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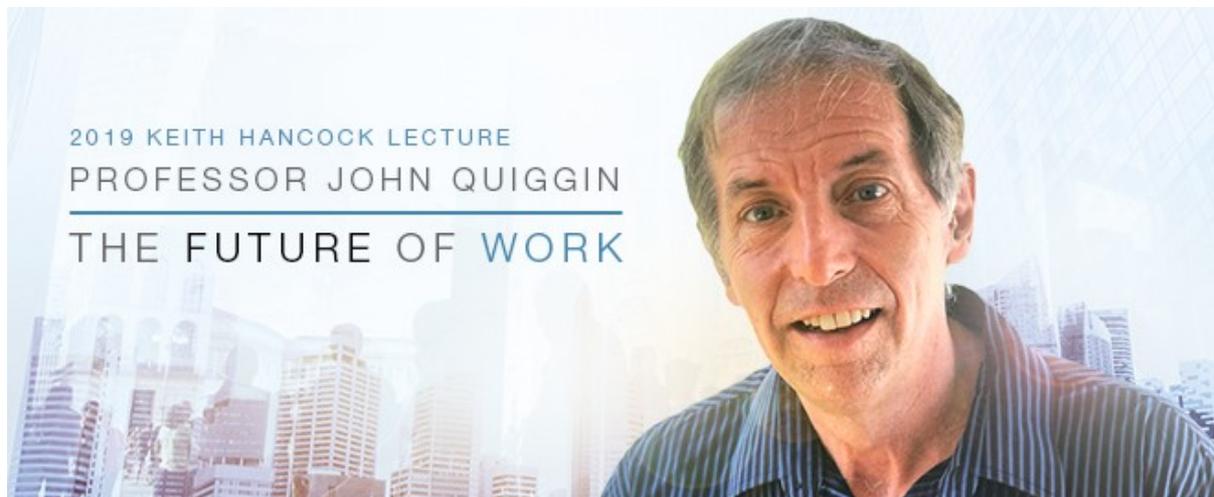
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Welcome to the ASSA monthly Newsletter

Each month we'll be sending out an update to keep you in the loop with news from the Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia. If you miss a newsletter or would like to catch up on some of the past editions you can find them all on the ASSA website [here](#).

Keith Hancock Lecture Series



The second lecture of the 2019 Keith Hancock Lecture series will be delivered by professor John Quiggin on **22 May** and hosted by the University of Queensland's Faculty of Business, Economics and Law. The first lecture in this series was delivered in conjunction with the Australian National University's College of Business and Economics and provided a fascinating insight into industrial relations trends and

and Economics and provided a fascinating insight into industrial relations trends and the future of work. Invitations for the UQ lecture will be sent out soon but you can preregister your interest by emailing [here](#).

Upcoming Events

Increasing your academic visibility - Professor [Debora Lupton](#) FASSA will be hosting a workshop on May 7 outlining key strategies for getting your research known among diverse publics, including beyond the academy. Click [here](#) for more information or if you can't make it on the day have a look at Professor Lupton's blog [10 Tips for Increasing Academic Visibility](#).

Innovate Rights: New Thinking on Business and Human Rights 2019 - May 14-16 the [Australian Human Rights Institute](#) is bringing together local and global leaders from business, civil society, government and academia to explore innovations in business and policy, and practical solutions to rights challenges that industry is facing. This event will be chaired by the wonderful FASSA Professor [Louise Chappell](#) and includes host of [fantastic speakers](#). Click [here](#) for more information.

Federal Election 2019: Big ideas for Australia's next government - In this *Policy Pitch* event at State Library Victoria on April 17, experts from the [Grattan Institute](#) will consider the big policy questions in their field and nominate the choices that would really make a difference to Australia's future. Click [here](#) for more information.

Solving the Climate and Health Crisis - The ANU School of Regulation and Global Governance (RegNet) and the ANU Climate Change Institute (CCI) are joining forces to host this half day symposium to tackle the current climate and health crisis. Led by FASSA Professor [Sharon Friel](#) (Director, RegNet), the symposium will bring together experts from academia, civil society and government, with a focus on public health, climate science, regulatory governance, and public policy. Click [here](#) for more details.

The 2019 Australian Women's Leadership Symposiums - This national series of events is focused on the experiences of women leaders in the contemporary workforce. Held annually, in every state and territory, the Symposiums have been running for over ten years and have become the most highly attended women's leadership events in the country. Click [here](#) for more details

TOP 5 ABC Radio





APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

Applications are now open for outstanding PhD-qualified early career researchers who are working at Australian universities and research organisations in the HASS disciplines.

Following this national call out, applicants will be shortlisted for interview by a panel of judges. The final Top 5 will undertake a two-week media residency in late September/early October at the ABC in Sydney.

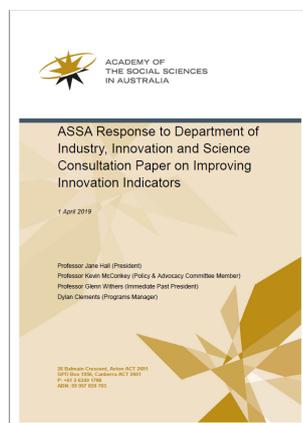
To apply, complete the short online application form using the link below.

Applications close Wednesday 1 May 2019 (midnight AEST).

Policy and Advocacy

The Policy and Advocacy Committee monitors various inquiries and calls for submission, and in consultation with Fellows, contributes where it believes it can add a meaningful voice and advance the standing of the Social Sciences.

Academy Response to to Department of Industry, Innovation and Science Consultation Paper on Improving Innovation Indicators



This submission recommends to the Taskforce a more explicit recognition of and action toward the development of a complete set of metrics that quantify the full public value of innovation in all its forms. The Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia would be pleased to assist with this necessary recognition and action.

Fellows, did you know....

The Australian Research Council is looking for Assessors. As an ARC assessor, you will have the chance to familiarise yourself with new cutting edge research, in confidence, within

your field of expertise. You will have the opportunity to see the breadth and depth of what the best researchers in the country are working on and become familiar with their research agendas and scholarly priorities. Additionally, the process provides unequalled opportunity to strengthen your own future ARC Applications by exposing you to grant writing examples, and providing an in-depth understanding of the ARC peer review process. Click [here](#) for more information.

Accounting Hall of Fame



Prof Wai Fong Chua

Prof Roger Simnet

Congratulations to Professor Wai Fong Chua and Professor Roger Simnet who were recently inducted into the Australian Accounting Hall of Fame. The Australian Accounting Hall of Fame award recognises individuals who are making or have made a significant contribution to the advancement of accounting in Australia. You can read more about the 2019 inductees [here](#).

Symposium

A reminder that the ASSA Annual Events for 2019 will be held from 11 to 13 November with this year's Symposium hosted by the National Library of Australia so save that date!



Fellows, did you know...

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