

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Thursday 15th May 2008		Friday 16th May 2008							
8.30-9.15am	Registration/Coffee and Tea on Arrival	8.30 - 9.15am	Registration/Coffee and Tea on Arrival						
9.15-9.45am	PLENARY SESSION Welcome to Country: Aunty Joy Murphy Wandin Welcome Speech: Anne-Marie Schwirtlich, CEO and State Librarian, State Library of Victoria Opening Speech: George Lekakis, Chairperson, Victorian Multicultural Commission	9.15-10.15am	PLENARY SESSION Assoc. Prof. Robert Debski, University of Melbourne <i>From Broadcasting to Participation Media: Minority Language Transmission and Teaching</i>						
9.45-10.30am	KEYNOTE SPEECH - Prof. Jo Lo Bianco, University of Melbourne <i>New Times, World Kids, Third Space: ICT, Multiliteracies and Multilingualism</i>	10.15-11.15am	Paul L. Hover, Assistant Professor & Cataloging Librarian, Newman Library, Virginia Tech & Jun Lu, the American University, USA <i>Multicultural Information Dynamics: The Internet and the End of Lingua Franca Illiteracy</i>						
10.30-11.00am	MORNING TEA	11.15-11.45am	MORNING TEA						
11.00-12.00am	PLENARY SESSION - Richard Ishida, W3C, United Kingdom - Web Internationalization	11.45-12.15pm	Helen Borland & Dr Charles Mphande, Victoria University - <i>Communicating with Victoria's Emerging African Language Communities: Issues and Responses</i>						
12.00-12.30pm	Andrew Cunningham, State Library of Victoria, Don Osborn, Bisharat, USA & Wunna Ko Ko, AWZAR & NLP, Myanmar - <i>Language Enablement</i>	12.15-1.00pm	Andrew Cunningham, State Library of Victoria & Rika Shimo-Malmberg, Monash University- <i>Monash University Translation and Technology Project</i>						
12.30-1.30pm	LUNCH	1.00-2.00pm	LUNCH						
1.30-2.15pm	PLENARY SESSION - Prof. Tony Liddicoat, University of South Australia <i>The Internet as a Multilingual Space: Linguistic Diversity and the Democratisation of Communication</i>	2.00-3.00pm	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">CONCURRENT SESSION 1:</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">CONCURRENT SESSION 2:</td> </tr> <tr> <td> Terry Taylor, Ansam Sadik & Caleb Thang Luah Khai Haunung, AMES <i>Digital Stories: connecting to communities in L1</i> (30 min) </td> <td> Julie Louise Duncan & Jacqueline Louise Baer Open High School, NSW <i>Engaging the Language Learner in a Multicultural World</i> (30 min) </td> </tr> <tr> <td> Tom Denison & Graeme Johanson, Monash University <i>Maintaining Social Networks: the use of ICTs by Chinese and Italian Migrants in Melbourne</i> (30 min) </td> <td> Jaclyn Curnow, Mill Park Secondary College <i>eLearning Resources to Engage Language Learners</i> (30 min) </td> </tr> </table>	CONCURRENT SESSION 1:	CONCURRENT SESSION 2:	Terry Taylor, Ansam Sadik & Caleb Thang Luah Khai Haunung, AMES <i>Digital Stories: connecting to communities in L1</i> (30 min)	Julie Louise Duncan & Jacqueline Louise Baer Open High School, NSW <i>Engaging the Language Learner in a Multicultural World</i> (30 min)	Tom Denison & Graeme Johanson, Monash University <i>Maintaining Social Networks: the use of ICTs by Chinese and Italian Migrants in Melbourne</i> (30 min)	Jaclyn Curnow, Mill Park Secondary College <i>eLearning Resources to Engage Language Learners</i> (30 min)
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3.15-3.35	AFTERNOON TEA	3.30-4.45pm	CASE STUDIES - Reaching CALD and Aboriginal Communities: Showcasing ICT & Multimedia Projects Facilitated by Maria Dimopoulos						
3.35-4.05	Brendan Fitzgerald, State Library of Victoria - <i>MyLanguage and Community Languages Online</i>	4.45-5.00pm	CLOSING REMARKS						
4.05-4.35	Daryn McKenny, Arwarbukarl Cultural Resource Association Inc., NSW - <i>Modern Ways for Ancient Words</i>	5.00pm	CONFERENCE CLOSE						
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