

# Demography and Longevity Workshop

25–26 July 2011

## Event Program

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Location: Australian School of Business (ASB) Lounge, Level 6, West Wing, ASB Building, UNSW

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### Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2011

**12.00 – 1.30**    **Registration and lunch**

**1.30 – 3.00**    *Re-examining the declining effect of age on mortality differentials associated with excess body mass: Evidence of cohort distortions in the US*

**Yan Yu**

The Australian Demographic & Social Research Institute, ANU

[Longevity in people with physical disability from congenital or acquired, non-progressive conditions](#)

**Christopher Poulos**

School of Public Health and Community Medicine, UNSW

[Australia's very elderly population: past growth and probabilistic projections](#)

**Tom Wilson**

Queensland Centre for Population Research, University of Queensland

**3.00 – 3.30**    **Afternoon tea**

**3.30 – 5.00**    [Ageing, cognition and dementia in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians](#)

**Rachelle Arkles, Tony Broe, Lisa Jackson Pulver, Hamish Robertson, Brian Draper and Simon Chalkley**

Neuroscience Research Australia

[Epidemiologic transition theory and lifespan in Aboriginal Australia](#)

**Hamish Robertson, Kylie Radford, GA (Tony) Broe and Lisa Jackson Pulver**

Ageing Research Centre, UNSW

[Retirement migration of the baby boomers in Australia: Beach, bush or busted?](#)

**Nikola Sander and Martin Bell**

Vienna Institute of Demography, Austrian Academy of Sciences Wittgenstein Centre for Demography and Global Human Capital Wohllebengasse

**5.00 – 7.00**    **Cocktail reception**

## **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2011**

**8.30 – 9.00**     **Coffee, tea and light breakfast available**

**9.00 – 10.30**     [Life style, health, and socio-demographic predictors of survival and ageing well: Results from the Melbourne longitudinal surveys of ageing.](#)

**Hal Kendig**

Ageing, Work and Health Research Unit, University of Sydney

**Colette Browning**

School of Primary Health Care, Monash University

[Beyond age and sex – enhancing annuity underwriting](#)

**Joelle Fong**

ARC Centre of Excellence in Population Ageing Research

[Heterogeneity of Australian population mortality and implications for a viable life annuity market](#)

**Michael Sherris**

School of Actuarial Studies, UNSW

**10.30 – 11.00**     **Morning tea**

**11.00 – 12.30**     [Distribution-based models of cohort life expectancy](#)

**David McCarthy**

Imperial College London

[Rethinking age-period-cohort mortality trend models](#)

**Daniel Alai**

School of Actuarial Studies, UNSW

[Forecasting mortality by mixing mortality experiences](#)

Ales Ahcan, Darko Medved, **Annamaria Olivieri**, and Ermanno Pitacco

University of Parma

**12.30 – 2.00**     **Lunch**

**2.00 – 3.30**     [The effects of population ageing on GDP per capita: a cross-national comparison](#)

**Peter McDonald**

The Australian Demographic & Social Research Institute, ANU

[Explaining mortality dynamics: The role of macroeconomic fluctuations and cause of death trends](#)

**Katja Hanewald**

School of Actuarial Studies, UNSW

**Roundtable**

**3.30 – 4.00**     **Afternoon tea**



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