

# Getting Research into Policy & Practice (GRiPP)

When: Friday, 31 March 2023

Time: 9.00am-1.00pm

Venue: ModWest Building (11A), Room 131

This interactive half day workshop is designed for academics, professionals, and students who want to improve their understanding of the political and government landscape and how to frame and promote their research to inform and help shape evidence-based policy.

Approx. time	Program outline
9.00 – 11.00 am	<p><b>Part I: The Nuts and Bolts: Australia’s System of Government and the Policy Process</b></p> <p><a href="#">Associate Professor Pedro Fidelman</a>, Principal Research Fellow, Centre for Policy Futures</p> <p><b>How Australia is Governed</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Westminster System</li><li>• Federalism</li><li>• Key governance mechanisms</li><li>• The policy cycle</li></ul> <p><b>Understanding and Engaging in the Policymaking Process</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Understanding politics and policy</li><li>• How policymakers think</li><li>• Policy relevance and pathways to impact</li></ul> <p><b>Individual Quadrant Exercise</b></p> <p>Identifying your key community, interest groups, political and policy stakeholders</p>
11.00 – 11.30pm	<p><b>Morning Tea</b></p>
11.30 – 12.00 pm	<p><b>Part II: Policy Priorities of the Federal Government in 2023</b></p> <p>Ms Shannon Willoughby, Director Government Relations and Policy, UQ</p>
12.00 – 1.00 pm	<p><b>Part III: Panel Session of Policy Experts, “Policy Translation in Practice”</b></p> <p><a href="#">Dr Tim Seelig</a>, Director, Strategic Policy in the Office of Director-General, Department of Environment and Science, and Adjunct Associate Professor at the Centre for Policy Futures</p> <p><a href="#">Dr Nicki Shumway</a>, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Centre for Policy Futures</p>