8th International Outdoor Education Research Conference
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Conference Program

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**Monday, 19 November**

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<td>WELCOME TO COUNTRY and CONFERENCE OPENING</td>
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Tuesday, 20 November

**Buses depart from Alexandra Surf Club**

### TUESDAY 8.15am-8.30am

**Session #** | ** Concurrent Session Times** | **D1.47** | **D1.48** | **D1.49** | **D1.51** | **D1.52**
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1 | Tuesday 9.00am-10.00am | Roger T. Couture | Bob Jickling | Abdul Kahid | Son Truong et al. | Bacon Chan
7: The Effects of a Quick Anxiety-Reducing Technique During a Likely Stressful Outdoor Activity | 76: Teachings of a Bark Canoe: Practice, Place, and Living Deliberately | 56: An exploratory study of Singapore teachers’ attitudes and approaches to outdoor education in schools | 41: The impact of community gardening on perceived health and wellbeing in social housing communities

### TUESDAY 9.15am-9.30am

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** (lecture theatre 3)

### TUESDAY 10.00am-10.30am

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2 | Tuesday 10.00am-10.30am | Alexandra Albert et al. | Marcus More et al. | Simon Beames | Patrick Dragle | Liz Rynieta et al.

### TUESDAY 10.30am-11.00am

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3 | Tuesday 10.30am-11.00am | Larke Mygind et al. | Lucas Bester | Emilia Fagerstam | Tony Keeble
33: A meta-analysis of nature and psychophysiological stress reduction | 94: Teaching and learning landscape-based navigation | 111: Regular outdoor learning in secondary school-students’ experiences | 24: Building Social Capital through the delivery of Outdoor Education

### TUESDAY 11.00am-11.30am

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4 | Tuesday 11.00am-12.00pm | Monica Green et al. | Kathleen Pleasant | Mike Boyes et al. | Stephen D. Ritchie et al.
52: Wild pedagogy in an unexpected landscape: Reflections and possibilities in initial teacher education | 85: Why do parents send their children on outdoor education experiences? | 86: Outdoor decision making as planned behaviour | 93: Challenges and opportunities related to collaborative research with Indigenous communities in Canada

### TUESDAY 12.00pm-12.30pm

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5 | Tuesday 12.00pm-12.30pm | Inger Wallem Krempig et al. | Heather E Prine | Andrew Brooks | Heather Grenon

### TUESDAY 12.30pm-1.30pm

**LUNCH (including poster sessions)**

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6 | Tuesday 12.30pm-1.30pm | Stephen Ritchie/Ayden Milleur et al. | Stephen Ritchie/Shelby Deibert et al | Stephen D. Ritchie et al. | Stephen D. Ritchie et al.
86: A Retrospective Study of the Perceived Importance of a Mandatory Outdoor Canoe Excursion from the Perspective of Alumni from a University in Canada | 85: Why do parents send their children on outdoor education experiences? | 93: Challenges and opportunities related to collaborative research with Indigenous communities in Canada

### TUESDAY 1.30pm - 2.15pm

**PANEL SESSIONS**

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7 | Tuesday 1.30pm-2.15pm | Joelle Breaux-Hood | David Hills et al. | Brian Wattchow et al. | Ivor Heijnen
20: The impact of outdoor education on body image and self-efficacy of adolescent girls | 43: Digital Technology and Outdoor Education: Where are we now and where are we headed? | 90: Secret lives: The qualitative research impact of a land-based program for youth from an Aboriginal Community in Canada

### TUESDAY 2.15pm-2.45pm

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8 | Tuesday 2.15pm-2.45pm | Patrick Maher | Genevieve Blakes | Takano Takako | Soren Andkjaer
60: Friluftsliv 2.0: Nature/culture connections in a new place | 87: An Ethic of Belonging for Outdoor Education | 51: An ecopoagogy of (bush)walking | 21: How experiences transform through time; Reflective study of place-based educational program up to 35 years

### TUESDAY 2.45pm TO 3.15pm

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9 | Tuesday 2.45pm TO 3.15pm | Kirst Pedersen Gurlhot et al. | Chris Loynes | Mark Leather | Soren Andkjaer et al.

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10 | Tuesday 3.15pm TO 3.45pm | Heather Grenon | Ilona Arendt | Lucas Bester | Tony Keeble
111: Regular outdoor learning in secondary school-students’ experiences | 110: Epistemological questions in case-based outdoor fatality prevention | 24: Building Social Capital through the delivery of Outdoor Education

### TUESDAY 3.45pm-4.15pm

**AFTERNOON TEA**

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11 | Tuesday 3.45pm-4.15pm | Buses depart from USC Bus Terminal back to Alexandra Surf Club | | | | |

### TUESDAY 7.00pm-10.00pm

**Dinner and Drinks at One-Up Bar and Bistro, Mooloolaba (15-20 minute walk from organised accommodation)**
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<td>Brendon Munge et al. 81: ‘Learning through your feet’: Multidisciplinary case studies investigating the role and purpose of outdoor fieldwork in Australian universities</td>
<td>Susanna Ho et al. 5: Evaluation of an MOE-OBS Programme in Singapore</td>
<td>Alessandro Bortoli et al. 25: Go Out and Learn: collaborative international professional development into outdoor learning</td>
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<td>TA Løfller 8: “Did You Have Fun Playing with Your Students Today” and Other Conundrums of Being an Outdoor Educator in Post-Secondary Education</td>
<td>Abdul Kaled 22: The nature and scope of outdoor education in the city-state of Singapore: outdoor practitioners’ perceptions of outdoor education</td>
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<td>Chris North et al. 108: Do vans and buses constitute a third place? The importance of transport time in OE</td>
<td>Heidi Smith et al. 62: Impact of transculturality on student experience in higher education</td>
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**Wednesday, 21 November**

