

Senior Staff Forum

Wednesday 10 – Friday 12 July 2013

Innovative Research Universities – engaging with our regions

Hosted by Charles Darwin University

DRESS CODE

The dress code for the Forum is smart casual. For the Government House Welcome Function, men must wear a tie.

DARWIN TAXIS – 131 008

Wednesday 10 July 2013

2.30 -
4.00pm

IRU GROUP MEETINGS

DVC Research

The Northern Institute Meeting Room Red Room (1st Floor Yellow 1)

DVC Corporate

The Community Room (Ground Floor Orange 12)

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Network

ACIKE Executive Boardroom (Blue 2.2.02)

4.10pm - Bus departs from Charles Darwin University, Orange 1 bus stop.

5.30 –
6:30pm

WELCOME FUNCTION: GOVERNMENT HOUSE

The Esplanade - Welcome to Northern Territory

- **Her Honour the Honourable Sally Thomas AM**, Northern Territory Administrator
- **Professor Barney Glover**,
IRU Chair and Vice-Chancellor, Charles Darwin University

Distinguished Guest - Hon Peter Styles, MLA

Minister for Infrastructure and Minister for Multicultural Affairs

6.30pm
onwards

Free time.

A list of restaurants within walking distance of Government House and the Hilton is in the General Information document

Thursday 11 July 2013

7.40am - bus departs from the Hilton for CDU. Travel time 20 minutes.

The Beagle Deck, Building Red 8, Charles Darwin University, Casuarina Campus

8.00		TEA AND COFFEE ON ARRIVAL			
8.30 - 8.45am	WELCOME TO COUNTRY <i>Mr James Parfitt</i>				
8.45 - 9.15am	OPENING COMMENTS AND SCENE SETTING <i>Professor Barney Glover,</i> <i>IRU Chair and Vice-Chancellor, Charles Darwin University</i>				
9.15 – 10.30am	ENGAGING ASIA: TWO PERSPECTIVES <i>Professor Michael Wesley - Professor of National Security, ANU</i> <i>Professor Dorodjatun Kuntijoro - Emeritus Professor at the University of Indonesia, member of the Murdoch Commission</i> Themes <ul style="list-style-type: none">• challenges and opportunities• role of education to enhance future prosperity across region• use of digital means to enhance Australia-Asia interaction (not education limited)		Chair <i>Professor Barney Glover</i>		
10.30 – 11.00am MORNING TEA					
11.00 – 12.30pm	AUSTRALIA’S INNOVATIVE UNIVERSITIES IN ASIA Overview – Mr Chris Madden - Pro Vice-Chancellor (International), Griffith University Parallel sessions: Implementing the commitments in “ <i>Australia’s Innovative Universities in Asia</i> ”. <table><tr><td>Session A - Research Professor Sharon Bell</td><td>Session B - Student Mobility Ms Liz Stinson</td></tr></table> Wrap up: future IRU actions		Session A - Research Professor Sharon Bell	Session B - Student Mobility Ms Liz Stinson	Chair <i>Professor John Rosenberg</i> - Chair International Committee
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12.30 – 1.15pm LUNCH					

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1.15 - 2.15pm	POWERFUL PARTNERSHIPS: COLLABORATING OUR WAY TO SUCCESS Professor Steven Schwartz, AM Implications for the IRU of major global trends including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increasing concentration of research funding, • Online learning, • Rise of Asian universities 	Chair Professor Richard Higgott
2.15- 3.15pm	RESPONDING TO THE BEHRENDT REPORT: BECOMING THE UNIVERSITIES OF CHOICE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IRU Statement of Intent: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Higher Education • A whole of university approach: what it means and how to achieve 	Chair Professor Steve Larkin and Mrs Leanne Holt Co-Chairs IRU Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Network
3.15 – 3.30pm AFTERNOON TEA		
3.30 – 4.30pm	STRENGTHENING ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER EDUCATION OUTCOMES Hon Alison Anderson MLA, <i>NT Member for Namatjira, Minister for Regional Development</i>	Chair Professor Michael Barber
4.30 – 4.45pm	CLOSE OF DAY 1 Professor Barney Glover <i>IRU Chair and Vice-Chancellor, Charles Darwin University</i>	
5pm – Bus departs from CDU to Hilton Hotel 7pm – Bus departs Hilton Hotel for CDU		
7.30 – 10.00pm	DINNER Charles Darwin University – Indonesian Gardens	
10pm – Bus departs from CDU to Hilton Hotel		

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8.10 TEA AND COFFEE ON ARRIVAL		
8.30 – 9.30am	VICE-CHANCELLORS' FORUM: IRU AND THE 2013 ELECTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professor Michael Barber Professor Sandra Harding Professor Richard Higgott Professor Ian O'Connor IRU ELECTION ACTIONS	Chair Professor Barney Glover
9.30 – 10-15am	COALITION HIGHER EDUCATION POLICY: THE IMPACT OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY Mr Alan Tudge , Chair of the Coalition Online Higher Education Working Group – via Videolink <i>Delegates will be required to walk to lecture theatre Blue 1.1.01 for the videolink.</i>	Chair Professor Ian O'Connor
10.15 – 10.45am MORNING TEA		
10.45 - 11.30am	MEETING REGIONAL NEEDS: DEVELOPING NORTHERN AUSTRALIA Opening comments: Professor Barney Glover and Professor Michael Barber	Chair Professor Sandra Harding
11.30 – 11.45am	OUTCOMES OF FORUM: THEMES, ISSUES, SPECIFIC ACTIONS Mr Conor King , Executive Director, IRU FORUM CLOSE	Chair Professor Barney Glover
12.00 – 1.30pm LUNCH		
1.00 - 6pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tour of Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education. 	

DEPARTURE BUS TIMES

To Airport

- 12 noon - best for 1.10pm Adelaide flight
- 12.30 pm - best for 1.55pm Brisbane flight
- 1.15pm - best for 2.20pm Perth flight

To Hilton

- 1.30pm