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# 2024 Conference on Women's Safety & Financial Security

Schedule and program

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Research School of Finance, Actuarial Studies and Statistics

College of Business and Economics

The Australian National University

Canberra ACT 2600 Australia

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# Conference Schedule

## Venue

[Australian Centre on China in the World](#)

ANU Building 188,

Fellows Lane, Canberra ([map](#))

## October 31, 2024

8:50am-9:30am	Welcome
9:30am-11:00am	Session 1
11:00am-11:30am	Morning tea
11:30am-1:00pm	Session 2
1:00pm-2:00pm	Lunch
2:00pm-3:30pm	Session 3
3:30pm-4:00pm	Afternoon tea
4:00pm-4:45pm	Session 4

## November 1, 2024

9:00am-10:30am	Session 5
10:30am-11:00am	Morning tea
11:00am-11:45pm	Session 6
11:45am-12:45pm	Lunch and farewell

# Conference Program

October 31, 2024

<b><u>Opening</u></b>	Introductions by Steve Sault, Director of RSFAS, ANU
<b>8:50am-9:00am</b>	Welcome to Country by Selina Walker, Ngunnawal Elder
<b>9:00am-9:10am</b>	Conference opening by Genevieve Bell AO FAHA FTSE ANU Vice Chancellor & Distinguished Professor
<b>9:10am-9:20am</b>	Remarks by Padma Raman, Executive Director, Office for Women, Department of Prime Minister & Cabinet
<b>9:20am-9:30am</b>	Welcome and housekeeping by Phong Ngo Conference Chair & Organizer, ANU
<b><u>Session 1</u></b>	<b>Chair:</b> Jananie William, ANU
<b>9:30am-10:15am</b>	<b>Title:</b> From Addiction to Aggression: The Spillover Effects of Opioid Policies on Intimate Partner Violence <b>Presenter:</b> Pinar Keskin, Wellesley College
<b>10:15am-11:00am</b>	<b>Title:</b> Earning and Enduring: The role of economic insecurity and breadwinner status on women's experiences of intimate partner violence. <b>Presenter:</b> Hayley Boxall, ANU
<b>11:00am-11:30am</b>	Morning tea

## **Session 2**

**Chair:** Jayson Tarawhiti, White Ribbon Australia

**11:30am-12:15pm**

**Title:** Economic and housing interventions to promote multi-generational healing

**Presenter:** Leila Wood, McGovern Medical School at UTHealth Houston

**12:15pm-1:00pm**

**Title:** Questioning masculine norms: The role of men in supporting women's economic equity

**Presenter:** Stephen Burrell, University of Melbourne

**1:00pm-2:00pm**

Lunch

## **Session 3**

**Chair:** Dana Hanna, ANU

**2:00pm-2:45pm**

**Title:** How perpetrators use legal processes to perpetrate financial abuse - stories from criminal, immigration and Family law

**Presenter:** Jan Breckenridge, UNSW

**2:45pm-3:30pm**

**Title:** Empower Finance: Forming an APAC alliance to address financial abuse

**Presenter:** Ryan Burke, International Finance Corporation

**3:30pm-4:00pm**

Afternoon tea

## **Session 4**

**Chair:** Ayesha Scott, Griffith University

**4:00pm-4:45pm**

**Title:** The Cost [of DFV on women's employment]

**Presenters:** Anne Summers (UTS), Thomas Shortridge (UTS) & Kristen Sobeck (ANU)

**End of Day 1**

November 1, 2024

**Session 5**

**Chair:** Rebecca Glenn, Centre for Women's Economic Safety

**9:00am-9:45am**

**Title:** Healing and Recovery: A Critical Support for Women's Economic Safety

**Presenter:** Karen Beven, Full Stop Australia

**9:45am-10:30am**

**Title:** Empowering Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence through Consumer Credit Building

**Presenter:** Laura Johnson, Temple University

**10:30am-11:00am**

Morning tea

**Session 6**

**Chair:** Anna Von Reibnitz, ANU

**11:00am-11:45pm**

**Title:** Recent measures to support cost-effective property settlements for separating families in Australia

**Presenter:** Rachel Carson, Australian Institute of Family Studies

**11:45am-12:45pm**

Lunch & farewell

# Speaker & Conference Chair Bios

## Speakers

### **Karen Beven**

CEO, Full Stop Australia ([bio](#))

### **Hayley Boxall**

Research Fellow, POLIS@ANU: Centre for Social Policy Research, College of Arts and Social Sciences, Australian National University ([bio](#))

### **Jan Breckenridge**

Professor and Head of the School of Social Sciences & Co-Convener of the UNSW Gendered Violence Research Network ([bio](#))

### **Stephen Burrell**

Lecturer in Criminology, University of Melbourne ([bio](#))

### **Ryan Burke**

Gender and Economic Inclusion Consultant  
World Bank Group – International Finance Corporation ([bio](#))

### **Rachel Carson**

Executive Manager - Family Law, Family Violence and Elder Abuse Research Team & Senior Research Fellow - Family Law, Family Violence and Elder Abuse  
Australian Institute of Family Studies ([bio](#))

### **Laura Johnson**

Assistant Professor of Social Work, College of Public Health, Temple University ([bio](#))

### **Pinar Keskin**

Associate Professor of Economics, Wellesley College ([bio](#))

### **Thomas Shortridge**

Domestic and Family Policy and Research Project Manager, UTS Business School

### **Kristen Sobeck**

Research Fellow, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, Australian National University ([bio](#))

### **Anne Summers**

Professor of Domestic and Family Violence at UTS Business School, University of Technology Sydney ([bio](#))

### **Leila Wood**

Professor, Louis Faillace Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences & Director of Research and Evaluation, Center for Violence Prevention  
McGovern Medical School at UTHealth Houston ([bio](#))

## **Conference Chair and Organiser**

### **Phong Ngo**

Associate Professor in Finance & Deputy Director of Research RSFAS, Australian National University ([bio](#))

## **Session Chairs**

### **Rebecca Glenn**

Founder and CEO of the Centre for Women's Economic Safety ([bio](#))

### **Dana Hanna**

Lecturer in Economics & CBE Associate Dean (Education), Australian National University ([bio](#))

### **Ayesha Scott**

Senior Lecturer – Finance & Financial Planning, Department of Accounting, Finance & Economics, Griffith University ([bio](#))

### **Jayson Tarawhiti**

Assistant Director, White Ribbon Australia ([bio](#))

### **Anna Von Reibnitz**

Senior Lecturer in Finance, Australian National University ([bio](#))

### **Jananie William**

Senior Lecturer in Actuarial Studies, Australian National University ([bio](#))

## **Conference Support Team**

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Connie Hagel, Senior School Administrator (Events) RSFAS