



AUSTRALIAN COUNCIL OF DEANS OF  
INFORMATION & COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY

**Annual Council Meeting and ALTA Forum  
University of Western Australia  
Tue 18 June – Thu 20 June 2024  
Final schedule, 16 June**

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There is no cost for attendance

### **Registration – closed**

Registration has now closed and final numbers have been sent to the various caterers.

### **Venue**

Computer Science & Software Engineering (CSEE), University of Western Australia, Crawley Campus; marked on the map on the last page of this document. We will be meeting at level 2, room 207.

### **Parking**

For those travelling by car, the fifth page of this document shows suitable parking options.

### **Travel**

There are direct or indirect flights to Perth airport from most major cities.

### **Accommodation**

A web search for 'hotels crawley wa' finds many accommodation options. Our host suggests Wonil Hotel Perth, marked on the map on the last page of this document. A special rate has been arranged: we have been told "use Client code SCP427333 and Access code UN344AU154". Some other options are available here: <https://www.uwa.edu.au/study/student-life/accommodation/short-stays>

### **ACM dinner**

A dinner on the evening of Tuesday 18 June is provided for people attending the ACM as the official representative of a member university. Dinner will be in the Catalina Room of the Matilda Bay, which is marked on the map on the last page of this document. Drinks will be from 6pm, and dinner from 6.45. The attendance list has been taken from the registration form.

### **ALTA forum dinner**

A dinner on the evening of Wednesday 19 June is provided for people attending the ALTA forum. Dinner will be in the University Club, which is marked on the map on the last page of this document. Drinks will be from 6pm, and dinner from 7. The attendance list has been taken from the registration form.

### **Schedule**

Please see the next three pages. Details and timing are subject to further change.

## ACDICT ACM – Tuesday 18 June

Expected audience: ACDICT members ('deans') or their nominees; ALTA forum attendees also welcome

| <i>Time</i> | <i>Session</i>  | <i>Detail</i>   |
|-------------|---|---|
| 8.30-9      | Arrive and sign in; tea & coffee                                      |   |
| 9-9.30      | Welcome, president's report   | Simeon Simoff   |
| 9.30-10     | ACM resolutions   | <i>Motions regarding aspects of ACDICT membership and the appointment of an executive officer</i>   |
| 10-10.30    | Meeting of minds  | <i>Discussion among ACDICT, CORE, and the Australasian chapter of SIGCSE</i>  |
| 10.30-11    | <i>Morning tea</i>  | <i>Nominations for election to executive close at 12 noon</i>   |
| 11-12.30    | Reports from universities   | <i>Three-minute spoken reports from each university, and subsequent discussion; reports typically cover enrolment and staff variation, new and discarded programs, and university changes; this year we also invite members to mention their approach, if any, to teaching-focused positions.</i> |
| 12.30-1.30  | <i>Lunch</i>  |   |
| 1.30-2      | Keynote talk  | Barney Glover, Commissioner of Jobs and Skills Australia  |
| 2-2.30      | Election of executive 2024-2026                                       | Simon   |
| 2.30-3      | Round table   | <i>Teaching-focused positions</i>   |
| 3-3.30      | <i>Afternoon tea</i>  |   |
| 3.30-4      | Introduction, incoming president                                      | Stewart Von Itzstein  |
| 4-4.30      | Treasurer's report & discussion                                       | Will Billingsley  |
| 4.30-5      | ACM general discussion  | Stewart Von Itzstein  |
| evening     | ACM dinner, Matilda Bay (Catalina Room): drinks at 6; dinner at 6.45. | For official university delegates to ACM; cost covered by ACDICT  |

## ALTA forum day 1 – Wednesday 19 June

Expected audience: computing academics, especially those with some responsibility for teaching and learning

| <i>Time</i> | <i>Session</i>  | <i>Detail</i>  |
|-------------|---|--|
| 8.30-9      | Arrive and sign in; tea & coffee                                |  |
| 9-10.30     | ALTA projects 2023 – overview and progress reports              | Nicole Herbert: <i>Incorporating Indigenous perspectives within ICT curriculum across Australian universities</i><br>Ritesh Chugh: <i>AI-powered pedagogy: generative AI as a learning assistant</i><br>Tom Chandler: <i>Virtual ecologies: modelling and animating 3D Australian landscapes</i> |
| 10.30-11    | <i>Morning tea</i>  |  |
| 11-12.30    | Curriculum  | Jingbo Wang: <i>Quantum Computing Curriculum</i><br>Rachel Cardell-Oliver: <i>AMSI/Data Science Accreditation</i><br>Jim Hogan: <i>Pathways to PhD</i>   |
| 12.30-1.30  | <i>Lunch</i>  |  |
| 1.30-3      | Generative AI   | Helen Gniel, Director, TEQSA Higher Education Integrity Unit: <i>Academic Integrity in Higher Education</i><br>Mubashar Hassan, Scott Daniel: <i>Generative AI &amp; academic integrity</i><br>Round table: <i>Generative AI and academic integrity</i>  |
| 3-3.30      | <i>Afternoon tea</i>  |  |
| 3.30-5      | Miscellaneous   | Doug Kelly: <i>Academic integrity experience</i><br>Rene Leveau: <i>Academic integrity</i><br>Tele Tan: <i>The Autism Academy - advancing innovation through neurodiversity</i>  |
| evening     | ALTA forum dinner, University Club: drinks at 6; dinner at 6.45 | For all attending ALTA forum; cost covered by ACDICT   |

## ALTA forum day 2 – Thursday 20 June

Expected audience: computing academics, especially those with some responsibility for teaching and learning

| <i>Time</i> | <i>Session</i>       | <i>Detail</i>  |
|-------------|----------------------|--|
| 8.30-9      | Tea & coffee         |  |
| 9-10.30     | Industry engagement  | Andrew Walker, Ben Dixon: <i>Industry expectations</i><br>Stewart Von Itzstein: <i>Higher degree apprenticeships</i><br>Ana Hol: <i>Real projects, real stakeholders, real learning</i>  |
| 10.30-11    | <i>Morning tea</i>   |  |
| 11-12.30    | Miscellaneous        | Johan Boshof, Marty Schmude: <i>Atrium: A home grown solution supporting students, developed by academics for academics</i><br>Chris McDonald: <i>Visualising dynamically allocated memory</i><br>Round table: <i>Engagement in programming subjects</i> |
| 12.30-1.30  | <i>Lunch</i>         |  |
| 1.30-3      | Miscellaneous        | Scott Daniel: <i>Humanitarian engineering</i><br>Jin Hong: <i>Cybersecurity study tour to Korea: lesson learned</i><br>Paul Haskell-Dowland: <i>Using Microsoft Azure Labs to develop and deliver virtual IT environments</i>                            |
| 3-3.30      | <i>Afternoon tea</i> |  |
| 3.30-4.30   | Indigenous education | Cat Kutay: <i>A community voice in curriculum design</i><br>Jayne Boyce: <i>Embedding Aboriginal Content into curriculum</i>   |
| 4.30        | Close                | Stewart Von Itzstein   |

# ACDICT Parking Information



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| Car Park 63       | Use Yellow and Green Bays ONLY               |
| Car Park 52       | Use Green Bays ONLY (Limited bays available) |
| On Street Parking | On-Street Paid Parking                       |
|                   | Entrance to CSSE Reception                   |

Please be advised parking is paid using the Easy Park app. The car parks start to fill from 830am onwards.

Visitors are allocated the green and yellow bays only.

