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*UOW Philosophy Forum presents:*

# The 2016 UOW Philosophy Training Conference

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

*Bundanoon Hotel, Bundanoon*

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**Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> November**

10.30am: Arrival and Registration

11.30am: Welcome and Opening of Conference

12pm: Lunch

1pm: *The (Epistemic) Value of Diversity*

Nicolle Brancazio, PhD

2.30pm: Afternoon tea

3pm: *Addiction and Responsibility – a survey of the options*

Dr David Neil

4.30pm: *Do we lack character? The situationist challenge to virtue ethics*

Cameron Lutman, Honours

5.30pm: *Communicating Effectively*

Maggie Sydenham, Distinguished Toastmaster

6.30pm: Dinner

**Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> December**

8am: Breakfast

9.30am: *Hallucinations- Inner fictions, outer realities, or something in between?*

Dr Tom Froese

11am: Morning tea

11.30am: *How to Get Degrees*

Dr Ian Ravenscroft

1pm: Lunch

2pm: *Human Nietzsche*

Phil Newton

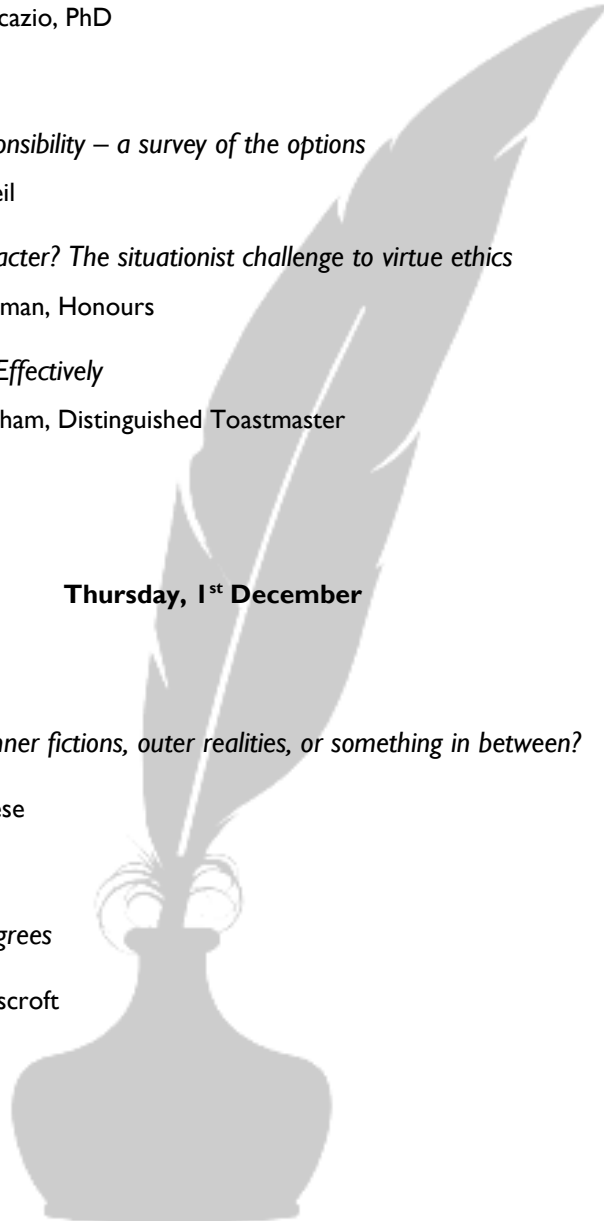
3.30pm: Afternoon tea

4pm: *Searching for the Natural Origins of Content*

Dr Glenda Satne

5.30pm: Break

6.30pm: Dinner with musician, Adam Penman



**Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> December**

8am: Breakfast

9am: *Can I kick my robot dog? Ethical and societal implications of personal robots*

Anco Peeters, PhD

10am: *Q&A Philosophers Panel*

11.30am: Official Close of Conference



*We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians, First Peoples and owners of the land on which this Conference takes place, the Gundungurra peoples, and pay our respects to elders past, present and future.*

**Conference Organisers and Safety Officers**

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**A Note from the Philosophy Forum**

We are thrilled to welcome you to the second UOW undergraduate focussed and run Philosophy Training Conference.

Darcy and Cameron will be your hosts and organisers for the Conference. Please feel free to contact them at any point throughout the event as we endeavour to create the best experience for you as possible.

We challenge you to soak in as much as possible during this Conference, which is packed with theoretical and practical skills in the art of Philosophy. We would like to thank all of our speakers at this event for their time and for sharing their experience and knowledge.

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