

## **ANU Gender Institute Grants Report of Outcomes (Grant Round 2, 2017 and Grant Round 2, 2018)**

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### **Project title:**

WOMEN IN INTERNATIONAL SECURITY: SCHOLARSHIP AND PRACTICE

### **Project rationale:**

The field of international security is particularly male-dominated. This research and career development seminar series showcases the work and impact of notable women scholars and practitioners in international security. It promotes gender equity by helping to “normalize” the role of women in international security, through exposing key ANU audiences regularly to high-achieving women in this field. This approach is distinctive for featuring great women who do great work as a matter of course, not as side-shows or as ‘special cases’ that we need to create special events for. This can help to shift mindsets and assumptions over time.

### **Project activities:**

The entire series consists of 10 seminars by women scholars and practitioners, run over four semesters in 2018-9. (See extract from ANUWIIS website of the list of seminars in attachment.) The program was curated as a mix of seminars presenting ongoing research on topical international security issues; dialogues with policy-makers on contemporary security themes; and postgraduate career development workshops. In total, we hosted 17 speakers from a wide variety of fields and institutions, and recorded over 340 participants, again from a wide cross-section of faculty, staff and students at the ANU and other Canberra universities, as well as the interested public, media, private sector, and policy communities. More than this number have viewed our four event podcasts/videos. Our events attracted equal numbers of men and women. We partnered with various units/departments in the ANU to co-host key seminars, and also raised a significant amount of co-funding, especially from the Strategic and Defence Studies Centre. I am delighted to report that we achieved our aims.

The following table summarises the project activities, impact, and outcomes. Full details, including an archive of event posters, photos, and podcasts are available on our specially-created [ANUWIIS website](#) (hyperlinks to specific event pages are included below).

	Date	Seminar Type	Title	Speaker(s)	Participants	Event Partner
1	19 April 2018	Research	"The Death of this <a href="#">Security Norm</a> is Greatly Exaggerated" - Beyond the Violation/Compliance Dichotomy	Assoc. Prof. Sarah Percy, Dept of International Relations, University of Queensland	<a href="#">17</a>  (including from ANU College of Law, CAP, CASS)	NA
2	28 May 2018	Career Features	Making it in the <a href="#">Military</a>	<a href="#">Lieutenant</a> Colonel Clare O'Neill and Wing Commander Hannah Jude-Smith	12  (including students from ANU, ADFA)	NA
3	2 October 2018	Policy Dialogue	<a href="#">Shaping</a> Australia's Role in Indo-Pacific Security in the Next Decade	Secretary of Foreign Affairs & Trade, Ms. Frances Adamson	106  (including media, public, ANU staff & students)	SDSC
4	12 November 2018	Research	<a href="#">International</a> Hierarchy, Legitimacy, and the Founding of Joseon Korea	Asst. Prof. Ji-Young Lee, School of International Service, American University	26  (including ANU students and visiting faculty)	Sasakawa Peace Foundation (Tokyo)
5	20 March 2019	Research	Adjustment and Recognition in the Reform of Global Institutions: <a href="#">Nuclear Non-proliferation</a> and Beyond	Prof. Kalypso Nicolaidis, Dept of Politics & IR, University of Oxford	24  (including ANU scholars, policy community, Australian Red Cross)	
6	29 May 2019	Academic Career Reception	SDSC International Security <a href="#">Women Scholars</a> and their Scholarship	<a href="#">Prof.</a> Joan Beaumont, Prof. Evelyn Goh, Dr. Aurore Chow, Dr. Amy King, Dr. Meighen McCrae, Dr. Joanne Wallis (all SDSC)	55  (ANU students from cognate disciplines)	SDSC and Australian War College
7	31 July 2019	Academic Career Development	Making it in the Academic Jungle: <a href="#">Publishing</a> Strategies	<a href="#">Prof.</a> Em. Lorraine Elliott (IR), Prof. Toni Erskine (Bell), Prof. Evelyn Goh (SDSC)	<a href="#">40</a>  (ANU ECR and advanced PhDs)	SDSC, Bell School

8	12 August 2019	Research	<a href="#">Narrating</a> the Women, Peace and Security Agenda	Prof. Laura J. Shephard, University of Sydney	<a href="#">63</a> (including ANU scholars, policy community)	Dept. of International Relations
9	7 November 2019	Research	Talking Across the <a href="#">Economic-Security Divide</a> : Development, Securitization and Infrastructure	Ms. Priyanka Sunder, Dr. Amy King (SDSC) and Prof. Evelyn Goh (SDSC)	<a href="#">25</a> (including Canberra-based scholars, policy community)	NA
10	13 November 2019	Policy <a href="#">Dialogue</a>	Protecting and Promoting Australia's Interests in a Time of <a href="#">Strategic Competition</a>	Senator the Hon Penny Wong, Shadow Minister for Foreign Affairs & Trade and Leader of the Opposition in the Senate	45 (numbers capped at speaker's request; including Canberra-based scholars, policy and diplomatic community)	NA