

CAULLT Conference 2026

Provocations for Leading in Learning and Teaching

Friday, 23 October 2026; 10am to 4 pm AEDT

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9:30am	Registration opens
9:45	Zoom meeting opens
10:00-10:15	Welcome and Welcome to Country
10:15-11:15	Session 1 Driving professional practice in learning and teaching Prof. Emerita Liz Johnson , former Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Deakin University
11:15-11:30	Morning Tea
11:30-12:30	Session 2 Enhancing Program Leadership: from Knowing to Enabling Responsibility, Influence and Collective Agency Prof. Ian Solomonides , former Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academic), Victoria University. Laura Fairbrother , Associate Director Curriculum, Assessment and Teaching Development, Charles Darwin University
12:30-13:30	Lunch Announcement: CAULLT / HERDSA Award for Outstanding Leadership in Research and Development in Higher Education
13:30-14:30	Session 3 Designing the Conditions for Student Success: Learning Environments for a Changing Higher Education Landscape Prof. Karen Nelson , Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Education and Students), University of Western Sydney
14:30-14:45	Afternoon Tea

14:45-15:45	Session 4 Assurance of learning is not new. So why is it such a challenge? Associate Prof. Jessica Marrington, Associate Dean (Learning and Teaching Futures), University of Southern Queensland
15:45-16:00	Wrap-Up and Close