

13th ONE-DAY POSTGRAD COURSE IN
CURRENT ECOLOGY & EVOLUTION
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE
Sunday 25 November, 2018, Queensland Uni of Technology

In association with ESA2018 annual conference

Time	Speaker	Subject
8:30		<i>Registration open</i>
9:00	Adrienne Nicotra (ANU)	Opening remarks
9:10	Libby Robin (ANU)	Australian Ecology and the rest of the world - a history -
9:40	Libby Robin & Mark Westoby (Macquarie)	Talking history and historians
10:00	<i>Focus group 1: Getting on top of the literature: past and present</i>	
10:35	Morning tea	
11:10	<i>Focus groups report back</i>	
11:35	Linda Beaumont (Macquarie)	Models, models everywhere but where are the species?
11:50	Mike Kearney (U of Melbourne)	Theory and big data need each other: a metabolic case study
12:05	Lee Rollins (UNSW)	The latest in ecological (epi)genetics
12:25	Justine Shaw (UQ/ AAD)	Invasion ecology and sub-Antarctic islands
12:30	Lunch	
1:00	<i>Speakers in the spotlight: navigating a research career</i>	
1:40	Inka Veltheim	<i>On Nathan et al. 2008: A movement ecology paradigm</i>
1:50	Claudia Crowther	<i>On Richards et al 2017: Ecological plant epigenetics – the way forward</i>
2:00	Pia Lentini (U of Melbourne)	Threatened species and the city
2:15	Hamish McCallum (Griffith U)	Disease ecology to die for
2:30	Ricky Spencer (WSU)	Making Citizen Science work for you....& Society
2:45	<i>Focus group 2: Getting ecology into the community (intro by Libby Robin)</i>	
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3:30	Afternoon tea	
3:40	<i>Focus groups report back</i>	
4:05	All speakers	Panel discussion
4:25	Susanna Venn (Deakin)	Concluding remarks
4:30	On to registration and mixer for ESA2017	

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