

CHASS Newsletter August 2018

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Welcome to the August issue of our newsletter

The shortlists of the 2018 CHASS Australia Prizes in the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences (HASS) will be announced in late September. Follow/like us on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) for related announcements.

The winners will be announced at a gala dinner on 29 October in Melbourne. [Tickets are now on sale](#). Please join us as we celebrate the sector's achievements and help promote the value of the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences. We look forward to seeing you there.

We will be in Canberra and Sydney next month for [Social Sciences Stars](#), come and say hello!



Renewing your CHASS membership FY 2018-19

As a CHASS member, your organisation is part of an essential network for communication and collaboration across the diverse disciplines and institutions operating in HASS. A unified voice is of increased significance in the face of new challenges, and your continued support is crucial for helping the sector pave its way confidently into the future. You make up the lifeblood of CHASS, and we greatly value your involvement and contribution.

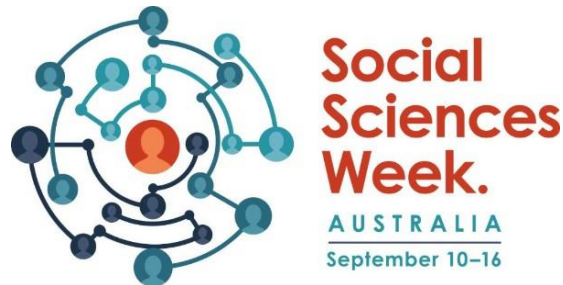
We collaborate with our members to organise local and interstate events, make policy submissions, and for advocacy. Members have access to various services such as the daily media monitoring update, event listings on our website and newsletter, profiling opportunities in our newsletter, and social media support and promotion. Only current financial members can nominate representatives to join our Board and vote at the Annual General Meeting. Members get discounted tickets to attend the annual CHASS Australia Prizes Dinner and other events. For more information, [contact us](#) today.

We sent out membership renewal letters and invoices to you in July. If you haven't done so already, we hope that you will take the time to renew your annual membership and remain a part of our community. If you haven't received your invoice or your organisation's staff/billing details have changed, please contact us. You can pay your subscription via EFT/cheque/credit card (Visa and MasterCard only, merchant fees apply).

We look forward to continuing our association with you and seeing you at the next CHASS

event.

[Renew your membership now](#)



Social Sciences Week Australia 2018

We are collaborating with The Australian Sociological Association ([TASA](#)), the Australian and New Zealand Society of Criminology ([ANZSOC](#)), the Australian Anthropology Society ([AAS](#)), the Australian Political Studies Association ([APSA](#)), The Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia ([ASSA](#)) and The Australasian Council of Deans of Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities ([DASSH](#)) to organise Australia's first national [Social Sciences Week](#) in September 2018.

This week-long series of events is an opportunity for social scientists to engage non-academic audiences with cutting-edge social science research and showcase the diversity and relevance of social science. It will include interactive community and school-based events that will bring the social sciences to life, particularly for the next generation of university students, social scientists and citizens.

There is a wide range of topics being covered, and all events are free. We invite you to [come along to an event](#) in your city and support the Social Sciences Week.



SOCIAL SCIENCES STARS 2018

CANBERRA 10.9.2018
SYDNEY 12.9.2018
MELBOURNE 13.9.2018

ALL WELCOME!
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SOCIALSCIENCESSTARS2018.EVENTBRITE.COM.AU

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Social Sciences Week
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Social Sciences Stars 2018

As part of the national [Social Sciences Week](#), we are organising a series of free public events in collaboration with publishers Routledge/Taylor & Francis, and The Conversation.

Called 'Social Sciences Stars', this series will be held in three cities – Canberra, Sydney and Melbourne on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday that week respectively. Speakers will discuss the significance and relevance of the Social Sciences in today's world.

Canberra

10.09.2018 12pm - 2pm

National Library of Australia

- **Hugh Mackay AO**, social researcher and bestselling author
- **Deborah Lupton**, sociologist and Centenary Research Professor, University of Canberra
- Moderated by **Peter Martin**, Business and Economy Editor, The Conversation Australia

Sydney

12.09.2018 4pm - 6pm

Lecture Theatre 106, New Law Building Annex, The University of Sydney, Camperdown

- **Sally Rugg**, LGBTIQ rights activist, writer and public speaker
- **Lisa Adkins**, sociologist and Head of the School of Social and Political Sciences, The University of Sydney
- Moderated by **Sunanda Creagh**, NSW Bureau Chief and Digital Storytelling Editor, The Conversation Australia

Melbourne

13.09.2018 4pm - 6pm

Green Brain Room, RMIT University, Building 16, 336–348 Swanston St, Melbourne

- **Robert Manne**, public intellectual, Emeritus Professor of Politics and Vice-Chancellor's Fellow at La Trobe University
- **Leanne Weber**, Associate Professor of Criminology, co-Director of the Border Crossing Observatory and ARC Future Fellow at Monash University
- Moderated by **Misha Ketchell**, Editor, The Conversation

Our Canberra event is sold out. Don't miss out, book your Sydney/Melbourne tickets now!

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Diary alert: 15th CHASS Annual General Meeting, 29 October 2018

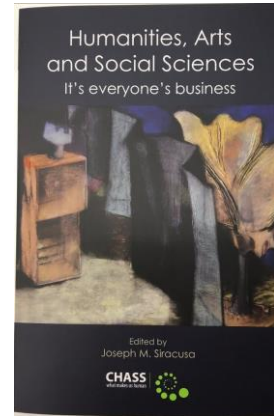
The 15th CHASS Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held on Monday, 29 October 2018 in

Melbourne.

All members are invited to attend the AGM, and we will be sending a formal notice next month. Only current financial members can vote at the meeting, so please be sure to pay your membership dues in time. Please contact us if you would like any further information.

CHASS Book - Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences *It's everyone's business*

Published by Routledge with essays collated and edited by CHASS President Professor Joseph M. Siracusa, [Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences: It's everyone's business](#) is a must-read. In producing this pocketbook featuring a range of essays by prominent Australian and international researchers, CHASS's goal is to illustrate the diverse ways in which the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences provide essential services to citizens in all walks of life.



The book was officially launched by Robyn Archer AO, our distinguished dinner speaker at the 2016 CHASS Australia Prizes Dinner in Melbourne. Robyn has also written the book's Foreword. We have distributed over 1500 copies nationally since the launch. If you haven't received a copy, [please download it here](#).

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- ✓ Access to our extensive network of leading academics, practitioners & policy makers
- ✓ Special discounts for attending CHASS events
- ✓ Promotion opportunities in the monthly e-newsletter
- ✓ Social media + website support for national conferences/events
- ✓ Opportunities of representation to the Federal Government

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