

SOUTHERN WORLDS: SOUTH AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

An important new symposium to be held at Monash South Africa 25-27 November, 2008

South Africa and Australia are very different. Yet there are some similarities and there are connections. Both countries face challenges. Both can learn from each other.

A new international symposium will examine these connections and compare the differences between the two societies. It is the first time a conference with this focus will be held in South Africa.

Hosted by Monash University, it will be held here at the South African campus in Johannesburg.

The program features distinguished and expert speakers from both countries to discuss the shared experiences of the two societies:

- > the colonial and post-colonial experience,
- > indigenous and multi-racial experiences,
- > the divisive apartheid years, and
- > future prospects for trade and co-operation.

The symposium is open to all with a serious interest in the future of the two countries and their relationship: policy makers, representatives of the media, government, business, education and the wider community, in short all those with an interest in South Africa and Australia – are encouraged to attend.

For more information on the program, speakers and registration,
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