



**11<sup>th</sup> ACUR Conference**

**20-22 November 2023**

**#ACUR2023@SUT**

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## ***Overview of Activities for 20<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> November 2023***

### ***Swinburne University of Technology Hawthorn Campus***

#### **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November – Optional social event**

The George (GS217) Level 2 – (Tag A on map<sup>1</sup>)

- Welcoming delegates, light refreshments

#### **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November – Day 1 of Conference**

Engineering Building (EN) – Level 3 - (Tag B on map)

- Formal opening
- Keynote lecture
- Concurrent oral presentations
- Setting up posters
- AstroTour & Cyber Security Workshop
- Students Mix at The George

#### **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November – Day 2 of Conference**

Engineering Building (EN) – Level 3 - (Tag B on map)

- Student-led workshops on Undergraduate Research
- Concurrent oral presentations
- Poster presentations
- ACUR AGM – all delegates invited as new members
- Closing remarks, Awards
- Post-conference chill out

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<sup>1</sup> See campus map on last page

# ACUR2023 - Programme

## Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November

Time	Mins	
18:00	180	<b>Optional Social Event</b> <b>The George Level 2 (GS217)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Registration &amp; Welcome</li> <li>- Light refreshments &amp; finger food</li> </ul>

## Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November- Day 1

Time	Mins			
8:00	75	Registration opens – Foyer EN Building		
9:30	15	<b>Welcome to Wurundjeri Country</b> Guest TBC (Elder from Wurundjeri Tribe)		
9:45	10	<b>Welcome to ACUR 2023 and Swinburne University of Technology</b> Professor Alan Duffy, Pro Vice-Chancellor Flagship Initiative, Acting DVC(R)		
9:55	5	<b>Welcome to SoSCET</b> Professor Enzo Palombo, Associate Dean Research		
10:00	30	<b>Keynote Lecture I</b> Emeritus Professor Angela Brew, Chair ACUR		
<b>10:30</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>Morning Tea and Poster Display</b>		
<b>Parallel Sessions (I)</b>				
Time	Mins	EN313	EN303	EN304
11:00	15	Veve O’Fry (Humanities)	Charles McKinley (Psychological Sciences)	Amber Firriolo (Psychology)
11:15	15	Alicia Stramand (Nutrition)	Daniel Bonatti (Built Environment)	Isabelle El-Azzi (Biomedical)
11:30	15	Hong Quan Trinh (Chemistry)	Sala Ghanem (Psychology)	Annabelle Webster (Psychology)
11:45	15	Sonali Varma (Psychology)	Ksenia Sofronova (Actuarial Studies)	Zandro Lagman (Food Science)
12:00	15	Laura Girgis (Visual Arts)	Emily Kopp (Psychological Sciences)	Nardiana Pratama (Computer Science)
12:15	15	Alethea Dama (Oenology)	Benjamin Brandwood (Electrical Engineering)	Hujian Xie (Social Psychology)
<b>12:30</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>Lunch and Poster Viewings</b>		
<b>Parallel Sessions (II)</b>				
Time	Mins	EN313	EN303	
14:00	15	Brayden Condie (Psychology)	Alice Mok (Psychology)	
14:15	15	Arda Poda (Marine Science)	Mohita Singh (Biotechnology)	
14:30	15	Guy Archibald (Medical Sciences)	Emma Henry (Ecology)	
14:45	15	Lachlan Miller (Chemistry)	Jordan Lyons (Mental Imagery)	
15:00	15	Cian Luke Martin (Physics)	Emerald Orr (Genetics)	
15:15	15	Hannah Neylan (Psychology)	Anita Walker (Education)	
<b>15:30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>Afternoon Tea and Poster Viewings</b>		
<b>Popular Science – Concurrent Sessions</b>				
Time	mins	AR104	EN310	
16:00	60	AstroTour (55 pax)	Hands-on Cyber Security Workshop (40 pax)	
<b>16:00</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>FREE TIME</b>		
<b>17:00</b>		<b>Day 1 of Conference concludes</b>		
17:30		The George – Student Hub <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students Mix – Food, Refreshments and Music</li> <li>- Networking, Games</li> </ul>		

