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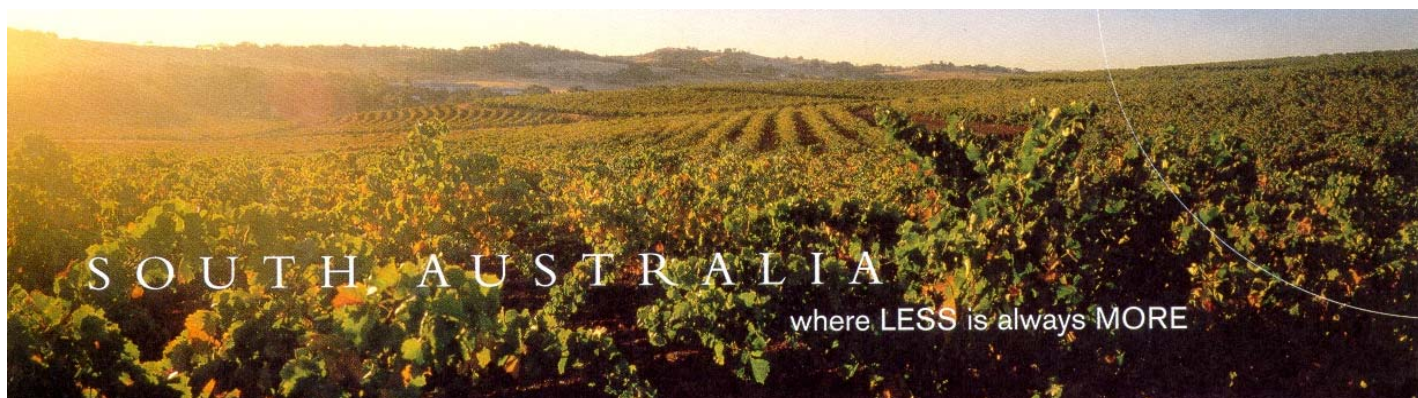
University of South Australia

## The Ian Wark Research Institute International Conference & Workshop on Physical Chemistry of Bio-Interfaces

Sunday 23rd to Wednesday 26th May 2004  
Novotel Barossa Valley Resort  
South Australia, Australia

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# OBJECTIVE



This international conference and workshop will focus on physico-chemical considerations of bio-interfaces. Held immediately following the 7th World Biomaterials Congress (17-21 May, 2004, Sydney, Australia), it is intended as a satellite workshop devoted to the study of bio-interfaces using physico-chemical methods and aimed at providing fundamental mechanistic insights, and to provide the opportunity for in-depth discussions facilitated by the workshop format, on topics such as interfacial forces and properties involved in protein/surface interactions, non-fouling surfaces, molecular kinetics of drug delivery, and others. Invited and contributed talks will be selected for their ability to progress fundamental understanding relevant to biomaterials, bio-diagnostics and drug delivery applications.

This international conference and workshop will provide an interdisciplinary forum for the presentation and discussion of experimental and theoretical studies of bio-interfaces and biomolecule-surface interactions. Increased understanding of interactions between biomolecules and surfaces, the behaviour of complex macromolecular systems at materials interfaces, and biomolecule-biomolecule interactions, will contribute to the rapid growth in biomedical research, biotechnology, diagnostics, proteomics, genomics, dentistry and medicine. Advances in materials science, molecular biology, surface and interface analysis methods, and theoretical and modelling approaches to biological systems will feature in this workshop, as well as experimental tools and theoretical models to describe bio-interface phenomena with physical concepts and rules that allow predictive, model-driven research.

The scientific sessions will focus on:

- ❖ Analysis of bio materials/bio interactions
- ❖ Design of biocompatible surfaces
- ❖ Non-fouling "stealth" surfaces
- ❖ Interfacial issues in bio-diagnostics
- ❖ Interfaces in drug delivery





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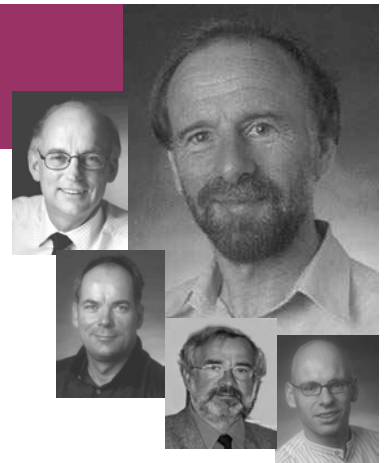
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"IUPAC sponsorship implies that entry visas will be granted to all *bona fide* chemists, provided application is made not less than six months in advance. If a visa is not granted two months before the meeting, the Organizers and the IUPAC Secretariat should be notified by the applicant."



