



PUBLIC LAW IN THE CLASSROOM 2016: A WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS OF AUSTRALIAN PUBLIC LAW

PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY 11 FEBRUARY 2016

11.00am Welcome, Acknowledgment of Country and Introduction
Gabrielle Appleby, UNSW and Sean Brennan, UNSW

11.10am **Session 1: The Politics of Teaching Public Law**
Chair: Professor George Williams AO, UNSW.
Venue: Theatre G02, UNSW Law Building

Keynote:
Associate Professor Dan Meagher, Deakin University

Panel:
Professor Megan Davis, UNSW
Professor Kath Gelber, University of Queensland
Professor John McMillan AO, NSW Ombudsman
Associate Professor Matthew Zagor, ANU

12.30pm **Lunch – Law School Common Room, Level 2**

1.15pm **Session 2: Tools and Techniques**
Chair: Dr Adam Webster, University of Adelaide
Venue: Theatre G02, UNSW Law Building

Short Presentations of Selected Posters:
Integrating Statutory Interpretation into Administrative Law Teaching
Dr Judith Bannister and Dr Anna Olijnyk, University of Adelaide

Multiple Choice Questions in a Constitutional Law Exam
Mr Luke Beck, Western Sydney University

Constitutional Law in the Cloud

Mr Peter Black, QUT

Developing Critical Thinking Skills in Secondary Legal Studies Students –
how using the Rule of Law Pyramid assists students to analyse and evaluate
current legal issues

Mr Nick Clark and Ms Jackie Charles, Rule of Law Institute of Australia

Creating Cohesion: Mini-Moots & Administrative Law

Dr Niamh Kinchin, University of Wollongong

A Thematic Approach to Teaching Administrative Law

Associate Professor Rick Snell, University of Tasmania

2.15pm

Poster Session and Afternoon Tea - Law School Common Room

3.00pm

Session 3: Critical Thinking Through Theory and Rereading

Venue: Theatre G02, UNSW Law Building

Associate Professor Gabrielle Appleby, UNSW

Professor Rosalind Dixon, UNSW

Presenters from *Constitutional Critical Thinking: Re-Reading Monis v The Queen* (forthcoming, Federation Press):

Assoc Professor Gabrielle Appleby (UNSW) & Dr Heather Roberts (ANU)

Professor Denise Meyerson (Macquarie)

Professor Kath Gelber (UQ)

Ms Melanie Schwartz (UNSW) & Dr Anna Olijnyk (Adelaide)

4.00pm

Workshop Close

Alex Reilly, University of Adelaide