# ACUR2023 - Programme

## Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November – Day 2

Time	Mins				
8:00	45	Registration opens – Foyer EN Building			
9:00	10	Introduction to Day 2			
9:10	20	Keynote Lecture II Professor Laura-Anne Bull, DVC(Education, Experience and Employability), Swinburne university of Technology			
<b>Student-led Reflective Workshops- Undergraduate Research Process</b>					
Time	Mins	Workshop A EN201	Workshop B EN202	Workshop C EN203	Workshop D EN204
9:30	40	Getting started	Developing competency & confidence	Responsible research	Commercialisation, IP
<b>Reconvene in EN313</b>					
10:10	20	Consolidating the points of the 4 workshops with the ambition of turning the result into an “ACUR Guidelines for UG Research”			
<b>10:30</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>Morning Tea and Poster Viewings</b>			
<b>Parallel Sessions (III)</b>					
		EN313	EN303	EN304	
11:00	15	Joseph Wenck ( <i>Microbiology</i> )	Daniel Cardozo ( <i>Industrial Design</i> )	Moana Krause ( <i>Environmental Science</i> )	
11:15	15	Hannah Sandison ( <i>Psychology</i> )	Angus Padley ( <i>Political Science</i> )	Yifei Wu ( <i>Food Science</i> )	
11:30	15	Tabish Ali Rather ( <i>Machine Learning</i> )	Qifan Yang ( <i>Urban &amp; Regional Planning</i> )	Mitchell Jack ( <i>Data Science</i> )	
11:45	15	Luke Costa ( <i>Philosophy</i> )	Melanie Qin ( <i>Health Sciences</i> )	Fien Van den Steen ( <i>Environmental Management</i> )	
12:00	15	Anthony Lai ( <i>Psychology</i> )	Linzhi Ren ( <i>Economics &amp; Finance</i> )	Sahba Monzaviyan ( <i>Psychology</i> )	
12:15	15	Sai Hossain ( <i>Pacific Studies</i> )	Jessica Whyman ( <i>Creative Industries</i> )	Evelyn Zammit ( <i>Biotechnology</i> )	
<b>12:30</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>Lunch and Poster Viewings</b>			
<b>Parallel Sessions (IV)</b>					
		EN313	EN303		
13:30	15	Charles O’Neil ( <i>Machine Learning</i> )	Mia Wang ( <i>Business Information Systems</i> )		
13:45	15	Georgie Aiuto ( <i>Physics</i> )	Elena Ninkovic ( <i>Biological &amp; Chemical Engineering</i> )		
14:00	15	Maha Baig ( <i>Psychology</i> )	Laura Magri ( <i>Motor Learning</i> )		
14:15	15	Joseph Christensen ( <i>Political Science</i> )	Yuqi Liu ( <i>Psychology</i> )		
14:30	15	Brodie Colpoys ( <i>Biotech</i> )	Wilson Wang ( <i>Bioinformatics</i> )		
14:45	15	Rohan Ford ( <i>Mechatronics</i> )			
<b>15:00</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>			
<b>15:30</b>	<b>60</b>	<b><u>ACUR AGM</u> (click to download)</b>			
16:30	30	All panellists to meet and finalise on Awards - Best Poster & Runner Up - Best Oral Presentation & Runner Up			
17:00	30	- <b>Closing of ACUR2023 (EN313)</b> - Awards - Acknowledgements			
17:30		- <b>The Junction</b> - <b>Post-Conference Pizza/Chill Out</b>			

# Swinburne Hawthorn Campus



**A: The George**  
Social activities  
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**B: EN Building**  
Conference venue  
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**C: The Junction**  
Student Hub