

“New Economy in Progress”

NENA Annual Conference 2020

3 Day Conference – ONLINE

Friday 20th to Sunday 22nd November 2020

Hosted by the New Economy Network Australia (NENA)

PROGRAM



Day 1: Friday 20th November 2020 – Inner & Collective Transitions
All times are Australian Eastern DAYLIGHT Time (AEDT – UTC+11.00)

9.15-9.30	Welcome and Acknowledgment of Country – Ann Apps, Meaghan Burkett (NENA Newcastle Hub) and Dr Michelle Maloney (NENA Director/Coordinating Hub)				
9.30-11.00	PLENARY SESSION 1 – Ancient foundations and inspiration for Australia’s economic system				
	Short presentations & panel discussion Speakers include: Mary GRAHAM, Susan MOYLAN-COOMBS, Ross WILLIAMS & Bill SMITH				
11.00-11.30	MORNING TEA BREAK				
11.30-1PM	CONCURRENT SESSION 1 - Transforming inner and systemic dimensions				
	1.1 Democracy, Participation and Enterprise	1.2 Shifting Dimensions	1.3 Storytelling & Narratives	1.4 Cultural and multifaceted transformations	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sociocracy in action at Narara Ecovillage, Liz BASSETT Democracy Reimagined: Experiments in deliberation around the world, Sonia RANDHAWA Democracy (M)otherwise, Sara MOTTA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aligning to become vastly more influential, Andrew GAINES Stairway to Hiatus, Mik AIDT Decision Design Hub, Helen LEWIS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Towards a next economic narrative for Australia, Chris Reidy Unmasking Untold Stories, Louise TARRANT The practice of distilling new (musical) stories for the new economy, Simon KERR 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Veganism in the New Economy, Scott WALLACE The New Economy and the Catholic Church, Phil JONES Harnessing our Powers: Regenerative and Renewable sources driven from within our communities and tapping into our vital capacities for innovation and enterprise, Matthew WASHINGTON 	
1PM-2PM	LUNCH BREAK				
2.00-3.00PM	CONCURRENT SESSION 2 – Vision and Practice for the New Economy (Workshops)				
	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5
	Reciprocity, Gifting and Relationship - Using Contemplation to deepen the Conversation, Joy FOLEY	Far More Beautiful: <i>Kintsugi</i> for the World, JP PARKER	Inner Transition and Resilience, Paul SHELTON	Warm Data Lab: What is health in a Changing World?, Morag GAMBLE	Ways to hear many voices: Facilitation techniques for People’s Assemblies, Pru GELL
3.00-3.30pm	AFTERNOON TEA				
3.30-5.30pm	PLENARY SESSION 2 – Nurturing the commons Facilitator – Jose Ramos				
	2(a) - Panel discussion Commoning the City: Using the Collective Wisdom of the Crowd to Move Beyond Disciplines, Sectors and Ego - Bronwen MORGAN, Tirrania SUHOOD, Inka SANTALA, Jodie HAMPSON, Monique POTTS				
	2(b) - Presentations, followed by panel discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reclaiming the public good, Millie ROONEY From celebrating diversity to commoning new economy alternatives, S A Hamed HOSSEINI City Commoning for a New Economy: A More-than-Human Perspective on Collaboration and Urban Governance, Marcus FOTH and Steven LIAROS Contextual economics: nesting static in process, Juliet BENNETT 				
6.00pm-8pm	EVENING EVENT – HOSTED ONLINE Museum of Futures - NENA Artwork presentation & Virtual Tour, Claire MARSHALL				