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"This conference is supported by the Innovation Access Programme – International Science and Technology, an initiative of the Government's Innovation Statement, backing Australia's ability"



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# KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



The conference scientific program will open with a keynote address by:

**Prof. Buddy Ratner**  
**University of Washington, USA.**

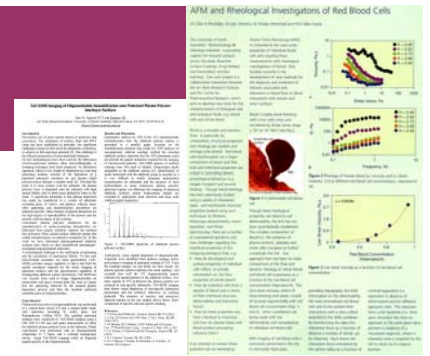
We are delighted to confirm the following invited speakers:

<b>Prof. John Brash</b>	<b>McMaster University, Canada</b>
<b>Prof. David Castner</b>	<b>University of Washington, USA</b>
<b>Dr. Justin Gooding</b>	<b>University of New South Wales, Australia</b>
<b>Prof. Dave Grainger</b>	<b>Colorado State University, USA</b>
<b>Prof. Michael Grunze</b>	<b>University of Heidelberg, Germany</b>
<b>Prof. Luke Hanley</b>	<b>University of Illinois, USA</b>
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<b>Prof. Allan Hoffman</b>	<b>University of Washington, USA</b>
<b>Prof. Robert Latour</b>	<b>Clemson University, USA</b>
<b>Prof. Deborah Leckband</b>	<b>University of Illinois, USA</b>
<b>Prof. Graham Leggett</b>	<b>University of Sheffield, U.K.</b>
<b>A/Prof. Ted McMurchie</b>	<b>CSIRO, Australia</b>
<b>Prof. Thomas Rades</b>	<b>University of Otago, New Zealand</b>
<b>Prof. Peter Stewart</b>	<b>Monash University, Australia</b>
<b>Prof. Marcus Textor</b>	<b>ETH Zurich, Switzerland</b>
<b>Prof. Matt Trau</b>	<b>University of Queensland, Australia</b>



# ABSTRACTS

**DUE DATE: 16th February, 2004**



The conference program will consist predominantly of invited lectures by internationally recognised authorities. However, contributed papers are solicited for consideration as shorter oral contributions or posters.

We particularly encourage poster contributions from PhD students and early career researchers.

There will be a poster competition with cash prizes for the three best posters.

**Contributions must be submitted via email to Kathy Prohaska at ICWPCBI@unisa.edu.au by the 16th February, 2004, as a one-page abstract in the following format:**

## Sample:

### **Title of Abstract**

Principal Author, other Authors

Name & address of Institute or Affiliation

email address

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Please indicate your preference for oral or poster format for your contribution; however, due to the very limited space for oral contributions, the organisers will have to assign a high proportion of contributions to the poster sessions.



# PROGRAM



<b>Sunday 23rd May</b>	3.00	6.00	<b>Check-In and Registration</b>
	5.00	6.00	<b>Pre-Dinner Drinks and Canapés</b>
	6.00	7.30	<b>Dinner</b>
	7.30 pm		<b>Official Conference Opening followed by</b>
	7.35	9.30	<b>"Setting the Scene" Session - Prof Buddy Ratner</b>
<b>Monday 24th May</b>	7.30	8.30	<b>Breakfast</b>
	8.30	10.00	Scientific Session
	10.30	12.30	Scientific Session
	12.30	2.00	<b>Lunch</b>
	2.00	3.30	Scientific Session
	4.00	5.30	Scientific Session
	5.30	6.30	Free Time
	6.30	8.00	<b>Dinner</b>
	8.00	9.30	Poster Presentations
<b>Tuesday 25th May</b>	7.30	8.30	<b>Breakfast</b>
	8.30	10.00	Scientific Session
	10.30	12.30	Scientific Session
	12.30	1.30	<b>Lunch</b>
	2.00	5.00	Free Time or Visit to Wineries
	6.00	7.30	<b>Pre-Dinner Mixer &amp; Poster Presentations</b>
	7.30	9.30	<b>Dinner</b>
<b>Wednesday 26th May</b>	7.30	8.30	<b>Breakfast</b>
	8.30	10.00	Scientific Session
	10.30	12.30	Scientific Session
	12.30	2.00	<b>Lunch</b>
	2.00	3.30	Scientific Session
	4.00	5.30	Scientific Session
	5.30 pm		<b>Close Scientific Program – Delegates may check out</b>
	6.30	8.00	<b>Dinner for those staying overnight</b>
<b>Thursday 27th May</b>	7.30	8.30	<b>Breakfast</b>
	8.30	10.00	<b>Check Out</b>





