

DRAFT NENA CONFERENCE PROGRAM

as at 6 SEPTEMBER 2023

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SUMMARY – 3 day conference + 1 day site visits

Friday 17 November

- ◆ Day 1 of Conference (9am – 5pm)
- ◆ Evening: Conference Dinner (6pm – 8pm)

Saturday 18 November

- ◆ Day 2 of Conference (9am – 5:30pm)
- ◆ Evening: Casual evening catch up (from 6pm)

Sunday 19 November

- ◆ Day 3 of conference (9am – 5pm)
- ◆ Afternoon/evening: End of conference drinks somewhere?

Monday 20 November

- ◆ New Economy 'site visits' around Canberra – more details soon





CONDENSED PROGRAM (DRAFT) – 3 DAY CONFERENCE

LIFE AFTER CAPITALISM?

FRIDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2023

| TIME | SESSION | SPEAKERS |
|----------------|--|--|
| 9.00 | Welcome to Country. Opening remarks by Conference Organisers | Local speakers Conference organising committee |
| 9.30 | PLENARY | |
| | Framing our conference: what's wrong with capitalism anyway? | Richard Denniss , Australia Institute (tbc) |
| 10.00 | PLENARY | |
| | Societies before (and after) capitalism: Indigenous perspectives and "Relationist Economics" | Dr Mary Graham , UQ and Kombu-merri person, and Professor Yin Paradies , Deakin University |
| 11.00 | Morning Tea | |
| 11.30 | PLENARY | |
| | Warm Data Session | Facilitator: Kesh Sharmar All participants will be invited to engage in facilitated discussions about the themes of the conference |
| 1.00 | Lunch | |
| 2.00 | PLENARY | |
| | Wellbeing economies and capitalism | Katherine Trebeck , Club of Rome (confirmed) in conversation with Andrew Leigh (tbc) |
| 2.45 | Afternoon Tea | |
| 3.15 | CONCURRENT SESSION 1 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 4.15 | CONCURRENT SESSION 2 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 5.15 – 5.30 | PLENARY | |
| | WRAP UP FOR THE DAY | |
| 6.00 – 8.00 PM | CONFERENCE DINNER Guest speaker: Tom Ballard | Venue to be confirmed ** TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED SEPARATELY TO CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE TICKETS – details soon ** |

* This is a draft program. A final program will be released prior to the start of the conference.

SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2023

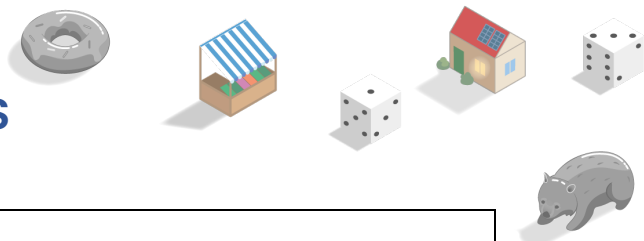
| TIME | SESSION | SPEAKERS |
|-------|---|---|
| 9.15 | Welcome back to conference. Overview of the day | Conference Organisers |
| 9.30 | PLENARY | |
| | Strategies for life after capitalism | Donnie Maclurcan , Post Growth Institute |
| 10.30 | PLENARY PANEL DISCUSSION | |
| | What could our lives look like after capitalism? Energy, food, housing, education, health, money | Speaker details coming soon |
| 11.30 | Morning Tea | |
| 12.00 | CONCURRENT SESSION 3 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 1.00 | Lunch | |
| 2.00 | CONCURRENT SESSION 4 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 3.00 | Afternoon Tea | |
| 3.30 | CONCURRENT SESSION 5 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 4.30 | PLENARY | |
| | Life after Capitalism – Youth perspectives | Panel of young speakers from NENA and connected organisations – speaker details coming soon |
| 5.30 | Close | |
| 6.00 | Dinner / casual dinner / drinks etc | tbc |

SUNDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2023

| TIME | SESSION | SPEAKERS |
|-------|---|---|
| 9.20 | Welcome back to conference – the day ahead | Conference Organisers |
| 9.30 | MORNING INSPIRATION | |
| | Deep listening to nature reveals how life cooperates, rather than competes | Andrew Skeoch , nature sound recordist |
| 10.00 | PLENARY | |
| | Post-carbon, post-capitalism and climate changed futures | Rob Dietz and Jason Bradford , Post Carbon Institute and “Crazy Town” Podcast (tbc) |
| 10.30 | CONCURRENT SESSION 6 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 11.30 | CONCURRENT SESSION 7 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 12.45 | Lunch | |
| 1.30 | CONCURRENT SESSION 8 | See concurrent sessions program (below) |
| 2.30 | PLENARY | |
| | Future Scenarios – interactive session led by scenario facilitators | Sandy Gonzalez de la Vega , Degrowth Network + NENA facilitators |
| 3.30 | Afternoon tea | |
| 4.00 | NENA 2.0 – Building the future we want | Facilitated session |
| 5.00 | Close | |
| | Drinks - tbc | |



DETAILS – CONCURRENT SESSIONS



Friday 17 November 2023

| CONCURRENT SESSION 1 | | |
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| 3.15pm – 55 minutes – FRIDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2023 | | |
| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
| THEME: Degrowth and post extractivism <i>Workshop</i> | THEME: Visions for a post-capitalism future. <i>Presentations, followed by discussion.</i> | THEME: The role of narratives <i>Presentations, followed by discussion.</i> |
| Degrowth and post-extractivism: beyond pillaging and growth. NAT LOWREY and MARTA CONDE (50 min, workshop) | Capitalism and Civilisation: how to destabilise a system. ROD TAYLOR (15 mins) | The power of narratives in shifting economic systems. CHRIS RIEDY (15 min) |
| | 3 Pillars of Regenesiis. BARBARA LEPANI (15 mins) | Life After Capitalism: Literature and the never-ending search for new forms of living. ADRIANO TEDDE (15 mins) |
| | The post-capitalist vision of R.H. Tawney. JONATHAN CORNFORD (15 mins) | Living in right relationship. NIKKI THOMPSON and PETER THOMPSON (15 minutes) |

| CONCURRENT SESSION 2 | | |
|---|---|--|
| 4.15pm – 55 minutes – FRIDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2023 | | |
| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
| THEME: Material use, circular and steady state economies <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> | THEME: <i>Workshops</i> | THEME: Post-capitalist political & governance theories <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> |
| How steady state economics can move us beyond capitalism. JONATHAN MILLER (15 mins) | Offers and Needs Market. SAMANTHA WITTENBERG (25 MINS, workshop) | The Well-living Paradigm: A commonist approach to good life in our turbulent world. S.A. HAMED HOSSEINI (15 mins) |
| With and beyond the circular economy: Virtuous cycles in an ecovillage. ROSEMARY LEONARD (15 mins) | Justice in the green energy and material transition. LIZ DOWNES, NAT LOWREY and ELSA DOMINISH (25 mins, workshop) | HSD, ABCD, FLOWER: Frameworks for creating post-capitalist social ecologies. SCOTT MATTER (15 mins) |
| Transition minerals in a just transition? SHONA HAWKES (15 min) | | Where to from here... possibilities unbounded. CESIDIO "SID" PARISSI (15 mins) |

Saturday 18 November 2023

CONCURRENT SESSION 3

12pm – 55 minutes – SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2023

| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
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| THEME: Economic frameworks and theories <i>Workshops</i> | THEME: Training workshops for conference attendees <i>Workshops</i> | THEME: Women and post-capitalism <i>Workshops</i> |
| Economics after Capitalism: 'Relational economics'. ANNA SCHLUNKE & PANEL (25 mins, workshop) | Evocative Storytelling, Marketing, and your Potential Values Conflict – Resolved! SUSAN WANMER (25 mins, workshop) | A Tale of Two Economies. MYFAN JORDAN (25 min) |
| CIVIVA Project – Introducing "Priocracy". RICHARD MOCHELLE (25 mins, workshop) | Nurturing inclusiveness using Liberating Structures: Simple practices that transform our work together. SARAH HOUSEMAN and TATHRA STREET (25 mins, workshop) | Will our climate survive capitalism? The role of women in making change. KIRSTEN ANKER (25 min) |

