

Information for participants and speakers

MEETING THE MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS: OLD PROBLEMS, NEW CHALLENGES

Monday 30 November – Tuesday 1 December 2009
Western Lecture Theatres | La Trobe University, Melbourne (Bundoora) campus

1) Conference and Hotel Accommodation Venue

The conference will be held at:

Western Lecture Theatres, La Trobe University, Melbourne (Bundoora) campus, Bundoora, 3086

How to get to La Trobe (Bundoora):

<http://www.latrobe.edu.au/bundoora/location>

Western lecture theaters are located in C5 on the campus map

<http://www.latrobe.edu.au/bg/assets/images/drawings/bun-site.pdf>

Free Parking is available in car parks P1 and P2. Please use the white parking bays only.

Hotel accommodation:

Rydges on Bell – free shuttle bus to La Trobe campus

Special rates for conference attendees, please quote 'La Trobe University'

215 Bell Street

Preston VIC 3072

Phone: +61 3 9485 1000

<http://www.rydges.com/hotel/0/RVPRES/Rydges-On-Bell-Preston-Hotel-Melbourne.htm>

2) Visa Requirements

For participants requiring visas for travel to Australia, please approach the Australia High Commission/Embassy in your respective capitals. Please send an email to dr. Sue Chaplin should you require supporting documents from the conference organisers for your visa application. We would urge you to apply for your visa as soon as possible.

3) Transport from Airport/City

Taxis are easily available at the Melbourne Tullamarine Airport. Travel time between the airport and the Bundoora campus is approximately 30 minutes.

The tram no. 86 travels from Bourke street in the city to the Bundoora campus and buses 340 and 250 also make their way from the city to the campus. Travel time depends on traffic and is approximately 50 minutes.

Car parking is available free of charge in car park...

5) Registration

Register online: <http://webpay.latrobe.edu.au/onestop/tranform.cgi?TRAN-NO=844>

6) Panels and posters

For Poster presenters:

Screens are 190cm in height and 129 cm in width. Maximum size for posters is 150 cm (length) by 100 cm (width). Posters will be put up on the morning of the first day of the conference from 8 am onwards. The posters will remain on display for the duration of the conference. Short oral presentations of 5-7 minutes will be allocated for all poster presenters during the lunch break of one of the conference days.

For oral presenters:

If there are 4 presenters on your panel, each will have 15 minutes to present, if there are 3 people each presenter will have 20 minutes to present plus questions. Power point presentations must be received by November 28th 2009 in order to avoid technical difficulties.

Publication

It is anticipated that the conference will result in one or more edited volumes and/or edited journals. Presenters will be contacted after the conference by the publication committee.

We suggest presenters bring draft papers for distribution to panel members and other participants.

Panels and Plenaries may be recorded and made available as podcasts on itunes and/or other free media outlets.

Queries

Should you have any queries about the programme, please contact Dr. Sue Chaplin for more details. For all other queries please contact Dr. Gerhard Hoffstaedter.

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