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ESAANZ conference 2024

Call for Papers

6 December 2024, The University of Melbourne, Melbourne Australia

The European Studies Association of Australia and New Zealand (ESAANZ) invites panel and paper proposals for the 2024 conference in a *hybrid* format at the University of Melbourne, Australia on 6 December 2024.

Abstracts due: 10 October 2024

Conference theme:

A path forward for Europe: pursuing peace, justice and hope

At times of heightened military confrontation in Ukraine and the Middle East, the ideas of peace, justice and hope seem like precious commodities. The most basic assumptions of the progressive and democratic vision of Europe and the European Union have been called into question, embodied in the resurgence of populist and right-wing parties across the continent. The ongoing war in Ukraine has again brought political realism to the forefront in military, economic and diplomatic thinking. At the same time, however, the resilience and perseverance of the Ukrainian people has sustained hope, mobilizing political and social activity and support against Russian aggression. The European Union's future-oriented policies on climate, cybersecurity and AI continue to articulate the need for integrated action. And at the global level, a just transition has been called for to secure peace, prosperity and the sustainability of our planet.

In this context, the ESAANZ 2024 conference will focus on the complexities of continuing challenges and transformations in Europe and its neighbourhood from a variety of perspectives: politics, economy, environment and society. The conference organizers invite papers across the broad spectrum of disciplines relating to Europe in these transformative times.

Submission of proposals

Please send proposals to **esaanz2024@gmail.com**

Proposal to include:

1) full name, 2) current institutional affiliation, 3) title/position, 4) contact details including telephone number, 5) title of panel or paper, 6) panel description or abstract of paper (200 words or less), 7) planned format of your presentation (on-line or face to face). If you are submitting a panel proposal, please provide the contact details and abstracts of all panellists, with a maximum of 4 speakers per panel.

Key dates

- Abstract with biography/panel proposal submission deadline: **10 October 2024**
- Panel and abstract acceptance notification issued: **30 October 2024**
- Conference: **6 December 2024**

Conference registration

- \$100 full registration fee (1 year ESAANZ membership included)
- \$30 student discount registration fee (1 year ESAANZ membership included)
- \$30 registration fee (no-presenting, participating on-line)
- \$30 registration fee (no-presenting, attending face to face)

Register through this Eventbrite link:

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/esaanz-conference-2024-tickets-1007302136807?aff=oddtcreator>

Open Issue of ANZJES – submit by 31 October

- If you would like your paper to be considered for an open issue of the Australia New Zealand Journal of the European Studies please submit the full paper through its submission system:
<https://openjournals.library.sydney.edu.au/ANZJES/about/submissions>

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