



Institute of Australian Geographers Conference 2013

We invite you to submit an abstract for presentation at IAG 2013

Submissions close on 19th April 2013.

All abstracts must be submitted as text only and not as an attachment. The maximum character limit for abstracts is 1750 characters (approx. 260 words) with a summary of 210 characters (approx. 30 words).

Please note that the abstract summary will be used in the printed conference program and full abstracts will be available online only.

You may submit only one abstract as senior author.

Our conference theme “Multi Speed Planet: Multi Speed Geographies?”, acknowledges Western Australia’s present position in the economic fast lane as a result the current – and mainly China driven – mining boom. However, it also seeks to encompass the environmental and social changes occurring at different rates and with differing effects in different locations and at different scales, from the decline in rainfall in South Western Australia in recent decades to the aging of the population in much of the developed world, the putative dawn of the ‘Asian century’ and the varied impacts and implications of climate change. The conference seeks to encompass all areas of geography and welcomes contributions from geographers working in education, government and industry as well as cross disciplinary input from scholars and practitioners in related areas. Given Western Australia’s proximity to and growing links with Asia, we also take pleasure in inviting Asian geographers to share their experiences with their Australian colleagues.

Abstracts on any area of geography are welcome, including:

- Biogeography, Biodiversity and Conservation
- Climate Science
- Cultural Geography
- Development Geography
- Economic Geography
- Environmental Sustainability
- Geomorphology and Hydrology
- GIScience, Spatial Analysis and Modelling
- Indigenous Issues
- Legal Geography
- Regional Development
- Rural Studies
- Spatial Planning
- Transport Geography and Mobilities Research
- Urban Geography

Notification of abstract acceptance will be advised by 26th April 2013.

If you require any assistance with your submission, please do not hesitate to contact promaco@promaco.com.au.

**Date 1–4 July 2013 at
The University of Western Australia**

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