



NATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR REGIONAL, RURAL, REMOTE EDUCATION

18 - 20 AUGUST 2026 | MERCURE BALLARAT

DRAFT PROGRAM

Tuesday 18 August 2026

	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3
8:30am - 5:00pm			Regional University Study Hubs Network Symposium <i>(must be a member of the Regional University Study Hubs)</i>
1:00pm	Regional Uni Campus Forum	Principals Meeting	
3:00pm	Conference Registration opens		
5:00pm - 7:00pm	Welcome Reception		

Wednesday 19 August 2026

from 8:00am	Registration and Coffee on arrival			
8:45am - 9:00am	Conference Opening & Welcome			
9:00am - 10:00am	Keynote Presentation			

10:00am - 10:30am MORNING TEA

Room Theme	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
Parallel Session 1 10:30am - 11:00am	1A	1B	1C	1D
<i>10 minute change over</i>				
Parallel Session 2 11:10am - 11:40am	2A	2B	2C	2D
<i>10 minute change over</i>				
Parallel Session 3 11:50am - 12:20pm	3A	3B	3C	3D

12:20pm - 1:20pm LUNCH

Room Theme	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
Parallel Session 4 1:20pm - 1:50pm	4A	4B	4C	4D
<i>10 minute change over</i>				
Parallel Session 5 2:00pm - 2:30pm	5A	5B	5C	5D
<i>10 minute change over</i>				
Parallel Session 6 2:40pm - 3:10pm	6A	6B	6C	6D

3:10pm - 3:40pm AFTERNOON TEA

3:40PM - 4:40PM	Keynote Presentation			
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From 5:30pm	Conference Dinner			
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Thursday 20 August 2026

from 8:30am

Registration and Coffee on arrival

8:55am - 9:00am

Day 2 Welcome

9:00am - 10:00am

Keynote Presentation

10:00am - 10:30am

MORNING TEA

Room Theme
Parallel Session 7
10:30am - 11:00am

Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
7A	7B	7C	7D

10 minute change over

Parallel Session 8
11:10am - 11:40am

8A	8B	8C	8D
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10 minute change over

Parallel Session 9
11:50am - 12:20pm

9A	9B	9C	9D
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12:20pm - 1:20pm

LUNCH

Room Theme
Parallel Session 10
1:20pm - 1:50pm

Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4
10A	10B	10C	10D

10 minute change over

Parallel Session 11
2:00pm - 2:30pm

11A	11B	11C	11D
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10 minute change over

Parallel Session 12
2:40pm - 3:10pm

12A	12B	12C	13D
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3:10pm - 3:40pm

AFTERNOON TEA

3:40PM - 4:40PM

Keynote Presentation

4:40 - 4:50PM

Conference Close