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31 January 2024 - Book Now for

AICC(WA)'s Annual Geopolitical Address by Mr Greg Copley AM

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"Australian Denialism is No Answer to Global Realities"

Australians know that all is not right with the world, but, as long as many of us are comfortable, we do little to shore up the security and welfare of the country. We are more divided as a nation than ever. Indeed, can we even call ourselves "a nation" when we continually decry national identity, national purpose, and national responsibilities? We now know what we have been told for years was coming: the China economic boom is over. The world is again in the throes of conflict and chaos. We saw, with the recent referendum process, that the preference voting system which elects governments does not represent the national will in the same way that direct referenda do. And we saw, with the covid crisis and the HAMAS war against Israel, that Australians have lost the sense of mutual trust and

mateship they once took for granted; we divide, we react based on ignorance rather than knowledge, and we think neither of the past nor the future.

Join us to hear Gregory Copley, in his annual Geopolitical address, give us perspectives which can provide reason for hope, discussion, and renewed trust. But with some sobering realities thrown in.

Event and Registration Details:

Date: Wednesday 31 January 2024.

Time: Arrivals from 5.30pm for a 6.15pm start to 8.30pm. Refreshments will be served.

Fee: Entry is by kindly providing a financial donation of your choice to the AICC(WA), which continues during these difficult months of war to conduct stimulating events and build bridges and connections between WA and Israel. Your support has never been more important than now.

Host: This AICC(WA) Annual GeoPolitical Event is kindly hosted by: The Forrest Research Foundation

Venue: Forrest Hall, 21 Hackett Drive, Crawley - https://goo.gl/maps/g1ujMgKLMLxMhrhN6 Parking: Please park on Hackett Drive or within the grounds of UWA which is free parking after 5pm.

RSVP: Kindly email your acceptance of attendance by replying to diane@aicc.org.au (ph: 0402344352) and please indicate the amount you wish to donate. The AICC(WA) will confirm your registration and invoice you or nominated organization. Seats are limited however multiple places are available on request. This invitation is nontransferable.

Upcoming AICC(WA) events in 2024

Planning is well advanced for 2024 on a number of other regular crowd pleasers. In the pipeline with dates to be confirmed (and always subject to change) are:

7 March 2024 - Hollow Cause

 AICC(WA)'s Music Event of the year on 7 March "The Hollow Cause" with special access for AICC(WA) members and friends on Opening Night at 10% discount. The Hollow Cause is an Immersive Cultural Experience created and produced by local WA artists who are passionate about the importance of Holocaust education.

17 April 2024 - ACCC

 AICC(WA) presents on Wednesday 17 April, the Chair of Australian Competition & Consumer Commission (ACCC), Gina Cass-Gotlieb, speaking on "Reflections on Competition and Consumer Issues in a Transitioning Economy". Hosted by K & L Gates.

Also planned with dates tbc are:

- The AICC(WA) Dr Patricia V Kailis AM OBE Annual Women of Achievement Lunch.
- AICC(WA)'s Sentient Hubs futureNOW Technology Series(fnTS) event 1
 "What went wrong at Silicon Valley Bank...?" featuring former Founder & MD
 Aaron Gershenberg and former SVB Executive Larry Lopez.
- AICC(WA)'s Sentient Hubs futureNOW Technology Series(fnTS) event 2 on cyber security "Hack Attack-Sheltering us from the perfect storm" with Dr Craig Valli from Safensecure and AICC(WA)'s in-house resident expert on cyber security and resilience, facilitating a panel of leaders and experts.
- AICC(WA)'s Annual Health event with Perron Institute.
- The Agency & AICC(WA) Annual Property event 2024, anchored by Gavin Hegney-specialist in property analytics and forecasting, with The Agency's MD Paul Niardone and our expert panel, addressing the theme: "As the property market converts from the era of more money to the era of more people, where does that leave us and how will that change buying and selling."

behaviours. What are the trends we know to capitalize on the new era of the property market?"

AICC(WA) Boardroom Event "Education: Acting Local, Thinking Global" featuring the Chief Scientist of Western Australia, Professor Peter Klinken AC., presenting his views on Western Australia's education systems and whether or not it is "fit for purpose" in today's rapidly changing environment and providing our citizens with the best opportunities to succeed.

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- Guard against Lost Productivity from staff disengagement and significantly enhance your organization's culture & performance using new tools available to AICC(WA) including: Omnia JobFit Profiling; TLC Culture Check, The Ideation Game and Crucial Conversations training.

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