

Finding Our Way in Different Realities

Process Work Community Conference

2 & 3 September, 2022

Hosted by Australia New Zealand Process Oriented Psychology

On the lands of the Yugambah language
people, Gold Coast

Conference Program



Community in a Conference

'The best thing about the conference was the networking time' is the most common feedback conference organisers from all sectors receive. Connections and community is one of the main reasons people attend conferences, so why not centre it?

Our aim for the conference program is to create space for connections to emerge between participants in spontaneous and synchronistic ways, coupled with keynote sessions grounded in themes of community and connection, at systemic and personal levels.

Experiential Keynote Sessions

Our keynote sessions are mini experiential workshops, not passive lectures. They include a mix of ideas and story, demonstrations of experiential processes, and participant pairs co-facilitating each other in experiential processes. Read about the keynotes [here](#).

Integration Time

We've included several formal integration sessions when the conference facilitation team will facilitate collective and individual integration processes based on the process emerging in the group.

We know that cramming 'content' into a conference doesn't necessarily mean more learning. A combination of new ideas and new experiences, coupled with structured and unstructured time for integration is required for transformative learning.

Long Lunch Breaks

We've designed a long, two-hour, do-your-own-thing lunch break to enable participants time and a change of scene (if you want it) to process the morning and connect with self and others, as you feel called, and maybe fit in a walk, swim, nap or other regenerative activity.

You can bring your own lunch and eat at the venue if you like. Alternatively, you can eat at one of the many cafés within walking distance of the venue.

For those who don't know anyone at the conference but would love to connect over lunch, we'll be hosting an *I-don't-know-anyone-yet* lunch group on Day 1 to go out to lunch together.

Conference Schedule

Day 1 – Friday 2nd September

9.30 – 10am	Registration and getting settled
10 – 10.30am	Acknowledgement of Country Welcoming In
10.30am – 1pm	Keynote Session 1 – I Heard the Ancestors Call My Name: Non-Consensus Reality Down Under in the Great South Land <i>with Colleen Clarke</i>
1 – 3pm	Lunch Break
3 – 5.30pm	Keynote Session 2 – Unpacking the Dynamics and Impacts of Structural Discrimination <i>with Errol Amerasekera</i>
5.30 – 6pm	Facilitated Integration Session
6.30pm till late	Dinner and graduation celebration

Day 2 – Saturday 3rd September

9.30 – 10am	Cuppas and chats
10 – 10.30am	Welcoming back and regrouping the field
10.30am – 1pm	Keynote Session 3 - Walking Across Worlds: Reality, Rationality and the Radicalised Other <i>with Liz Scarfe</i>
1 – 3pm	Lunch Break
3 – 4.30pm	Facilitated Integration Session
4.30 – 5pm	Farewelling

Venue Details

The conference is at the Southern Cross University Gold Coast Campus, adjacent to the Gold Coast airport and 400 meters from the beach! You can find out more about the campus and download a campus map [here](#).

Details of the conference building and room numbers will be sent to registrants prior to the conference.

The venue is on the lands of the Yugambah language people. Please read more about the traditional families of the Yugambah region here: yugembah.com

Conference Accessibility

The venue confirms it is accessible to people using wheelchairs, through the provision of lifts, disabled parking, and accessible toilets.

There is a non-gendered disabled bathroom and two gendered bathrooms. We have negotiated with the venue to temporarily change the signage on one of the gendered bathrooms to label it non-gendered, and we will provide standNP devices in all cubicles of all toilets.

All printed materials will be in large print and any electronic presentations will be emailed to participants several days ahead of the conference.

Accessibility needs are of course diverse, so please use the accessibility section on the registration form to let us know if there are additional things we can do or confirm to make the event more accessible to you, or contact us to confirm requirements prior to registering via admin@anzpop.org.

Morning and Afternoon Tea

We will provide morning and afternoon tea that caters to vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, and low FODMAP diets.

Need to know more?

Check out the [conference page](#) or get in touch with us via email admin@anzpop.org or via the contact form at anzpop.org/contact.