



ACT Churchill Fellows' Association

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2015 Events Diary

September

13-20th Floriade
Inspiration Hub Marquee
10am – 4pm (see schedule on page 4)

14th Churchill Fellows Annual Dinner
(Invitations to be sent out soon!)
The Commonwealth Club
6.30pm drinks for 7pm seating

October

9-11th Churchill Trust '50th Anniversary' National Convention
The Menzies, Sydney

December

4th Drinks on the House
Churchill House





Congratulations

This year 109 remarkable Australians received Churchill Fellowships – 9 from the ACT were awarded this prestigious honour in the 50th anniversary year. The ACT is certainly well represented and as in previous years, includes a diverse range of interesting projects. We look forward to hearing more from the recipients at the Annual Dinner this year.

Ms Jessica Aulich

The ACT Government Audrey Fagan Churchill Fellowship to examine models for addressing domestic violence which can inform Australian policy
- Austria, USA

Dr Anita Collins

The Barbara Matthews Churchill Fellowship to explore research collaborations between music education programs and neuroscience laboratories
- USA, Canada

Dr David Connery

The Donald Mackay Churchill Fellowship to enhance information sharing between law enforcement, business and community about organised crime
- USA, Canada, UK, France, Netherlands, Israel

Mr Brook Dixon

To accelerate the creation, connection and application of digital city infrastructure
- Hong Kong, China, South Korea, Spain, Denmark, Sweden, USA, Peru

Ms Andrea Ho

To investigate practical strategies for improving cultural diversity in Australian media
- UK, Sweden

Dr Trevor Rapson

To engineer nitric oxide breath sensors to assist in the diagnosis and management of asthma
- UK, USA

Mr Alasdair Roy

To examine the characteristics of successful child safe/child friendly policy and practice
- Iceland, Norway, Sweden

Mr Nic Stuart

The NRMA-ACT Road Safety Trust Churchill Fellowship to investigate the treatment of head injuries specifically concentrating on ways of reintegrating people into the local community
- Thailand, Germany, Netherlands, UK, USA

Ms Helen Willetts

To investigate the use of structured assessment tools in family law matters
- UK, USA



Floriade

The National Convention is being organised in partnership with the Churchill Fellows' Association of NSW.

In 2015, the theme of 'Remembrance' will be a focus of the Floriade event in the nation's capital, Canberra. To reflect this theme, and the weekly theme of 'Story', the **ACT Churchill Fellows' Association**, will conduct a series of talks exploring the work of Fellows over the years.

The Association has been allocated a speakers marquee at Floriade in the centre of the event, from Sunday 13 September through to Sunday 20 September (see schedule below).

Our intention is to conduct a series of six presentations each day, focusing on stories that connect people to the theme of 'Remembrance' and which will also help to promote local attractions and institutions.



Presentations will include an audio-visual component and some will also include live performances. In periods between the presentations, a slide show of images depicting the work of various Fellows will be screened, and the marquee will feature an information desk that will be manned by Fellows who will be offering advice to the public on the work of the Churchill Trust and the opportunity to apply for a Churchill Fellowship.

We have gathered an interesting mix of speakers who will be both informative and entertaining.

If you are visiting Floriade this year, make sure you come in the week of 13-20 September and drop by the Churchill Fellows Speaker's marquee.

Courtney Page-Allen will be speaking at the final presentation at 3pm on Sunday the 20th September and for those fellows, families and friends visiting on this day, we will meander to one of the venues for a coffee afterwards and would love for you to join us.



This Convention is being organised in partnership with the

Churchill Fellows
Association of NSW

The Winston Churchill Memorial Trust

NATIONAL CONVENTION OF CHURCHILL FELLOWS

SYDNEY 9-11 OCTOBER 2015

Celebrating 50 years

An exciting weekend of activities is planned in Sydney including an industry showcase event and evening welcome reception on Friday.

Saturday will offer demonstrations, workshops and walking tours and will conclude with a special book launch at the official Convention Dinner.

Enjoy a breakfast cruise on stunning Sydney Harbour and a visit to Taronga Zoo on Sunday!



Join us in Sydney to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of The Winston Churchill Memorial Trust.

This **50th Anniversary National Convention** is a special occasion for Churchill Fellows and those people closely connected with the Churchill Trust to come together and share insights and achievements as well as find new ways to collaborate.

It will also be a time to remember, with admiration and gratitude, Sir Winston Churchill, the great world leader, in whose memory the Churchill Trust was established.

Fellows interested in leading or contributing to program activities should contact the NSW Churchill Fellows' Association as soon as possible by email to secretary@churchillfellowsnsw.org.au

Please visit our national website regularly for updates and registration advice in the lead up to this event.

We hope you can join us for this special celebration!

