

# **MEDIA RELEASE**

ACCF is pleased to announce the ACCF Women's Conference and Celebration Dinner will be held on Tuesday, 11 June 2019 at NSW Parliament House and Amora Hotel Jamison Street, Sydney respectively.

The primary focus of this conference is to meet and engage in conversations with women from all walks of life who share common background as a migrant and each has a unique and inspirational story to tell. Their experiences and contributions in politics, business, academic, arts, home-making, community services and many other industries in Australia will provide valuable insight on how to rise above challenges related to their integration into society to reach the heights of success. It is also a community initiative of ACCF to promote multiculturalism as being one of the objectives of the Foundation.

There will be a celebration dinner to follow in the evening at Amora Hotel Jamison Street, Sydney. The night will include multicultural performances and opportunities to meet, network and be inspired by migrant women who have played a significant role in today's multicultural society.

Mrs Monica Chu, ACCF Chairman welcome and expressed sincere gratitude for the support ACCF received from various corporate and individual sponsors:

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In Particular, Mrs Chu would like to extend special thanks to our guest speakers, Masters of Ceremony and facilitator at the Conference:

### Keynote Speaker:

• Professor The Hon Dame Marie Bashir AD CVO, former Governor of New Wales (2001-2014)

### **Conference Speakers**:

- Ms Angela Paikea, Founder, Paikea Designs
- Dr Christina Ho, Senior Lecturer, University of Technology, Sydney
- The Hon Dr Helen Sham-Ho OAM JP, former NSW Parliamentarian
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- Ms Maha Krayem Abdo OAM, CEO, Muslim Women Association
- Ms Phaptawan Suwannakudt, Contemporary Artist

### **Conference MC** - Mr John Mangos

### Conference Facilitator – Ms Widyan Fares

Dinner MC – Ms Jesusa Helaratne

## Details of the Conference are as follows:

Date:	Tuesday, 11 June 2019
Venue:	NSW Parliament Theatrette
	Macquarie Street
	Sydney NSW 2000
Time:	9.00am – 3.30pm (Registration starts at 8.30am)
Cost:	\$30pp (include morning tea & lunch)

# Details of the Celebration Dinner are as follows:

Date:	Tuesday, 11 June 2019
Venue:	Amora Hotel
	11 Jamison Street
	Sydney NSW 2000
Time:	6.00pm – 9.30pm
Cost:	\$80pp (3 course meal)

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