

Regional Stakeholder Forum Program 2015

9.00 – 9.30 Welcome: Rose Hiscock, Director, Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences
Welcome: Indigenous Elder - to be confirmed
Address: the Hon. Troy Grant, MP – to be confirmed
Introduction to program: Deborah Vaughan, Regional Program Producer, MAAS

Session 1: Arts Activating Museums and Communities

Intro: Elizabeth Rogers, Chief Executive Officer, Regional Arts NSW
Update on the National Regional Arts conference 2016

9.35 – 9.55 Vic McEwan, Artistic Director: The Cad Factory; Regional Arts Fellow
Activated Communities

9.55 – 10.05 Andrew Gray, South East Regional Arts Development Officer
Arts Activating Museums

10.05 – 10.15 Caroline Downer, North West Regional Arts Development Officer
Arts Activating Museums

Questions – 15 minutes

10.30 – 11.00 Morning Tea

Session 3: Update on the new NSW Arts and Cultural Policy Framework

Intro: Lily Katakouzinou, Head of Programs, MAAS

11.00 – 11.20 Michael Brealey, Director Policy & Strategy, Arts NSW
Update on the new NSW Arts policy with regards regional

Questions – 10 minutes

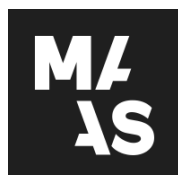
Session 2: Fundraising and Crowdfunding

11.32 – 11.52 **Intro: Tamara Lavrencic, Museums & Galleries NSW**
Harlan Hall, Volunteer, Berrima District Museum
All you have to do is ask.

11.52 – 12.15 Elliott Bledsoe
Working the crowd: crowdfunding basics

Questions - 15 minutes

12.30 – 1.30 Lunch



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Session 4: Regional Museums engendering tourism

Intro: Tamara Lavrencic

- 1.30 – 1.50** Brett Dunlop, Director Museums, The Sovereign Hill Museums Association
New Gold Mountain: the Chinese Tourist Market
- 1.50 – 2.10** Debbie Sommers, Volunteer, Port Macquarie Museum
Turning the Invisible into the Visible
- 2.10 – 2.20** Kevin Williams, Mid North Coast Regional Arts Development Officer
Cultural Tourism... That Means You!

Questions – 10 minutes

- 2.30 – 2.50** Afternoon tea

Session 5: What's new and keeping it new

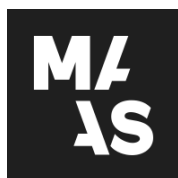
Intro: Deborah Vaughan

- 2.50 – 3.10** Marcus Hughes, Indigenous Program Producer, MAAS
We don't eat you anymore

Questions – 10 minutes

- 3.20 – 3.30** Fiona MacDonald, Volunteer, Kandos Museum
Keeping it new
- 3.30 – 3.50** Jackie Hemsley, Director, Murray Art Museum Albury
The new MAMA

Questions – 10 minutes and summing up Deborah Vaughan



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