10th National Conference on Unemployment and 5th Path to Full Employment Conference
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All registrations, except the one day rates, include the Conference dinner.
☐ $325 early-bird rate (prior to 30 September 2003)
☐ $375 full rate
☐ $125 one day rate : select one  ☐ Wednesday  ☐ Thursday  ☐ Friday
☐ $180 concessional rate for full-time student / unemployed
☐ $80 conc. one day rate  ☐ Wednesday  ☐ Thursday  ☐ Friday

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10th NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON UNEMPLOYMENT
and
5th PATH TO FULL EMPLOYMENT CONFERENCE

10-12 December 2003

Shortland Union Building
University of Newcastle
Australia

Conference website:

hosted by
The Centre of Full Employment and Equity (CoFEE)
University of Newcastle
Australia
Welcome

This year is an anniversary year, marking the 5th year of CofFEE’s Path to Full Employment Conference and the 10th year of the National Conference on Unemployment.

Why is it that a national unemployment conference is necessary? What have we learned or not learned over the past 10 years that the National Conference on Unemployment has been held? How can policy be influenced? For the 2003 Conference, a number of broad themes relating to these issues have been identified:

1. welfare to work issues
2. macroeconomic policy and full employment
3. regional and environmental issues
4. long-term, youth and indigenous unemployment
5. the future of work
6. globalisation
7. policy responses to unemployment.

Two keynote speakers can already be announced.

- **Professor Barry Bluestone** is the Stearns Trustee Professor of Political Economy and director of the Center for Urban and Regional Policy, Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts. He has written widely in the areas of income distribution, business and industrial policy, labour-management relations and urban and regional economic development. He contributes regularly to academic, as well as popular journals, and is the author of nine books.

- **The Rev Tim Costello** is a leading voice on issues such as urban poverty, homelessness, problem gambling, unemployment and reconciliation. He is Minister at Collins St Baptist Church in the centre of Melbourne and the Director of Urban Seed, a Christian not-for-profit organisation created in response to concern about homelessness, drug abuse and the marginalisation of the city’s street people.

The Conference has attracted papers from Australia, the USA, Europe (Austria, France, Italy, Norway), South America (Argentina, Brazil) and Asia and the Pacific (India, New Zealand). Papers will be of interest to Australian and international academics, researchers, government officials, welfare groups and community organisations.

Venue

The Conference will be held in the Shortland Union Building at the University of Newcastle. Location and venue maps are available on the Conference website.

Transport and accommodation

Delegates should arrange their own transport and accommodation. For airline travel, special Conference discounts have been negotiated with Qantas. See the Conference website for travel and accommodation options.

Preliminary Program

**Wednesday 10th December**

9.00  Registration and Welcome
10.00  Keynote Session – Professor Barry Bluestone
11.00  Morning Tea
11.30  Contributed Papers
12.30  Lunch
13.30  Contributed Papers
15.00  Afternoon Tea
15.30  Contributed Papers
17.00  Close of Day One

**Thursday 11th December**

9.30  Contributed Papers
10.30  Morning Tea
11.00  Contributed Papers
12.30  Lunch
13.30  Keynote Session – Rev. Tim Costello
14.30  Workshops Session
15.00  Afternoon Tea
15.30  Contributed papers
17.00  Close of Day Two
18.30  Conference Dinner

**Friday 12th December**

9.30  Workshops Session
10.30  Morning Tea
11.00  Contributed Papers
12.30  Lunch
13.30  Contributed Papers
15.00  Afternoon Tea
15.30  Open Forum
16.15  Conference Close

It is planned that the Workshop Sessions cover the issues of regional development, macroeconomics and budget issues, and income and job guarantees. Full program details will be made available progressively on the Conference website.

Registration

Register online or use the form overleaf. The registration fee includes morning and afternoon teas and lunch on each day of the Conference. All registration fees, except the one day rates, also include attendance at the Conference dinner.

If using the registration form overleaf, please fax or post to:

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