For more details please visit churchilltrust.com.au/events



Floriade – Schedule as of July 2015

Churchill Trust and Fellows in the
Inspiration Hub Marquee

	Sat 12	Sun 13	M 14	Tues 15	Wed 16	Thu 17	Fri 18	Sat 19	Sun 20
10am	Paul Tys	Paul Tys	/	Bill Caddey	Bill Caddey	Bill Caddey	Bill Caddey	David Crotty	Bill Caddey
11am	Courtney Page-Allen	June Liu	/	Dax Liniere	Courtney Page-Allen	David Crotty	David Crotty	/	/
12 noon	Siwan Lovett	David Pang	/	David Pang	Siwan Lovett	Alan Howes	Courtney Page-Allen	/	/
1pm	Bill Caddey	Amber Beavis	/	Anita Collins	Brook Dixon	Joy Cocker	Nic Stuart	/	/
2pm	Siwan Lovett	Rowan Harvey-Martin	/	Courtney Page-Allen	Siwan Lovett	David Crotty	David Crotty	Leilani Bin-Juda	Rowan Harvey-Martin
3pm	Ante Dabro	David Pang	/	David Pang	Dax Liniere	Dax Liniere	Tony Peacock	Courtney Page-Allen	Courtney Page-Allen



Celebrating 50 years – The Convention

The National Convention is being organised in partnership with the Churchill Fellows' Association of NSW – come along to support local fellows like Dax and Brian who will present at the display.



The **50th Anniversary National Convention of Churchill Fellows** is a special occasion for Churchill Fellows and those people closely connected with the Churchill Trust to come together and celebrate this significant milestone.

The Convention provides a unique opportunity for Fellows to present their Fellowship work, sharing knowledge and insights with their peers to reveal new ways of contributing, collaborating and innovating in their field of expertise.

This special 50th Anniversary Convention will also be a time to remember, with admiration and gratitude, Sir Winston Churchill, the great world leader, in whose memory the Churchill Trust was established.

An exciting weekend of activities is planned in Sydney from Friday 9th to Sunday 11th October 2015.

Feature Events

Friday 9th October

- A **50th Anniversary Public Media Event** at Parliament House, showcasing the Churchill Fellowship journey to engage and encourage attendees from the wider community, including key representatives from Australian Industry, to embrace and share the Churchill Fellowship opportunity throughout their networks. *Fellows are invited to register for the Convention at Parliament House over a light lunch from 12.30pm and attend this event from 2-4pm. Following the formalities, attendees will have the opportunity to talk with Fellows, over afternoon canapés.*
- The official **Welcome Reception** will be held from 6pm until 8pm and will feature a concert performed by a number of Fellows whose Fellowships researched musicianship and performance.

Saturday 10th October

- **Fellow-led demonstrations, displays and workshops** will be held at the Old Sydney Mint from 8.30am through to 2.30pm. *Fellows are invited to submit proposals for presentations.* You can also take part in a variety of Fellow-led walking tours held concurrently in different city locations. A special interactive Emergency Services display will be held by Fellows at the NSW Fire and Rescue Training College from 3-5pm.
- The official **Convention Dinner** will be held in the Strangers' Dining Room at Parliament House from 6.30pm. Evening activities will include the launch of a new book celebrating the 50 year history of the Churchill Trust.

Sunday 11th October

- Enjoy a **breakfast cruise aboard the Olympic Storm** from 8.30am on stunning Sydney Harbour with commentary from Fellows with a particular interest in the maritime history of Sydney, its monuments and other associated topics.
- The breakfast cruise will disembark at **Taronga Zoo** from 11am for the Bird Show and hosted keeper displays. Enjoy a free afternoon sightseeing; stay on at the Zoo or tour the Harbour, Circular Quay, the City and the Rocks.
- Attend a traditional **Anglican Evensong service** from 6.30pm to be held in honour of Sir Winston Churchill at Christ Church St Laurence involving Fellows in the Ministry.



Membership – 2015/2016 fees due now!

A Churchill Fellowship is for Life!

All Churchill Fellows are welcome to join the ACT Churchill Fellows' Association for the modest annual fee of \$20 per year.

The local ACT Churchill Fellows Association has been established to provide opportunities for returned Fellows to meet socially and exchange ideas and learning from our fellowships.

Each year the ACT CFA coordinates four events to bring Fellows together:

- ▶ Our Annual Dinner
- ▶ Churchill Chat Information Nights
- ▶ Christmas Drinks on the House

We also produce newsletters to keep Fellows updated on local Churchill Trust happenings.

Each year we encourage Fellows to update their contact details and pay annual membership of \$20 to enable the CFA to keep you informed and active in the Churchill network.

You can pay by sending a money order or cheque for \$20 to the 'ACT Churchill Fellows Association' and sending it along with your updated contact details (including email) to:

The Secretary
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PO Box 226, Woden ACT 2606, Australia
or email secretary@churchillfellowsact.org.au

or Direct Bank transfer (preferred option)
Account Name ACT Churchill Fellows Association Inc
BSB 112-908 (St George Bank)
Account # 065347283
YOUR NAME NEEDS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PAYMENT DESCRIPTION and email secretary@churchillfellowsact.org.au with contact details

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