



4<sup>th</sup> ADR Research Network Round Table  
Saturday 12 and Sunday 13 September 2015  
Faculty of Law, UNSW, Sydney

### Call for Papers

The Australian Dispute Resolution Research Network is pleased to be hosting its fourth annual research round table in September 2015.

The round tables are designed to encourage a collaborative and supportive research environment in which papers are workshopped and discussed in detail. Papers in draft form are distributed ahead of time to participants, to enable thoughtful and constructive quality feedback. On the day, speakers are given up to 30 minutes for presentation, with equal time for discussion.

We welcome proposals that consider dispute resolution from a scholarly, critical and/or empirical perspective. We particularly encourage submissions from postgraduate students and early career researchers. All proposals will be considered. Papers must not have been published or submitted for publication, as the focus is work in progress.

There will be a limit to the number of papers able to be part of the round table discussions. A panel will select round table papers from abstracts submitted. The aim is to be as inclusive as time and numbers allow. The following selection criteria will be applied:

- papers take a scholarly, critical and/or empirical perspective on an area of dispute resolution;
- the round table will include a spread of participants across stages of career; and
- a well-balanced range of work will be presented at the round table to provide diversity, to develop the field and to enable cohesive discussion.

Participation is on a self-funded basis.

**Deadline for Abstracts: 30 March 2015**  
(300 words maximum, to [adrresearchnetwork@gmail.com](mailto:adrresearchnetwork@gmail.com))  
Date for notification: 15 April 2015  
Draft Papers due: 1 August 2015

**For further information, please contact the ADR Research Network chairs for 2015:**

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## About the Australian Dispute Resolution Research Network

The Australian Dispute Resolution Research Network brings together leading dispute resolution scholars and provides a collaborative environment to foster, nurture and enrich high quality research and scholarship. The Network is inclusive and forward-looking and seeks to bring together emerging, mid-career and established scholars to build excellence in the field and provide peer support. Network activities are expressly designed to provide a supportive and collegial presentation environment in which meaningful discussion and constructive feedback is provided to the presenter.

Network activities include maintaining the ADR Research Network blog at [www.adrresearch.net](http://www.adrresearch.net) on Twitter [twitter.com/ADRResearch](https://twitter.com/ADRResearch) and conducting annual scholarly round tables of work in progress since 2012.

Guest blog post proposals are always welcome. Contact Dr Becky Batagol, at [Becky.Batagol@monash.edu](mailto:Becky.Batagol@monash.edu).