

Faculty of Education Studies

Seminar

Lessons learned from Australia's research assessment exercise

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Time: 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Venue: D2-G-01 (Tai Po Campus)

The Speaker:

Professor Christine HALSE is Chair of Education of Deakin University in Melbourne, Australia, President of the Australian Association for Research in Education (AARE) and President-Elect of the Asia-Pacific Education Research Association (APERA). She teaches and researches in the areas of curriculum and research methods. She is a leading scholar in inter-disciplinary research examining the role of education in the socio-cultural construction of identity and lives. Prof HALSE is currently a Visiting Professor attaching to the Department of Curriculum Studies and visiting the Institute till 19 November 2011.

Abstracts :

Governments and universities in the UK, Hong Kong, South Africa and the USA are turning to Australia's research assessment exercise - Excellence in Research in Australia (ERA) – as an approach for evaluating research quality, particularly publications.

This presentation shares some of the lessons from the latest ERA exercise. It draws on research by the Australian Association for Research in Education (AARE) and other peak bodies in the Social Sciences and Humanities. It surveys the strategies used by and at the national level to maximize ERA performance in the Arts, Education and Social Sciences. It describes what worked, did not work and why; and discusses the implications for future research assessment exercises in Australia and other countries.

Deadline for Registration : 14 Nov 2011 (Mon) 12:00 p.m.

All are welcome.

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