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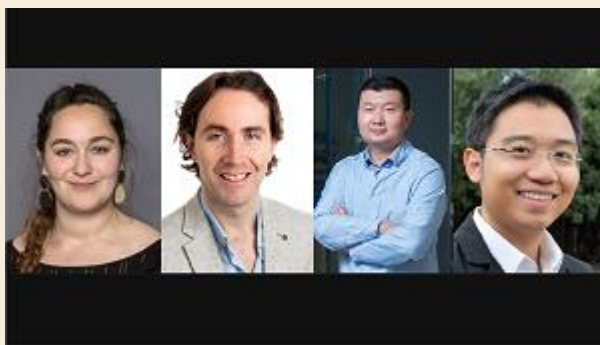


ANU NECTAR 10-year Anniversary Forum»

12 October - Save the date

ANU Executive has sustained funding to support NECTAR continuously for 10 years! Come and celebrate the successes and discuss what is next with ANU Vice-Chancellor Professor Brian Schmidt and much more.

Check out the program and save the date [here](#).



Four ANU NECTAR Co-Chairs elected»

Congratulations to Bin, Hieu, Ian and Shaam who have been elected to chair NECTAR as your representatives! Get to know them on our website or meet them at the [NECTAR Forum](#) 12 October.



Statistical support for DECRA applicants»

**Wed 29 September – 2-3pm or,
Wed 13 October – 10-11am**

The Statistical Support Network is available to provide advice and input to the statistical aspects of your DECRA application. Join the Lead of the network, A/Prof Alice Richardson, for a workshop on zoom, with time for discussing your project.

Choose your session time and register [here](#).



Disability Employee Network»

The ANU's Disability Employee Network (Visibly Diverse) meets socially for a chat over lunch every six weeks. We have a great bunch of staff who have disability, care for people with disability or those who are allies who meet regularly and exchange feedback online.

If you are interested in being part of the Network, please email disability.network@anu.edu.au



Time out on Tuesdays»

Tuesdays – 12.30-1pm

Back by popular demand! Dr Jo Lane will be facilitating online group sessions for staff and students where she will demonstrate and practice evidence-based strategies that promote psychological wellbeing. Sessions will focus on skills such as breathing, muscle relaxation, managing stress, mindfulness and more.

More information [here](#).



ARC Future Fellowship Webinar» **Wed 22 September – 12pm**

All potential ARC Future Fellowship applicants and research staff are invited to attend this ARC Future Fellowship Webinar. Prof Seth Lazar, Dr Lia Kent and Dr Nicholas White will be sharing their experiences of the application process - so please bring along any questions.

To receive a Zoom invite please respond with your interest to preaward.rsd@anu.edu.au.



How to Create Learning Videos using Powtoon »

Tue 28 September – 1.30-2.30pm

Want to incorporate more instructional videos but don't know where to start? Join [Terra Starbird](#) as she takes you through everything you need to know to use Powtoon – an easy to use animation video maker.

[Register here](#)



Advancing Learning and Teaching launches in 1 month»

Starting 7 October

Are you an academic, a course convenor or a program leader looking to invigorate and improve the teaching and learning experience in your course? Do you want to enhance your student engagement, content delivery and give your assessments new life? If this sounds like you, then enrol for the ALT program, starting October 7.

[Find out more and register for ALT.](#)



PostAc for Post-Docs – Translate your skills into a career»

Thu 14 October – 11-12.30pm

Better understand the skills you have as a researcher and how they translate (or not) into a range of jobs inside and outside of academia. You'll also be introduced to PostAc, a tool to help you see and search the job market. This can help you design a search strategy that matches your career goals and understand the job market for advising your students.

[Register here](#)



Managing projects with industry and government»

Thu 21 October – 3-4pm

This information session introduces how to set up a project for success. We will examine short term, long term and ongoing projects, complex and straightforward arrangements. We provide tips on receiving help running, administering, staff and budgeting for your project for ANU.

[Register here](#)



Articulating Benefits and National Interest Test Workshops»

Various dates

All potential ARC fellowship candidates are invited to webinars on Articulating Benefits and the National Interest Test. This year we will work with candidates to draft statements during the session. For more information and dates, get in touch with preaward.rsd@anu.edu.au.



Join the NECTAR Custodians» **Thu 21 October – 11.30am**

Are you an ECA? Would you like to help shape and drive the ECA experience at ANU? The NECTAR Custodians and Co-Chairs meet regularly to discuss issues, share ideas and lead NECTAR.

Keen to join the team? Submit your EOI [here](#) or contact the NECTAR team.

Subscribe to The Early Career Academic»

The NECTAR newsletter The Early Career Academic is open to all but not everyone gets it. Please forward this to your colleagues and invite them to join NECTAR! Feel free to send in submissions to promote your research and ECA events, due 1st of each month.

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