



# **KONRAD ADENAUER** LECTURE SERIES

"Uncertain Times. Germany, Europe and the World Order"

**THURSDAY 15 NOVEMBER 2018, 5.30 – 8.30PM** 

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The current epoch, which as yet has no name, began well with the peaceful reemergence of a united German state



in the centre of Europe. What went wrong? This lecture will reflect on the distinctive features of the era that began in 1989/90, the reemergence of authentic global multipolarity, the impact of the global financial crisis on Europe, and the decline of the narratives that used to help western states plot their course in history.

## **VENUE**

UNIVERSITY HOUSE, THE AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY 1 BALMAIN CRESCENT, ACTON ACT 2601

### **PROGRAMME**

#### REGISTRATION

#### OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS IN THE HALL, UNIVERSITY HOUSE

Welcome address by Professor Jacqueline Lo, Executive Director, ANU Centre for European Studies

Introduction of keynote speaker by Dr Beatrice Gorawantschy, Director, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, Regional Programme Australia and the Pacific

Konrad Adenauer Lecture by Professor Sir Christopher Clark, Regius Professor of History, University of Cambridge

Response by The Honourable Dr Brendan Nelson, Director, The Australian War Memorial, and Distinguished Research Fellow, ANU Centre for European Studies

Audience Q&A

Vote of thanks

COCKTAIL RECEPTION IN THE COMMON ROOM, UNIVERSITY HOUSE

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