

Plenary Speakers

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**Plenary Session 1 – Being professional about doctorates for professionals:
an international perspective**
Monday 9th November 10.30 – 11.05

Terry Evans is a Professor of Education at Deakin University, Geelong, Australia and was Associate Dean of Education (Research and Doctoral Studies) for thirteen years. He was a founding member of the Council of Australian Deans and Directors of Graduate Studies and chaired its working party on professional doctorate guidelines. He is Chief Investigator on two Australian Research Council Projects: Research capacity-building: the development of the Australian PhD programs in national and emerging global contexts (with M Pearson & P Macauley); Australian doctoral graduates' publication, professional and community outcomes (with P Macauley), and an AusAID Australian Development

Research Grant entitled, Identifying strategies to sustain professional learning communities for teachers in remote primary schools in Papua New Guinea (with E Honan, S Muspratt, A Kukari & P Paraide). Terry Evans has published widely on doctoral education, in particular he has co-edited (with C Denholm) *Doctorates Downunder: Keys to successful doctoral study in Australia and New Zealand* (Melbourne, ACER, 2006), *Supervising doctorates downunder: Keys to effective supervision in Australia and New Zealand* (Melbourne, ACER, 2007) and *Beyond Doctorates Downunder: maximising the impact of your Australian or New Zealand doctorate* (Melbourne, ACER, 2009).

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