# I invite you

to register for a major conference on constitutional law to be held in Sydney on Friday 18 February 2011 at the Art Gallery of New South Wales. The conference dinner will be held at New South Wales Parliament House and will be hosted by New South Wales Attorney-General, the Hon John Hatzistergos. Participants at this event will be updated on recent important developments in the High Court, Federal Court and State Courts and will gain an understanding of the issues that will emerge in 2011 and beyond. The conference will be addressed by leading practitioners, government lawyers, academics and judges.

This event has been organised by the Gilbert + Tobin Centre of Public Law at the Faculty of Law, University of New South Wales, with the generous support of the Australian Association of Constitutional Law. For more information on the Centre and about this event see www.gtcentre.unsw.edu.au.

I hope to see you in Sydney on Friday 18 February 2011.

Professor Theunis Roux **Acting Director Gilbert + Tobin Centre of Public Law** 





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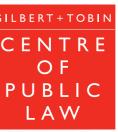
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CONFERENCE AND DINNER FRIDAY, 18 FEBRUARY 2011 DOMAIN THEATRE, ART GALLERY OF NEW SOUTH WALES FOLLOWED BY DINNER AT NEW SOUTH WALES PARLIAMENT HOUSE





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#### 2011 CONSTITUTIONAL LAW CONFERENCE

#### **PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY 18 FEBRUARY 2011**

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8.30 am	Registration and	coffee	2011 Constitu
9.00 am	Session One:	The Courts on Constitutional Law: The 2010 Term	
	Speakers:	Debbie Mortimer SC, Victorian Bar	Dogict
		The High Court on Constitutional Law: The 2010 Term	Regist
		The Hon Justice Nye Perram, Federal Court of Australia	
		The Federal and State Courts on Constitutional Law: The 2010 Term	ABN 57 195 873 179
	Chair:	Associate Professor Andrew Lynch, UNSW, who will also present statistics on the 2010 term of the High Court	REGISTRATION FEE
10.30 am	Morning tea		CONFERENCE AND DINNER
11.00 am	Session Two:	Recent Cases	CONFERENCE ONLY
	Speakers:	The Hon Justice <b>Rachel Pepper</b> , Land & Environment Court of New South Wales	DINNER ONLY
		The Constitutionalisation of Water Rights	REGISTRATION AND PAYM
		Assistant Professor <b>Sarah Murray</b> , University of Western Australia	www.gtcentre
		The Getup of Rowe v Electoral Commissioner	Payment forms ac
		Associate Professor Jeremy Gans, University of Melbourne	VISA, MASTERCARD, MON
		Concurrent Criminal Offences after Dickson v The Queen	
	Chair: South Wales	The Hon Justice Peter McClellan, Supreme Court of New	PAYMENT INSTRUCTIO
12.30 pm	Lunch		- REGISTRATION ENQUI
1.30 pm	Session Three:	Current Constitutional Questions	MS BELINDA MCDONALD
	Speakers:	Professor <b>ATH Smith</b> , Victoria University of Wellington	GILBERT + TOBIN CENTRE
		Governing without a Majority: The Constitutional	TELEPHONE: (02) 9385 22
		Implications of Coalitions	EMAIL: gtcentre@un
		Professor <b>AJ Brown</b> , Griffith University	
		What's It Going to Take? Convincing Australians to Vote	
		'Yes' to Constitutional Reform during the 43 <sup>rd</sup> Parliament	<b>REGISTRATION CLOSES</b>
		Associate Professor <b>Anne Twomey</b> , University of Sydney	NO REFUNDS CAN BE I
		Section 15 of the Australia Acts 1986 and the Amendment of Australia's Fundamental Constitutional Documents	
	Chair:	The Hon Justice <b>Mary Finn</b> , Family Court of Australia	CPD for NSW legal
3.00 pm	Afternoon tea		- If this conference is re
3.30 pm	Session Four:	The Executive	<ul> <li>your professional deve</li> </ul>
	Speakers:	Associate Professor <b>Peter Gerangelos</b> , University of Sydney	"point" for each hour Comparable accreditat
		The Winterton Thesis, Post-Referendum Reflections, and	professional associatio
		Reform (Republic or Not)	professional associatio
		Professor Simon Evans, University of Melbourne	
		Executive Power in a Federal and Democratic Constitution: The Past, Present and Future of the Prerogative	
		The Hon Duncan Kerr QC, Tasmanian Bar	
		Executive Power and the Theory of its Limits: Still Evolving or Finally Settled?	
	Chair:	Professor Mark Aronson, University of New South Wales	_
5.00 pm		Conference close	_
7:00 pm fo	r 7:30 pm	<b>DINNER</b> Strangers Dining Room, New South Wales Parliament House, Macquarie Street, Sydney	
		Hosted by the Hon <b>John Hatzistergos</b> , NSW Attorney-General	
	Speaker:	The Hon <b>Justice Patrick Keane</b> , Chief Justice of the Federal Court of Australia	_

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