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Humboldt Colloquium

on the Occasion of the 60th Anniversary
of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation

and

the Ludwig Leichhardt Bicentennial

"Looking to the Future: International Research in a Changing World"

Sydney, Australia

17-19 October 2013

Preliminary Programme

As of 13.06.2013

Humboldt-Kolloquium

anlässlich des 60jährigen Bestehens der Alexander von Humboldt-Stiftung und
des Jubiläumsjahres zum 200. Geburtstag von Ludwig Leichhardt

„Die Zukunft im Blick: Internationale Forschung in einer sich wandelnden Welt“

Sydney, Australien

17.-19. Oktober 2013

Vorläufiges Programm

Stand: 13.06.2013



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Thursday, 17 October 2013

*University of Sydney, MacLaurin Hall, Quadrangle Building, Off Eastern Avenue,
Darlington NSW 2008, Australia*

02:00 p.m. Information Session: Funding Opportunities for Research Collaborations
with Germany

Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (AvH)
German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)

04:00 p.m. Opening Ceremony

Welcome Addresses

Professor Jill Trehwella
Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research), University of Sydney

Professor Helmut Schwarz
President, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation

Dr. Christoph Müller
Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany

Prof. Dr. Gabriele McMullen
President of the Australian Association of Humboldt Fellows

Prof. Dr. Peter Schwerdtfeger (tbc)
President of the New Zealand Associations of Humboldt Fellows

Keynote Lecture

Prof. Dr. Aidan P. Byrne
CEO, Australian Research Council

followed by Reception

On joint invitation with the Ambassador of the Federal Republic of
Germany



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Friday, 18 October 2013

Mercure Sydney Hotel, 818 - 820 George Street, Sydney NSW 2000, Australia

9:00 a.m. Interdisciplinary Workshops with Presentations by Participants

Section 1: History, Culture, and Society
Section 2: Environment and Energy
Section 3: Health / Life Sciences
Section 4: Applied Materials
Section 5: Theoretical Sciences

10:30 a.m. Coffee, Tea and Networking Break

11:00 a.m. Workshops Continued

12:30 p.m. Lunch

**2:00 p.m. Building International Research Careers:
Plenary Session**

Dr. James Blinco, Queensland University of Technology
Prof. Dr. Kay Double, University of Sydney

3:00 p.m. Poster and Networking Session

4:00 p.m. Coffee, Tea and Networking Break

4:15 p.m. Interdisciplinary Workshops Continued

Section 1: History, Culture, and Society
Section 2: Environment and Energy
Section 3: Health / Life Sciences
Section 4: Applied Materials
Section 5: Theoretical Sciences

7:00 p.m. Dinner

Dinner Speech
Prof. Dr. Marie Bashir (tbc)
Governor of New South Wales



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Saturday, 19 October 2013

Mercure Sydney Hotel, 818 - 820 George Street, Sydney NSW 2000, Australia

9:30 a.m. Plenary Lectures

Prof. Dr. Peter J. Lockhart
Allan Wilson Centre for Molecular Ecology and Evolution (AWCMEE),
Massey University

Prof. Dr. Anna Haebich (tbc)
Australian Academy of the Humanities / Curtin University

Prof. Dr. Paul Mulvaney
Bio21 Institute, University of Melbourne

11:00 a.m. Coffee, Tea and Networking Break

**11:30 a.m. Panel Discussion
International Research in a Changing World:
Perspectives of the Humboldt Network**

followed by Concluding Remarks

Prof. Dr. Helmut Schwarz
President of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation

1:00 p.m. Farewell Lunch

Followed by Business Meetings of the Australian and New Zealand Associations of
Humboldt Fellows (tbc)