and Strategic Engagement, SA Health, Industry Partner (1 Education), Students (1 Education, 1 Health), Supervisors (1 Education, 1 Health), University (1 placement officer, 1 academic coordinator).		
12:30pm	Close of Conference and Lunch		