



Australasian Society for Continental Philosophy

ASCP Conference Policy

According to the ASCP Constitution, “the Society shall undertake to organise an annual conference of the Society” (9.3). The conference registration will include the fees to become a member of the Society (§4.5). The Executive of the ASCP includes a Conference Officer (§7.1.8). An ordinary AGM shall be organized to coincide with each annual conference (§8.2)

The purpose of the ASCP conference is to:

1. Provide a network for those working in diverse institutions, disciplines, and areas of inquiry in philosophy.
2. Encourage productive and collegial relations between postgraduate students and professional academics and researchers.
3. Stimulate research in continental philosophy, broadly construed.
4. Cultivate a robust and pluralistic philosophical community in Australasia through exchanges with all practices of philosophy.
5. Promote and encourage interactions and exchanges between the philosophical community in Australasia with philosophers from overseas.
6. Provide professional development opportunities for post-graduate students and early career researchers.
7. Establish a diverse and inclusive environment for the presentation of research in philosophy.
8. Attract participants who become members of the ASCP
9. Ensure that income from the conference contributes to the financial position of the Society.
10. Invite significant keynote speakers who appeal the interests of the Society’s members.
11. Collaborate if appropriate with other professional associations or societies if that benefits our members.

The Conference Officer in the ASCP executive is responsible to:

1. Ensure the successful running of the conference every year.
2. Develop and implement an action plan for conference.
3. Participate in committees responsible for the running of the conference.