Murray Goot Festschrift

Macquarie University, Sydney
Location: Campus Hub building (C10A), Level 3 function rooms

DRAFT PROGRAM

Day 1: Monday 1 December 2014

9.15–9.45am  Arrivals with morning tea

9.45–10.00am  Welcome and Reflections
Bridget Griffen-Foley and Sean Scalmer

10.00am–12.15pm  Public Opinion
Terry Beed, ‘Researching and Indexing the Public Opinion Polls’
James A. Gillespie, ‘Parties, politics and the persistence of conflict in Australian health policy’
David Peetz, Georgina Murray and Olav Muurlink, ‘Why are the opinions of Australian and American conservatives so unusual on climate change?’

12:15–1:15pm  Lunch

1.15–3.30pm  The Media
Judith Brett, ‘Alfred Deakin, Political Oratory and Public Opinion’
Sandey Fitzgerald, ‘The Presentation of Political Spectatorship through Talkback Radio’
Rodney Tiffen, ‘The Evolution of Australian Newspaper Circulation and Ownership – From Punctuated Equilibrium to Threatened Species’

3.30–4.00pm  Afternoon tea

4.00–5.30pm  Living Feminism
Deborah Brennan
Elizabeth Reid
Louise Chappell

7:00pm Dinner: Peter Spearritt, Guest Speaker
Exchange Hotel, cnr Beattie and Mullins Streets
Balmain - $60 - 3 Courses

Day 2: Tuesday 2 December 2014

9.30–10.00am  Arrivals with morning tea

10.00am  Voting Behaviour
Tim Rowse and Elizabeth Watt, ‘Aboriginal opinion of the enfranchisement of Aborigines 1961’
Ian Marsh, ‘The corruption of voting behaviour: A survey of political institutions and voter choices’
Simon Jackman, ‘Pooling the polls over Australian election campaigns: 2007 to 2013’
Ian Watson, ‘Are the PUPs Pauline’s Progeny? Populism and political alienation among Australian voters’

1.00–2.00pm  Lunch

2.00–3.30pm  Publics and Audiences
Sean Scalmer, ‘Inventing the Electioneering Tour: A Comparative History’
Bridget Griffen-Foley, ‘Switched-on Audiences: A History of Australian Radio Listening’

3.30pm Response (Murray Goot)

4.30pm Drinks

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