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**MORNING TEA**

**WEDNESDAY 12.00pm-12.30pm**

**LUNCH**

(Australian Tertiary Outdoor Education Network Meeting - Room D1.52, 12.45pm - 1.30pm)

**WEDNESDAY 1.30pm - 2.15pm**

**PANEL SESSIONS**

**Lecture Theatre 3**

**Publishing Pitfalls and Possibilities**

Simon Beames, Barbara Humblestone, Heather Prince, Pat Maher

**Room D1.48**

**Innovative Research Methodologies**

Mark Leather, Brian Watcchow, Genny Blades, James Neill

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<td>Sören AndBjar et al. 27: NatureMoves - Places for childrens outdoor recreation in Denmark</td>
<td>Tom Potter et al. 10: On the chopping block: The international demise of outdoor education in higher education</td>
<td>Sandy Allen-Craig et al. 95: Relinking Outdoor Education Leadership Spaces: Using catching features, hand rails, and bearings to help amplify lesser heard voices in the broad landscape of outdoor learning.</td>
<td>Scott Jukes 9: Thinking outdoor environmental education differently: Material relations on a Snowy River journey</td>
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<td>Jakob Thordssonsen et al. 73: Challenging the conventional wisdom of time children spend outside</td>
<td>Beau Miles 99: Death of a healthy teen: An outdoor education course shut down in its prime</td>
<td>Tonia Gray et al. 15: Reflective insights to help advance the outdoor profession towards gender inclusive leadership</td>
<td>Genevieve Blades 50: Walking with/in a postphenomenology methodology</td>
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<td>Lærke Mygind et al. 34: Nature-based health promotion for children and adolescents: A systematic review of interventions, designs and outcomes</td>
<td>Jørgen Wiesemann Enksten 84: Do we need more failing in Outdoor Education?</td>
<td>Rachel Davies et al. 16: Diverse Perspectives: An Exploration of Gender and Leadership in Outdoor Recreation</td>
<td>Jonas Mikaels 63: Thinking immanence in school-based friluftsliv/outdoor education through the concept of ecosophy</td>
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**WEDNESDAY 3.45pm-4.15pm**

**AFTERNOON TEA**

**WEDNESDAY 4.15pm**

Buses depart from USC Bus Terminal back to Alexandra Surf Club

**WEDNESDAY 7.00pm-10.00pm**

Organise your own dinner groups and venues
Friday, 23 November

FRIDAY  8.15am-8.30am
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (lecture theatre 3)

FRIDAY  9.15am-9.30am
MORNING TEA

FRIDAY  9.30am-10.00am
17 FRIDAY 9.30am-10.00am
Morten Asfeldt
Paul Salmon / Clare Dallat
Heidi Smith et al.
19: Visiting scholar experiences of transcultural outdoor studies in higher education
Alex Prins et al.
89: Inside the curl: A qualitative search
Shirley Wyver et al.

FRIDAY 10.00am-10.30am
18 FRIDAY 10.00am-10.30am
Sean Blenkinsop et al.
75: Wild Pedagogies: A Scholastic Experiment in Re-Wilding Research
Tony Carden
80: Structural reform of safety regulation for led outdoor activities: the next step.
Beau Miles et al.
102: The axeman and the activist: Collusions in the tea room
Phil M. Mullins
108: Learning Lessons from Outdoor Recreation
Rowena Passy et al.

FRIDAY 10.30am-11.00am
19 FRIDAY 10.30am-11.00am
James Neill
116: Life effectiveness and outdoor education: Theory, research, and applications
Gare Dallat et al.
35: Developing a Systems Approach to Risk Assessment in the Led Outdoor Activity Context
Kathleen Mahon et al.
11: Moving beyond ‘methodising’ theory in preparing for the profession
Greg Sjordalen
37: How an understanding of the motivations and orientations of athletes doing nature-based activities can inform outdoor education program design, and delivery, that deepens participants eco-relationships
Eric Mygind
38: The TEACHOUT study: impacts of education outside the classroom - udeskole - on pupils’ physical activity, well-being and learning

FRIDAY 11.00am-11.30am
PLENARY SESSION (lecture theatre 3)

FRIDAY 11.30am-12.00pm
20 FRIDAY 11.30am-12.00pm
Mark Leather et al.
1: Hyperreality, young people and “nature”
Noel Gough
54: Speaking of Nature: Generating Ecocritical Questions from Ursula Le Guin’s (1929-2018) Speculative Fictions
Jennifer Wigglesworth
74: The Cultural Politics of Naming Outdoor Rock Climbing Routes.
Morahiro Okada et al.
31: The effects of ‘attachment to nature’ during camp on ‘attitudes toward nature’ of elementary and junior high school students

FRIDAY 12.00pm-1.00pm
LUNCH

FRIDAY 1.00pm - 2.15pm
PLENARY SESSION (lecture theatre 3)

FRIDAY 4.15pm
Buses depart from USC Bus Terminal for accommodation venues or Sunshine Coast Airport