CONCURRENT SESSION 4

2pm – 55 minutes – SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2023

| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
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| THEME: Education in the new economy <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> | THEME: <i>Workshop</i> | THEME: <i>Workshops</i> |
| How the Monash Indigenous Business Management Course is changing western education. NICK MCGUIGAN and KATRINA JOHNSON (15 mins) | Converging on Action: How can you help everyone to agree on what to do next. PAUL ATKINS and ROBERT STYLES (50 mins, workshop) | Conflict Café. SAMANTHA SLADE (25 mins) |
| The Steady State Economy for Years 9 and 10 Science Classes. PHIL JONES (15 minutes) | | Systemic Constellations: Relationality and Embodiment. JAX WECHSLER and VIVIEN SUNG (25 mins) |
| Critical skills for building a new economy in the climate predicament. SIMON KERR (15 mins) | | |





CONCURRENT SESSION 5

3.30pm - 55 minutes - SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2023

| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
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| THEME: Work, Labour & Universal Basic Income <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> | THEME: <i>Workshop</i> | THEME: Markets, corporations and post-capitalist organising <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> |
| Community Basic Income: By the Community For the Community, and building sustainability capabilities. ROBIN KRABBE (20 mins) | Co-creating a post-capitalist future. TATHRA STREET (50 mins, workshop) | The government's proposed nature repair market. MICHELE SMITH (15 mins) |
| Why and How a Basic Income for All Australian Adults. MICHAEL HAINES (20 mins) | | Post capitalist corporations law. DUNCAN WALLACE (15 mins) |
| | | Worker Co-operatives - Behind the scenes of Australia's worker owned movement. MOLLY KENDALL (15 minutes) |

Sunday 19 November 2023

CONCURRENT SESSION 6

10.30am - 55 minutes - SUNDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2023

| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
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| THEME: Cooperatives, wealth distribution <i>Presentations and discussions</i> | THEME: Earth rising <i>Game</i> | THEME: Deep understanding to support our transition <i>Presentations and discussions</i> |
| Democratic cooperatives for fairer wealth distribution in a post-growth economy. JOHN J. SHIEL and ANTHONY E. JENSEN (15 mins) | Playing for Survival: Join a Facilitated Round of the Collaborative Game 'Earth Rising'. BRONWEN MORGAN (50 min workshop) | What can trekking across a continent on foot tell us about our economy? LIZZ HILLS (15 mins) |
| Workshop - creating cooperatives. MOLLY KENDALL (25 mins, workshop) | | Putting Country First. CATHERINE VAN WILGENBURG (15 mins) |
| | | Trauma and transition. MIKE DOWSON (15 min) |

CONCURRENT SESSION 7

11.30am - 75 minute session - SUNDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2023

| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
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| THEME: <i>Workshop</i> | THEME: <i>Workshops</i> | THEME: Practical approaches to living a post-capitalist life |
| The Community Mode of Production as a Post-Capitalist Alternative. ANITRA NELSON & TERRY LEAHY (60 min workshop) | Wicked Question Game: deepening our personal understanding. MEL GELTCH (25 min workshop) | Living the path to transformation. TIM HOLLO (15 mins) |
| | NENA Canberra / CoCanberra plan to move Canberra out of capitalist organisation. SCOTTY FOSTER (25 min workshop) | Why working less can help us move into a post-capitalist future. ANISA ROGERS (20 mins) |
| | | How can we overcome capitalism? Community led responses. ERST CARMICHAEL and CESIDIO "SID" PARISSI (20 mins) |

CONCURRENT SESSION 8

1.30pm - 55 minutes - SUNDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2023

| ROOM 1 | ROOM 2 | ROOM 3 |
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| THEME Housing <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> | THEME Rethinking the system <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> | THEME New approaches to our economy <i>Presentations, followed by discussion</i> |
| Community land trusts as a post-capitalist strategy. LOUISE CRABTREE-HAYES (15 mins) | Fighting inflation: Petition to the Reserve Bank of Australia. KEVIN COX (15 mins) | Understand Government, Business, Markets and Value - Towards a better outcome. JOHN AUGUST (15 mins) |
| Grenfell Tower: advocacy after abandonment. ADRIAN WATTS (15 mins) | Debunking the three myths about money to achieve an ecologically and socially sustainable economy. TOM FOSTER (15 mins) | Life after capitalism, based on biomimicry. SHANN TURNBULL (15 mins) |
| The impact of population growth on the housing crisis. MICHAEL BAYLISS (15 mins) | Discarding delusions, promoting wellbeing. GEOFF DAVIES (15 mins) | |

