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Date: 4 to 5-Mar-2017 **Cost:** \$560.00
Location: Canberra **Mode:** Conference
Venue: John Curtin School of Medical Research, The Australian National University, Canberra

Details:

Online registrations have now closed for this event. Please call 02 6125 6655 if you wish to register.

The National Judicial College of Australia and the ANU College of Law invite you to attend their annual conference to be held at the John Curtin School of Medical Research at the Australian National University in Canberra on 4 & 5 March 2017.

The theme of the conference is **Brave New Worlds: Challenges for Evidence in the 21st Century**. The conference will focus on emerging research and the application of the rules of evidence in the areas of offender identification, expert opinion, the investigation and prosecution of online predators, tendency evidence in child abuse cases, machine versus human decision-making and the opportunities and challenges each of these present for rational fact finding. Speakers include leading researchers, academics and judicial officers.

If you would like to contact the organisers about this event, please use the contact form [here](#).

Download the [Flyer](#).

Download the [Registration Guide](#) (includes a copy of the full program).

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Writing Better Judgments 2017 – Registrations are now open!

3 to 5-Apr-2017, Sydney
This program has been developed for the Australian judiciary and is designed to enhance participants' judgment writing skills through analysis, discussion and rewriting of judgments in small groups. The program is hands-on and where participants are assisted by professional writers and senior judges.

National Judicial Orientation Program October 2017

22 to 27-Oct-2017, Sydney
The National Judicial Orientation Program has been presented every year since 1994. The program has been developed by a steering committee of experienced judges and judicial education professionals drawn from courts and educational bodies throughout Australia. The primary objective of the program is to assist newly appointed judicial officers with their transition to judicial office by facilitating the development and refinement of the skills, knowledge and attitudes necessary for effective judging.

Oral Judgments 2017- Seeking Expressions of Interest

31 to 31-Dec-2017, TBA
Note: The dates and location of the Program will be advised soon. Dates on this page are not applicable. This program has been developed for the Australian judiciary and is being designed to enhance participants' oral judgment skills through analysis, discussion and preparing for the delivery oral judgments. The program has a large practical component in which participants will deliver oral decisions and receive individualised feedback to enhance skills in oral decisions.

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Program

Saturday 4 March 2017

9:15am: Official Opening and Welcome to Country

Committees

- Chief Justice Helen Murrell, *Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory; Chair, Council of the National Judicial College of Australia*

Programs Advisory Committee

- Professor Stephen Bottomley, *Dean, ANU College of Law, The Australian National University*

Regional Convenors

9:30am: Keynote Address

Program Development Committees

- The Hon. Justice Stephen Munn, *Supreme Court of Australia*
- The Hon. Justice Stephen Munn, *Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory; Chair, Council of the National Judicial College of Australia*

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10:30am: Transcription and Interpretation of Indistinct Covert Recordings used as Evidence in Court

- Dr Helen Fraser, *Director, Forensic Phonetics Australia*
- *Session chair: Professor Gary Edmond, Director of the Program in Expertise, Evidence and Law, School of Law, The University of New South Wales*

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11:30am: Understanding Human Face Recognition and Challenges for Identification Evidence

- Professor Neil Brewer, *School of Psychology, Flinders University*
- Professor Elinor McKone, *Research School of Psychology, Australian National University*
- Professor Gary Edmond, *Director of the Program in Expertise, Evidence and Law, School of Law, The University of New South Wales*
- *Session chair: Dr Mark Nolan, Associate Professor, ANU College of Law, Australian National University*

1:45pm: Psychological Understanding and Forensic Use of Gait and Body Movement Evidence

- Dr Rick van der Zwan, *Director, Little but Fierce*
- *Session chair: Chief Magistrate Steven Heath, Magistrates Court of Western Australia*

3:15pm: Forensic Uses of Face and Body Identification Evidence

- Associate Professor Richard Kemp, *Forensic Psychology Lab, University of New South Wales*
- *Session chair: Judge Stephen Norrish, District Court of New South Wales*

4:00pm: Covert Online Surveillance of Child Predators: Exploring the Legal and Ethical Boundaries

- Professor Peter Grabosky, *Regulatory Institutions Network, Australian National University*
- Associate Professor Gregor Urbas, *Faculty of Business, Government and Law, University of Canberra; Visiting Fellow at Tilburg University, Netherlands*
- *Session chair: Justice Richard Refshauge, Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory*

5:00pm: Social Function: Drinks and Canapes

- *Venue: John Curtin School of Medical Research*
- *Host: Professor Stephen Bottomley, Dean, ANU College of Law, The Australian National University*

6:30pm: End of Day One

Sunday 5 March 2017

9:30am: Decision Making: Human vs Machine

- Mr Jon Cina, *Victoria Legal Aid*
- Professor Seumas Miller, *Centre for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics, Charles Sturt University; 3TU Centre for Ethics and Technology, Delft University of Technology (The Hague)*
- Professor John Zeleznikow, *Laboratory of Decision Support and Dispute Management, College of Business, Victoria University*
- *Session chair: Justice Peter Murphy, Family Court of Australia*

10:45am: DNA Evidence in Reports and Courts

- Ms Julie Szego, *author and freelance journalist*
- Dr Dennis McNevin, *Faculty of Education, Science, Technology & Maths, University of Canberra*
- Professor Gary Edmond, *Director of the Program in Expertise, Evidence and Law, School of Law, The University of New South Wales*
- *Session chair: Justice Debra Mullins, Supreme Court of Queensland*

12:00pm: Prosecuting Multiple Complainant Cases of Child Sexual Assault: The New South Wales or Victorian Approach?

- Associate Professor John Anderson, *Newcastle Law School, University of Newcastle*
- Professor Annie Cossins, *Professor of Law and Criminology, Faculty of Law, University of New South Wales*

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Testimonials

'A great opportunity to think outside the usual square. Stimulating, enjoyable and interesting. Balance was just right.'

*Dialogues on Being a Judge Program
October 2015*



- *Session chair:* Dr Anthony Hopkins, *Senior Lecturer, ANU College of Law, Australian National University*
- *Session commentator:* Judge Stephen Norrish, *District Court of New South Wales*

1:15pm: Conference Close and Lunch

Registration Fees:

- Early Bird Full Registration (until 31 January, 2017): \$480
- Early Bird Student Registration (until 31 January, 2017): \$140 – full time students only
- Full Registration (on or after 1st February 2017): \$560
- Student registration (on or after 1st February 2017): \$160 – full time students only
- Drinks function only (in company of conference participant): \$40

Note: All amounts inclusive of GST.

What's on in Canberra:

Whilst in Canberra, take the opportunity to sample many of the events and exhibitions the city has on offer. The *Enlighten Festival* (25 Feb to 12 March 2017) and the *Versailles: Treasures from the Palace* exhibition at the National Gallery of Australia (9 Dec 2016 to 17 Apr 2017) are to name just a few! Many exhibition events are ticketed so we recommend you plan ahead.

Take a look at [Visit Canberra](#) for more information about exhibitions and events.

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