

HETSA Matters

A word from Alex Millmow, President of HETSA

HETSA is delighted to announce that the Governor of the Reserve Bank of Australia, Glenn Stevens, has agreed to become our patron. Glenn is one of the alumni of the University of Sydney and in a speech a few years ago recalled and praised the worth of a history of economics thought unit he took under Professor Peter Groenewegen. We hope that Glenn might join us at the 23rd HETSA conference dinner on the evening of July 8.

HETSA is proud to announce a new completely revamped web site at hetsa.org.au. Please have a look at it! You will find that it now hosts the digital archive that the Faculty of Commerce at the ANU kindly hosted for a number of years. The web site, which was kindly prepared by Chris Mawson of the University of Notre Dame Australia, will serve as our platform to the world and is similar to the ESHET and HES websites. If you would like more features added, please contact me. I will act as the website administrator. Please draw interested colleagues to it.

Notice from Matthew Smith on the 2010 HETSA Conference

The Twenty-Third Annual Conference of the History of Economic Thought Society of Australia is to be held 7-9 July 2010, at the University of Sydney, Sydney. There will be a welcome reception on the evening of 6 July.

The distinguished visitor to give the keynote speech to the conference will be Professor Harald Hagemann, University of Hohenheim, Stuttgart, Germany. Harald has a most distinguished CV with important contributions to the history of economic thought as well as to economic theory.

Abstracts for papers to the conference can be submitted up to 30 April 2010, though there is always some leeway given beyond this date. It is anticipated that the webpage for the conference will be set up by the New Year, which will provide all the important information.

I will update you on the progress of the 2010 HETSA conference from time to time in the future.

Regards,

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