Symposium: Halliday and ALL

We are pleased to announce the opening of registrations for the following AALL-funded event:

EVENT: The linguistic theory of Michael Halliday and its

contribution to Academic Language and Learning

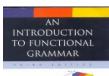
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WHEN: Friday 30 November, 2018

WHERE: Swinburne University of Technology, Hawthorn,

Victoria







There is no charge for this event

Michael Halliday, the founder of Systemic Functional Linguistics, died early this year. Halliday's contribution to our understandings of language and its uses in the world is acknowledged as being huge, described variously as 'catalytic' and 'revolutionary' (Cope and Kalantzis, 1994), including in our field of ALL.

The symposium is framed around the following aims:

- 1. To generally pay tribute to the contribution of Michael Halliday to our field.
- 2. To host a range of papers exploring ways in which Halliday's linguistics have informed (and can inform) ALL work
- 3. To introduce Halliday's ideas to AALL members who are less familiar with SFL's foundational concepts.

Pre-symposium workshop:

In line with the third of the aims above, a workshop will be held at the beginning of the day to introduce participants to some of the key concepts in Systemic-Functional theory, especially as outlined in Halliday's central work – *An Introduction to Functional Grammar*.

TIME: 9.00-10.30am

Delegates should indicate on the registration form whether they intend to take part in the workshop.

The symposium:

The symposium itself will consist of a range of formats: keynote addresses; parallel papers; roundtable presentations; and a panel discussion.

TIME: 10.30am-5.00pm

The program will be provided to delegates in advance of the event. We will also make available some pre-symposium reading for those interested.

Confirmed speakers include:

Sophie Abel; Kate Chanock; Rosemary Clerehan; Shooshi Dreyfus; Helen Drury; Saman Ebrahami; Dorothy Economou; Mark Eggins; Bronwyn James; Andrew Johnson; Rob McCormack; Ursula McGowan; Tim Moore; Steve Price; Emily Purser; Peter Russ; Gordon Taylor; Ingrid Wijiyewardene

Drinks will be held at the end of the day until 6.30 pm.

Registration:

Please click <u>here</u> to complete the registration form

Registration will run until 31 October (In the event that the symposium is oversubscribed, priority will be given to AALL members)

Please send any inquiries to: tjmoore@swin.edu.au

We look forward to seeing you on November 30.

The organising group

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