

Monash Asia Institute Research Day 2018

Teaching and Learning about “Asia” in Australia



12:15-16:00, 27 April Friday

S901/902, Building S, Monash Caulfield campus

In 2019, a new major “Global Asia” will be commencing in the Bachelor of Arts at Monash University. This seminar will take this opportunity to discuss what and how we teach and learn about “Asia” in a globalised world. After informal talk over luncheon, the seminar will start with the introduction of the “Global Asia” major, followed by comments on the curriculum and wider issues regarding the study of Asia. Key issues to be discussed will include a) responding to student interests; b) content vs method vs skills; c) collaboration with Malaysian campus; d) postgraduate study of “Asia”; e) university and “Asia literacy/capability” cultivation in Australian schools and society.

Speakers

Beatrice Trefalt	Deputy Head (Education) of School of Languages, Literatures, Cultures and Linguistics
Gloria Davies	School of Languages, Literatures, Cultures and Linguistics
Hongzhi Zhang	Faculty of Education
Anubha Sarkar	PhD student, School of Film, Media and Journalism
Mridula Chakraborty	Monash Asia Institute

Program

1215-1300	Informal talk over luncheon
1300-1420	Session 1: “Global Asia” major program
1440-1600	Session 2: Towards innovative learning about “Asia” in a globalised world

Please RSVP no later than 23 April for catering purposes to MAI-Enquiry@monash.edu.