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Screen Production and Research Collaboration (SPARC)
Developing a collaborative national postgraduate
research program for 22 Australian film schools

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2013 NATIONAL SPARC COLLOQUIUM

**DRAFT
PROGRAM**

6 & 7 July 2013

CINEMA 2
VCA School of Film and Television
Melbourne University
Building 861 Grant St
234 St Kilda Road Southbank
VIC 3006 AUSTRALIA

MAP:

<http://maps.unimelb.edu.au/southbank/building/861>

DAY 1

Saturday 6 July
Cinema 2, VCA School of Film and TV
Melbourne University

9:30 Registration and coffee: Foyer School of Film and TV

10:00 Professor Su Baker (VCA - Melbourne University) + VIP

10:25 A/Professor Josko Petkovic (Murdoch)
SPARC Survey 2012

10:50 Professor Ross Harley (COFA - University of NSW)

11:15 Coffee FTV Foyer

11:35 Professor Kathryn Millard (Macquarie)

12:00 Professor Greg Battye (University of Canberra)

12:25 – 1:30 Lunch – VCA Queen of Hearts Café
Presentation by Honorary Professor Ian Lang
(University of Melbourne)

China - tell 'em we're dreamin': lesser known catastrophes, lurks and absconders in Australia's majestic Asian Century.

1:30 -2:45 Professor Jon Ruben (COIL-SUNY) and
Professor Herman von Eyken (Griffith)

Cloud-based exchanges with international partners - building distant media collaborations for aesthetic and intercultural engagement and mutual professional development. An overview with examples of extended student media co-productions and formats of institutional linkage

2:45-3:05 Coffee FTV Foyer

3:05-4:15 A/Professor Ingrid Richardson (Murdoch University)
Sam Cross (Murdoch University)
Jess Strider (Murdoch University)

Young and Well CRC and Creative Storytelling

6:30-9:30 Dinner (location TBA)

DAY 2

Sunday July 7
Cinema 2, VCA School of Film and TV
Melbourne University

- 9:30 Registration and coffee: Foyer School of Film and TV**
- Presentations by 5 state SPARC coordinators, either individually or as state panels
- 10:00 Nick Oughton and Dr Margaret McVeigh (Griffith Film School)
SPARC QLD Report (Griffith, QUT, Bond)
- 10:25 A/Professor Josko Petkovic
SPARC WA Report (MU, CU, ECU, NT, UWA)
- 10:50 A/Professor Gill Leahy et al
SPARC NSW Report (COFA, MCQ, UC, UN, UTS, UWS)
- 11:15 Coffee: FTV Foyer**
- 11:35 Dr Leo Berkeley/ Rachel Wilson (RMIT) & Annabelle Murphy (VCA)
SPARC VIC Report (RMIT, VCA, Deakin, Swinburne)
- 12:00 Dr Alison Wotherspoon (Flinders) et al
SPARC SA Report (Flinders, UniSA, Adelaide)
- 12:25-1:30 **Lunch and discussion: VCA Queen of Hearts Café**
- 1:30 Plenary Session: Formation of the National Collaborative Research Centre entitled Australian Screen Academy (ASA).
Presentations by the SPARC Project group and ASPERA and discussion (1/2 hour) followed by voting on governance (1/2 hour)
- 2:30 **Coffee: FTV Foyer**
- 3:00 Plenary Session on National Collaboration:
Brainstorm future ideas and future projects. Facilitated by A/Professor Mick Broderick (Murdoch University)
- 4:00 SPARC Colloquium ends