16-18 NOVEMBER 2016 Twin towns clubs & resorts Tweed Heads

## **ASU NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2016** Renewing our vision: Tackling Inequality & Workplace Change

PROGRAM	ALL TIMES NSW AEDT	DAY ONE: WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER
	2.00 – 3.00 PM	REGISTRATION and Afternoon Tea
	3.00 – 3.15 PM	WELCOME To Country by Ted Williams
	3.15 – 3.30 PM	NATIONAL Opening Address by David Smith, ASU National Secretary
	3.30 – 3.45 PM	CONFERENCE Business: Apologies, Proxies, Observers, Adoption of Agenda
	3.45 – 4.30 PM	<ul> <li>PLENARY 1: Indigenous People at Work &amp; Community Development Program</li> <li>Kara Keys, Indigenous Officer ACTU</li> <li>Corey Ah Chee, Organiser ASU SA&amp;NT Branch Chaired by Wayne Wood, WA Branch Secretary</li> </ul>
	4.30 – 5.45 PM	CONFERENCE Business: Branch Reports & Agenda Items & Life Memberships
	6.00 – 8.00 PM	<ul> <li>WELCOME Reception: Horizons Room, Twin Towns Conference Centre</li> <li>Welcome by the Hon Bill Shorten MP, Leader of the Opposition</li> <li>Life Membership Presentations</li> <li>Sponsored by AustralianSuper</li> </ul>
	ALL TIMES NSW AEDT	DAY TWO: THURSDAY 17 NOVEMBER
	8.30 – 8.45 AM	CONFERENCE Business: Apologies, Proxies, Observers
	8.45 – 10.30 AM	<ul> <li>PLENARY 2: Superannuation for Women and Low Income Earners</li> <li>Kelly Shay, Business Development Consultant, AustralianSuper</li> <li>Mary Delahunty, General Manager Business Development &amp; Policy, HESTA</li> <li>Catherine Wood, Chair, CareSuper</li> <li>David Hetherington, Executive Director, Per Capita</li> <li>Senator Jenny McAllister MP</li> <li>Chaired by David Smith, ASU National Secretary</li> </ul>
	10.30 – 10.40 AM	ASU Group Photograph
	10.40 – 11.00 AM	MORNING Tea
	11.00 AM – 11.45 AM	<ul> <li>WORKSHOP 1: Superannuation for Women and Low Income Earners</li> <li>Delegates are assigned into one of five working groups</li> <li>Chaired by National Executive &amp; Industrial Officers</li> </ul>
	11.45 – 12.15 PM	REPORT back from Workshop 1 sessions
	12.15 – 12.30 PM	CONFERENCE Business: Agenda items
	12.30 – 2.00 PM	WOMEN'S Lunch: Horizons RoomSponsored by CareSuper
	12.30 – 2.00 PM	ALTERNATIVE Lunch: Bay Room Sponsored by Energy Super
	2.00 – 3.30 PM	<ul> <li>PLENARY 3: Climate Change and Sustainable Jobs</li> <li>Dr Tim Cadman, Griffith University</li> <li>Hon Lily D'Ambrosio MP, Minister for Energy, Environment &amp; Climate Change</li> <li>Dan Spencer, Australian Youth Climate Coalition Chaired by Robert Potter, Acting ASU Assistant National Secretary Sponsored by Energy Super </li> </ul>

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3.30 – 3.45 PM	AFTERNOON Tea	
3.45 – 4.30 PM	<ul> <li>WORKSHOP 2: Climate Change and Sustainable Jobs</li> <li>Delegates are assigned into one of five working groups Chaired by National Executive &amp; Industrial Officers</li> </ul>	
4.30 – 5.00 PM	REPORT back from Workshop 2 sessions	
5.00 – 5.45 PM	CONFERENCE Business: Branch Reports & Agenda Items	
7.00 – 11.00 PM (6pm QLD time)	<ul> <li>DINNER: Oceans on Marine, The Surf Club Coolangatta</li> <li>Delegate of the Year Awards</li> <li>Dave Oliver, ACTU Secretary</li> <li>Libbi Gorr, entertainer, broadcaster &amp; author</li> <li>Dinner and Awards sponsored by HESTA Super Fund</li> </ul>	
ALL TIMES NSW AEDT	DAY THREE: FRIDAY 18 NOVEMBER	
9.00 – 9.30 AM	CONFERENCE Business: Apologies, Proxies, Observers & Branch Reports	
9.30 – 11.00 AM	<ul> <li>PLENARY 4: The Future of Work and Organising</li> <li>Jim Stanford, Economist &amp; Director, Centre for Future Work, Australia Institute</li> <li>Dr Fiona Macdonald, Senior Research Fellow, RMIT University</li> <li>Linda White, ASU Assistant National Secretary</li> <li>Chaired by Ingrid Stitt, ASU National Vice President &amp; VIC PS Branch Secretary</li> </ul>	
11.00 – 11.30 AM	MORNING Tea Launch of Clerks Centenary Book by QLD Together Branch	
11.30 <i>-</i> 12.50 PM	<ul> <li>PLENARY 5: Organising Young Workers</li> <li>Keelia Fitzpatrick, Coordinator, Young Workers Centre, VTHC</li> <li>Colleen Chen, Co-Founder and Secretary, Interns Australia</li> <li>Prof Ariadne Vromen, Professor of Political Sociology, University of Sydney Chaired by Rita Fitton, Vice President Youth, QLD Services &amp; Nth Admin Branch</li> </ul>	
12.50 – 1.20 PM	LUNCH and Prize Draw Sponsored by Union Shopper & Australian Unions Members Benefits	
1.20 – 2.00 PM	CONFERENCE Business: Branch Reports & Agenda Items	
2.00 – 2.45 PM	MOTIVATIONAL Speaker: Melissa Barbieri Sportswoman, former Matildas Soccer Team Captain Sponsored by Energy Super	
2.45 – 3.00 PM	Conference wrap-up by David Smith	
3.00 PM	CLOSE OF CONFERENCE	
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