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Successful Ageing Seminar

The myths and realities of our water supply

The proposed Murray-Darling Basin Plan has been one of the most controversial pieces of public policy in Australia's recent history. The Plan will set legally enforceable limits on the quantities of surface and ground water that may be taken from Basin water resources. With irrigators, environmentalists and governments divided on key elements of the Plan, confusion exists around what it will mean for those living and working in the Basin. This seminar aims to dispel some of the myths surrounding a water system of immense economic, social and environmental importance to Australia.

Presenters:

Professor Jennifer McKay is the Director of UniSA's Centre for Comparative Water Policies and Laws. Her key research interests concern regulatory models for the management and allocation of water between competing uses and between competing jurisdictions.

Professor Don Bursill AM was Chief Scientist with the South Australian Water Corporation for 16 years and is internationally acknowledged as one of Australia's most respected water scientists. He has spent 40 years in the water industry with a principal interest in water quality policy, planning and management.

FREE admission

Date: Thursday 27 September 2012

Time: 2 – 4pm

Venue: Lecture Theatre BH2-09
Barbara Hanrahan Building
(Ground Floor)
City West campus
North Terrace, Adelaide

Registration essential

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Afternoon tea will be served

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You are invited to hear from two water experts as they consider the past, present and future state of the Murray-Darling Basin

Professor Jennifer McKay

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Director, Centre for Comparative Water Policies and Laws
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Professor Don Bursill AM

Chief Scientist for South Australia
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