

2013 Pacific and PNG Update

Thursday 27 June - Friday 28 June 2013

Hedley Bull Theatre 1 Hedley Bull Centre 130, Corner of Garran Road and Liversidge Street, ANU



The 2013 Pacific and PNG Update will provide a forum for discussion of the latest economic, social and political developments in the region. The Development Policy Centre, the Asian Development Bank and the Asia and Pacific Policy Studies, the flagship journal of the Crawford School of Public Policy, are co-hosting this 2 day event, which follows on from the successful 2012 Pacific Update.

The Update is designed to bring together leading thinkers and policy makers from the Pacific and Papua New Guinea to discuss important topics such as regional trade and integration, employment and labor mobility, and service delivery, resource management and gender-based violence.

The 2013 Pacific Update will consist of two days of panel discussions; the first day on the Pacific; and the second day on Papua New Guinea. There will be ample time for Q & A.

Speakers include:

- > Siosi C. Mafi Governor, Reserve Bank of Tonga
- > Helder Lopes Resident Economic Policy Advisor, Ministry of Finance, Timor Leste
- > Noumea Simi Assistant CEO, Samoa Ministry of Finance
- > Seini O'Connor, Pacific Plan Adviser, Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat
- > Deni ToKunai Political commentator and blogger, The Garamut blog
- > Cathy Rimbao Sergeant, Lae Police

This seminar is presented by the Development Policy Centre at Crawford School of Public Policy, The Australian National University, and is supported by the Asian Development Bank's Pacific Economic Management Technical Assistance and the Asia and Pacific Policy Studies, the flagship journal of the Crawford School of Public Policy.

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