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Queensland's new education landscape

27–29 April 2011 • Brisbane

A FOCUS ON HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY AND SOSE

Expand your discipline knowledge and teaching skills in the areas of history, geography and Studies of Society and Environment by attending the QSA's Vision to Reality conference.

Over three days, specialist presenters will address important topics for teachers seeking to improve their expertise and prepare for implementation of the Australian Curriculum.

In addition to a range of concurrent sessions, options include two-hour extension sessions for deeper engagement with the subject matter.

Among the presenters is Hilary Cooper, an international expert on the teaching of history to primary school students.

Covering all phases of schooling, this is the most comprehensive discipline-specific professional development available in 2011.

DR HILARY COOPER

Hilary Cooper is Professor of History and Pedagogy at the University of Cumbria, England. She previously taught at Goldsmiths' College, University of London, after teaching for many years in London primary schools. Hilary has published widely on teaching and learning, specialising in primary history education.

COST

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| One day | \$263 |
| Two days | \$526 |
| Three days | \$790 |

HOW TO REGISTER

For more information and to register visit www.qsa.qld.edu.au/conference

VENUE

Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre (BCEC)

Corner Merivale and Glenelg Streets
South Bank, Brisbane
Queensland 4101

| Session type | Session title | Years | Presenter/s |
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| Wednesday | | | |
| Extension session 2 | Using archaeological sources in Ancient History | Yrs 11–12 | Andrew Fairbairn |
| Concurrent sessions block A | About time! Weighing up the national history curriculum | Yrs 8–10 | Brian Hoeppe |
| Concurrent sessions block B | Engagement with Asia in the Australian Curriculum | P–12 | Anne Fisher |
| Concurrent sessions block B | Geography 2.0: The future of geography in the classroom | Yrs 4–12 | Rebecca Nicholas |
| Concurrent sessions block C | Discover, explore and connect online: 20th century Australian archival records | Yrs 4–12 | Greg Cope |
| Concurrent sessions block C | Making Australia's capital city a must-do excursion destination | Yrs 4–12 | Garry Watson |
| Concurrent sessions block C | The Australian Curriculum: an update — geography, the arts and languages | P–10 | Robert Randall |
| Concurrent sessions block D | From SOSE to history and geography and beyond | Yrs 4–10 | Terry Gallagher |
| Thursday | | | |
| Extension session 8 | Planning using depth studies in history | Yrs 7–10 | Glenn Davies and Julie Hennessey |
| Extension session 11 | History in the primary school | Yrs 4–6 | Hilary Cooper |
| Concurrent sessions block E | Constructivist approaches to history education in the primary school | K–7 | Hilary Cooper |
| Concurrent sessions block F | What was life like? Using evidence to teach primary history | P–7 | Kate Smyth |
| Friday | | | |
| Extension session 18 | Effective and critical use of ICTs for teaching and learning in history | Yrs 11–12 | Olivia Clarke and Ian Gray |
| Extension session 20 | Location, location: The possibilities of discipline-based learning in the middle years of schooling | Yrs 4–9 | Alaric Maude |
| Concurrent sessions block I | My place (2008–1788): A multimodal destination that brings to life Australian history through the "eyes" of children | Yrs 4–10 | Deborah Cohen |
| Concurrent sessions block I | Teaching geography in a one-to-one environment | Yrs 8–12 | Joanne McDonald |

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