Day 2: Saturday 21 November 2020 - Rethinking value, trade, enterprises and work
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9.15-9.30	Welcome and opening remarks – NENA Newcastle Hub and NENA Coordinating Hub			
9.30-11.00	PLENARY SESSION 3 – Rethinking value			
	Short presentations & panel discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opening the Circle: diverse economies, social justice and circular economies (Circular economy for the community), Stephen HEALY The Prospect of a green new deal, Frank STILWELL EnVisioning a regenerative accounting, Dr. Alessandro GHIO and Nick MCGUIGAN Intellectual Property – John AUGUST Art as an economic proposition, Catherine VAN WILGENBERG 			
11.00 – 11.30	MORNING TEA BREAK			
11.30-1.00	CONCURRENT SESSION 3 – Rethinking Money, Banking, Finance & Property			
	3.1 Banking & Finance Systems	3.2 Modern Monetary Theory	3.3 Changing Education	3.4 Debt
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What role does a bank have in the complementary (local?) currencies? Andrew SPANNENBERG National Banking to Save Australia, Samuel HANSEN Money in the New Economy, Michael HAINES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alan Watts’ essay "Wealth Versus Money" as the philosophical basis of Modern Monetary Theory, Michael BERNEY Beyond MMT: Fixing the Rest of the Economy, Geoff DAVIES Degrowth and Full Employment—An MMT Perspective, James JUNIPER 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing the NENA Short Course with the Yunus Centre/Griffith University – Jo McNEILL and Michelle MALONEY The New (Steady State) Economy and Junior High School Education, Phil JONES Using action learning to teach co-operative governance skills in an online environment, Sidsel GRIMSTAD and Ann APPS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interactive Game – How To Avoid The Australian Debt Trap, Making Cents of Money, Marie SHIEH & Barry DISCH
1 – 2 pm	LUNCH BREAK			
2 – 3.30	CONCURRENT SESSION 4 – Rethinking Enterprises			
	4.1. Rethink the model	4.2. Cooperatives	4.3. Community Access & Exits	4.4. Engagement, Impact & Trust
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Syntropic Enterprise - business for a world with a future, Christine MCDUGALL A business model that supports fair sharing and collaboration, Rafael JOUDRY & Eilean WATSON High Time for a New Paradigm: putting people first in the Australian NFP sector, Fionn SKIOTIS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engaging the Resistance with Cooperatives, Katherine CUNNINGHAM Protected Habitat Farmers Mutual, Rohan CLARKE Multi-stakeholder Cooperatives, Ann APPS & Sidsel GRIMSTAD 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exits and the New Economy, Andrew WARD Simplifying the financial system with a new form of capital, Kevin COX 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrating impact: The Substation33 experience, Joanne MCNEILL, Tony SHARP and Tiffany SMITH Engaging customers to build the new economy & create novel solutions for climate change, Yasmin GRIGALIUNAS Trust and the sharing economy - can globalised models gain local acceptance? Dr Alex BAUMBER
3.30-4:00pm	AFTERNOON TEA			
4.00 – 5.30PM	PLENARY SESSION 4 – Reinventing Work for a Regenerative Economy			
	Short Presentations & Panel Speakers include: Jane R GOODALL, Loriana LUCCIONI, Tim HOLLO, James JUNIPER and John AUGUST			
6.00 – 8.00pm	EVENING EVENT – HOSTED ONLINE			
	SkillsVentory! Revealing Our Deeper Gifts, JP PARKER Facilitated Offers & Needs Market, Juli GASSNER			

Day 3: Sunday 22 November 2020 – Building & living the new economy and the network
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9.15-9.30	Welcome and opening remarks – NENA Newcastle Hub & NENA Directors			
9.30 – 10.30	PLENARY SESSION 5 - Resilience, wellbeing and learning in a new economy			
	Panel Discussion Speakers include: Monique POTTS, Claire MARSHALL, Maya MARCUS			
10.30 – 11.00	MORNING TEA BREAK			
11.00 – 12.00	CONCURRENT SESSION 5 – Community Building			
	5.1 Community Wealth & Assets	5.2 Gig & Grid Communities	5.3 Relationships	5.4 Housing
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mapping the Wealth of Assets in our Communities, Dee BROOKS Community Wealth Building In Practice, Andrew WARD Co-operatives Commons and Communities - designing for disaster – Scotty FOSTER 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> bHive Bendigo, Ian MCBURNEY Smart grid responses to crises in communities, Sarah NIKLAS Hey Fritz Peer to Peer item hire workshop, Mick FRITSCHY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Permaculture: myceliating cultures of regeneration in the New Economy, Morag GAMBLE Urban agriculture and the new economy - Nick ROSE The Ediblescapes model of social solidarity economy in urban agroecology food production, Jorge CANTELLANO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collaborative Housing and the New Economy in Australia, Matthew DALY Limited Equity Housing Models, Sidsel GRIMSTAD and Ann APPS Combined Solutions for Sustainable New Australian Economy, Gary PEAD
12.00 – 1.00	LUNCH BREAK			
1.00 - 2.00PM	CONCURRENT SESSION 6 - (45 MINUTES) NENA Hubs			
	1.00 – 1.20pm	6.1 Updates from NENA Directors, Coordinating Hub, Strategic Directions and Participatory Budget Group, NENA Radio		
	1.20- 2.00pm	6.2 Regional Hubs	6.3 Sectoral Hubs	
		Canberra Hub – Scotty FOSTER Newcastle Hub – Andrew WARD	Inner Dimensions and Healthy Cultures Hub Health Hub Narratives Hub Women & the Economy	
2.00 – 3.30PM	PLENARY SESSION 6 – NENA Civil Society Strategy – Facilitated Workshop			
	NENA Strategic Development Group & Coalition of Everyone			
3.30 – 4.00PM	AFTERNOON TEA BREAK			
4.00 – 5.30PM	PLENARY SESSION 7 – LOOKING TO THE FUTURE FOR THE NEW ECONOMY			
4.00-4.30pm	International Networks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RIPESS – Jason Nardi Wellbeing Economy Alliance – Katherine TREBECK 			
4.30-5.00pm	Beyond Crisis – Strengthening networks and resources to build the new economy – Tracey COOPER, April CRAWFORD-SMITH, Ross WILLIAMS, Michelle MALONEY			
5pm-5.30pm	What next for the new economy in Australia? Ian MCBURNEY			
5.30-5.40	Closing Remarks – NENA Newcastle Hub & NENA Directors			