

2008 HUNTER MEANS INNOVATION FESTIVAL

Free events presented by the University of Newcastle



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All of the following events are free and open to the general public.
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CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: THE AUSTRALIAN CONTEXT

Public lecture

VENUE Hunter Room, Newcastle City Hall, Newcastle

DATE Monday 5 May 2008

TIME 5pm for 5.30pm start until 7pm

This lecture, to be presented by Associate Professor Jim Psaros, Faculty of Business and Law, will examine fundamental issues of corporate governance in an Australian context. In particular it focusses on the value adding nature of corporate governance.

TAKING IT TO THE STREETS: THE TWO WAY BENEFITS OF UNIVERSITY SERVICE TO FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES

Presentation

VENUE Hunter Room, Newcastle City Hall, Newcastle

DATE Wednesday 7 May 2008

TIME 5.30pm until 7pm

This event showcases the benefits of University provision of services for families and communities – in essence the mutual learning that accrues from taking academia to the streets via the work of the Family Action and Special Education Centres.

BACK TO THE CITY : ART IN THE URBAN CONTEXT

Public lecture

VENUE Harold Lobb Concert Hall, The University of Newcastle Conservatorium of Music, Corner of Auckland and Laman Streets, Newcastle

DATE Thursday 8 May 2008

TIME 5.30pm for 6pm start until 7.30pm

Professor Steffen Lehmann, School of Architecture and Built Environment, will speak about the Back to the City project, an initiative about art in the urban context and the revitalisation of public space in the historical city centre.

FROM PATENT TO PRODUCT

Public seminar by Newcastle Innovation and HMRI

VENUE Department of State & Regional Development, Level 3, 251 Wharf Road, Newcastle

DATE Friday 9 May 2008

TIME 11.30am for 12pm start until 5pm

The symposium is focused on the commercialisation of biomedical products and the practical aspects of funding all phases of the commercialisation of medical research. The symposium is targeted at medical researchers wishing to gain knowledge of the commercialisation process and an understanding of funding sources as well as those interested in investing in biomedical research.

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NEW IDEAS IN ARTS AND HEALTH

Public Lecture (Panel Discussion)

VENUE Harold Lobb Concert Hall, The University of Newcastle Conservatorium of Music, Corner of Auckland and Laman Streets, Newcastle

DATE Saturday 10 May 2008

TIME 12.30pm for 1pm start until 2.30pm

The ArtsHealth Centre for Research and Practice is a recent initiative of the University of Newcastle established to undertake collaborative research that examines the interface between the humanities and creative arts and medicine and health. A panel of speakers from ArtsHealth will provide a fascinating snapshot of how the creative arts and humanities are contributing to healthier communities in the Hunter region.

INNOVATION AND THE TERTIARY ARTS TRAINING CONTEXT

Public Lecture

VENUE Harold Lobb Concert Hall, The University of Newcastle Conservatorium of Music, Corner of Auckland and Laman Streets, Newcastle

DATE Saturday 10 May 2008

TIME 2.30pm to 4pm

Professor Richard Vella, Head of the School of Drama, Fine Arts and Music, presents ways tertiary arts education can engage with the knowledge economy, innovation policy, emerging technologies and entrepreneurialism while at the same time, develop skills in artistic practice.

THE FUTURE OF SEX: REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGIES AND THEIR ROLE IN OUR FUTURE

Public Lecture

VENUE Hunter Room, Newcastle City Hall, Newcastle

DATE Monday 12 May 2008

TIME 5.30pm for 6pm start until 7.30pm

Laureate Professor of Biological Sciences, John Aitken, will present a lecture addressing our growing reliance on assisted reproductive technologies (ART) and the possibility that this trend may herald a major public health dilemma.

ENERGY EXCHANGE

Exhibition with Newcastle Innovation

VENUE The Camelot Function Room, Level 2, Eastern Grandstand, Energy Australia Stadium, Turton Road, New Lambton

DATE Tuesday 13 May 2008

TIME 9.30am to 11.30am

The Energy Exchange showcases the University of Newcastle's innovative technologies and research in energy generation to industry. Businesses will have the opportunity to engage with leading researchers in the field.

INNOVATIONS IN NURSING: MEET THE RESEARCHER

Cocktail Event

VENUE Connell Wagner Building, Advanced Technology Centre, Ring Road, University of Newcastle

DATE Thursday 15 May 2008

TIME 5.30pm to 7pm

The School of Nursing and Midwifery along with its partners is developing a strong and vibrant research culture. At this event there will be an opportunity to meet the researchers from the School and the opportunity to discuss their innovative projects.

We hope you will join us and look forward to seeing you during the Festival!



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