

GIVING TO WOMEN & GIRLS: EXPLORING THE RESEARCH AND CASE STUDIES

What Australian research says about giving to women and girls and how to put gender based giving into practice

The Australian Women Donors Network, in association with Philanthropy Australia, is pleased to invite you to a special briefing for donors, trustees and grantmakers on the 2011 groundbreaking research into Australia's philanthropic investment in women and girls.

The research, *Mapping Australia's Philanthropic Investment in Women and Girls* is the first study of its kind undertaken in Australia.

Commissioned by the Australian Women Donors Network (Women Donors), and conducted by the Australian Centre for Philanthropy and Nonprofit studies (ACPNS) at Queensland University of Technology, the findings represent \$90 million of grantmaking across 100 donors and foundations.

Join us for a light luncheon as Senior Research Fellow Dr Wendy Scaife presents the key findings and insights into gender based giving in Australia.

Donors, trustees and grantmakers attending this briefing will have the opportunity to:

- Hear about the key findings of the study
- Understand the international context of the survey outcomes
- Gain an insight into the reasons given for and against gender-based giving
- Explore the responses and feedback of survey participants
- Be inspired by a case study supporting women and girls
- Participate in panel discussion with leaders in the sector

The session will include inspirational case studies and a panel discussion with leaders in the sector:

DATE: Thursday 17 May, 2012

TIME: 12.15 for 12.30-2.00pm

VENUE: Jubilee Room - NSW Parliament House - Macquarie Street Sydney NSW 2000

COST: \$65 - (\$55 for Philanthropy Australia members)

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PROGRAM

- 12.30 Welcome by The Hon Marie Ficarra MLC
- 12.35 Julie Reilly
CEO Australian Women Donors Network
- 12.40: ANZ PRIVATE & TRUSTEES Principal Sponsors
- 12.45: **Dr Wendy Scaife**
Senior Research Fellow Queensland University of Technology
- 1.00: **CASE STUDIES**
(Details to be announced)
- 1:30 **Panel Discussion**
- 1.55: Louise Burton
Philanthropy Australia
- 2.00: Close

Dr Wendy Scaife - Senior Research Fellow, Australian Centre for Philanthropy and Nonprofit Studies (ACPNS) – QUT:

Wendy studies and teaches philanthropy and fundraising. Her work spans the cause/giver spectrum (see http://eprints.qut.edu.au/view/person/Scaife_Wendy.html). Recent study areas include foundations, major gifts, bequests and funding for Indigenous need. Wendy was on the Research Australia Philanthropy and National Compact Steering Committees. She serves on Fundraising Institute of Australia's Codes Taskforce and Professional Development Committee.

Australian Women Donors Network: Established in 2009, the Australian Women Donors Network works to increase philanthropic investment in projects that advance women and girls. We do this by highlighting the existing economic and social disadvantage experienced by women and girls both in Australia and globally, and explaining the crucial role that women and girls play in building stronger economies, families and communities. We also work to encourage philanthropists, trustees and grantmakers, and other social investors from government and the corporate sector, to integrate a practice of gender inquiry into program design. This approach, known as applying the Gender Lens aims to ensure that the unique circumstances and specific needs of both women and girls (and men and boys) are more effectively addressed.

Philanthropy Australia: Philanthropy Australia is the national peak body for philanthropy and is a not-for-profit membership organisation. Our Members are trusts and foundations, families and individuals who want to make a difference through their own philanthropy and to encourage others to become philanthropists. Our mission is to represent, grow and inspire an effective and robust philanthropic sector for the community.



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