

NEW THEORIES OF THE STATE'S AUTHORITY

31 October - 01 November 2016, Monday & Tuesday, Lee Sheridan Conference Room
NUS Faculty of Law, Bukit Timah Campus, Singapore

MONDAY, 31 OCT 2016

8.50am Bus departs from Studio M Hotel

9.15am **Registration**
Lee Sheridan Conference Room

9.30am **Welcome & Introduction**
Simon Chesterman
Nicole Roughan & Swati Jhaveri (National University of Singapore)

9.40am-11.00am

OPENING SESSION
CHAIR: TONY ANGHIE

A Framework for Historical Comparison of Control of National, Supranational and Transnational Public Power
Peter Cane (Christ's College Cambridge)

11.00AM-11.20PM: TEA BREAK
OUTSIDE LEE SHERIDAN CONFERENCE ROOM

11.20am-12.50pm

SESSION I
CHAIR: TBC

Towards a Pure Theory of Authority, and its Implications for Public Law
Michael Dowdle (National University of Singapore)

Authority and Public Law: Beyond Jurisdiction and Beyond Institutions
Nicole Roughan (National University of Singapore)

Comments & Discussion

12.50PM-2.00PM: LUNCH
FEDERAL PORTICO LOUNGE, FEDERAL BUILDING

2.00pm-3.45pm

SESSION II
CHAIR: KARLUIS QUEK

The Institutional Reality of State Authority and its Significance to Legal Philosophy

Arie Rosen (The University of Auckland)

Dynamic Separation of Powers

Dimitrios Kyritsis (University of Reading)

Comments & Discussion

3.45PM-4.10PM: TEA BREAK
OUTSIDE LEE SHERIDAN CONFERENCE ROOM

4.10pm-5.15pm

SESSION III
CHAIR: DAMIAN CHALMERS

Subjects, Forms, and Relationships of Administrative Authority

Kristen Rundle (The University of Melbourne)

Comments & Discussion

5.15pm-5.30pm

Group photo

5.45pm

Bus departs for dinner venue

6.00PM-8.00PM: WORKING DINNER
THE BANANA LEAF APOLO @RACE COURSE RD

8.30pm

Bus departs for Studio M hotel

TUESDAY, 01 NOV 2016

8.45am Bus departs from Studio M Hotel

9.15am-10.30am **SESSION IV**
CHAIR: KEVIN TAN

Authority and Government Contracting
Janet McLean (The University of Auckland)

Comments & Discussion

10.30AM-10.45AM: TEA BREAK
OUTSIDE LEE SHERIDAN CONFERENCE ROOM

10.45am-12.30pm **SESSION V**
CHAIR: SWATI JHAVERI

Governing Without Parliament: The Impact of Soft Law
Greg Weeks (University of New South Wales)

Arbitrary Power
Farah Ahmed (The University of Melbourne)

Comments & Discussion

12.30PM-1.40PM: LUNCH
FEDERAL PORTICO LOUNGE, FEDERAL BUILDING

2.00pm-3.30pm **SESSION VI**
CHAIR: DEAN KNIGHT

Administrative Constitutionalism
Swati Jhaveri (National University of Singapore)

Comments & Discussion

3.30-5.00pm **CLOSING SESSION**
Nicole Roughan
Swati Jhaveri

5.15pm Bus departs for dinner venue