

# The Australian Women's Register

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Interview with Marian Sawer, political scientist, feminist and Associate Professor of Politics, University of Canberra, 1993- [sound recording / interviewer, Sara Dowse

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## Details

Sawer speaks of her upbringing in New Zealand, her parents' background, the family migrating to Australia in 1958 and her subsequent academic education, early married life, scholarly pursuits, the increasing involvement in the Women's Movement and gender politics, her appointment as Chair of the Political Science Program at the ANU's Research School of Social Sciences, current academic interests, her involvement in key feminist campaigns such as the enactment of sex discrimination legislation in the A.C.T.

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