The ANU College of Law invites graduate research students to attend The Other Side of the Law: Beyond Legal Research conference. We especially invite candidates conducting comparative research, interdisciplinary research, and research on emerging areas of law that relate to contemporary policy challenges. Students are invited to present a paper or come as an attendee to participate in discussions about the presentations from students and some invited guest speakers.

Date:  8 & 9 July 2010, 9am–5pm  
Venue:  Hedley Bull Theatres 1 & 2  
The Australian National University  
Canberra, Australia

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:
- Discussions by legal academics and practitioners on navigating and implementing the intersections between law, other disciplines, politics and non-legal institutions while researching and disseminating legal scholarship
- The implementation of legal research in the context of other disciplines, or social or political pressure, or when research is conducted in pursuit of law reform and social justice
- The conference will provide a mixture of student presentations and discussion sessions with high-profile academics and practitioners. Some sessions will also relate to the graduate research experience, including: the international student experience, comparative and interdisciplinary research skills, plus careers and research opportunities beyond the PhD.

BURSARIES:
There are 12 bursaries of $500 for selected presenters, 1 scholarship of $1000 for the best candidate and a $500 prize for the most outstanding student presenter. (All student presenters will automatically be eligible for a bursary.)

SOCIAL FUNCTION:
A free social function will be held on Thursday 8 July, from 7pm-9pm at The Deck, Regatta Point. Transport from and to the ANU will be provided.

Conference attendance (including lunch and refreshments) is free.

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This is the seventh graduate law conference hosted by the ANU College of Law.
TO PRESENT A PAPER
If you wish to present a paper at the conference, please provide the following information by 28 May 2010:

- a 400 word abstract
- a short biography
- 1 page curriculum vitae
- registration details (as below)

ATTENDEE ONLY
If you wish to come as an attendee only, please provide the following information by 28 May 2010:

- thesis topic
- a short biography
- 1 page curriculum vitae
- registration details (as below)

CONFERENCE CONTACTS
For further information or questions regarding the conference, please contact mark.nolan@anu.edu.au, Director of Higher Degree Research, ANU College of Law or dinah.rigg@anu.edu.au at the ANU College of Law.

ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS
- Attendees are required to make their own bookings through the hotel of their choice.
- The ANU College of Law has secured some accommodation for the night of 8 July 2010.
- If you wish to use pre-booked accommodation please quote Aus National Post Grad Conference when making your booking.
- All accommodation bookings must be made at least one week prior to the conference.


REGISTRATION  (No registration fee to attend)

Full name ________________________________________________________________

Work or mobile number ____________________________________________________

Email address ____________________________________________________________

University and degree being undertaken (PhD, SJD, MPhil) _______________________

Thesis topic ______________________________________________________________

Special dietary requirements _________________________________________________

Please specify the following:
I will be attending the conference on Thursday 8 July 2010 .............................. yes/no
I will be attending the conference on Friday 9 July 2010 ................................. yes/no
I will be attending the social function with speaker on the evening of 8 July 2010 ........................ yes/no
I would like to be considered for a bursary ..................................................... yes/no
I have attached an abstract/short biography/CV as relevant (due by 28 May 2010) ........................ yes/no
I would like to present even if I do not receive a bursary ................................. yes/no
I will still attend the conference if my abstract is not accepted ........................ yes/no
I would like to be an attendee only ................................................................. yes/no

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