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International Law and the South China Sea: Atolls and Arbitrations

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Live broadcast to Brisbane, Melbourne, Adelaide and Perth. Visit law.uq.edu.au/rclecture for details.

When

Thursday 27 November 2014

Where

Federal Court, Court room XX, Level 17
Law Courts Building, Queens Square, Sydney

Time

5.30pm - 7.30pm AEST

(Light refreshments served after the lecture)

Register

Essential, by 20 November 2014. Register at

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Brisbane: Court 1, Level 7, Harry Gibbs Commonwealth Law Courts, 119 North Quay from 4:30pm to 6:30pm.

Melbourne: Court 1, Commonwealth Law Courts Building, 305 William Street from 5:30pm to 7:30pm.

Adelaide: Court 3 Roma Mitchell Commonwealth Law Courts Building, 3 Angas St from 5:00pm to 7:00pm.

Perth: Court 4, Peter Durack Commonwealth Law Courts Building, 1 Victoria Avenue from 3:30pm to 5:30pm.

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