# VENUE & ACCOMMODATION



Situated in the centre of Australia - Adelaide city is nestled between rolling hills and beautiful white sandy beaches. A well-laid-out city, Adelaide is surrounded by a green belt of parklands and most major attractions and hotels are within a five minute walk of the GPO, making it easy to navigate by foot.



The Barossa Valley is Australia's premier winemaking region. With a superb climate, large vineyards, towns that still reflect settlement by early 19th Century German immigrants and a typically relaxed South Australian lifestyle, the Barossa will charm the visitor.

Located just north of the city of Adelaide, it is easily reached from Adelaide Airport, which is served by National and International connections and takes approximately 1 hour 30 minutes to reach when travelling by road.

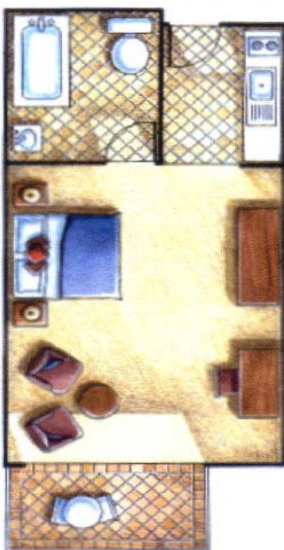
The Novotel Barossa Valley Resort is set in a natural amphitheatre, overlooking Jacob Creek and the North Para River in the heart of the Barossa Valley. Surrounded by picturesque vineyards with many famous boutique wineries to explore you can be guaranteed a warm welcome, superb facilities and the highest standard of service. The following rooms are available for the duration of the conference:

- ❖ 40 Single **Studio Apartments**
- ❖ 10 Twin Share/Double **Studio Apartments**
- ❖ 20 Twin/Double **2-Bedroom Apartments**



**Below are the room layouts to help with your decision.**

Layout of Studio



### Facilities available in all rooms

- 4 Austar channels
- Air conditioning
- Alarm clock & Hairdryer
- Direct dial phone & Internet access
- Iron & ironing board
- King size bed or two twin
- Kitchenette with Microwave & Refrigerator
- Tea & coffee facilities
- Private Balcony

### Additional in the Two Bedroom

- Dining table and chairs
- Queen size Bed in one room
- Two beds in separate room
- Sofa bed
- Stereo with CD Player

Layout of Two Bedroom



**Alternative accommodation information is available in the "General Information" section**





# TRANSPORTATION



## Early Arrivals into Adelaide

Do you wish to fly into Adelaide on the Friday (21st May) or Saturday (22nd May)?

Come and taste our fabulous foods and wines, experience our rich arts and cultural scene which makes Adelaide a favourite destination for both business and leisure travellers. Dine in our wonderful restaurants and cafes, explore the bustling Adelaide Central Market, take a stroll along the picturesque Riverbank Precinct or visit the South Australian Museum – home to a vast collection of indigenous Australian artefacts.

Adelaide is an easy city to get around – the compact city centre means that delegates are never far away from accommodation, restaurants and shopping. Most are conveniently located near one another and all are within walking distance. The city centre of Adelaide has many moderately priced Hotels and is surrounded by magnificent parks and gardens.

Adelaide is also the home of top clubs in Australian (Aussie) Rules Football. There will be a home game on the Saturday night (22nd May) so if demand is high we can organise a group to attend this game. Costs to be advised when numbers are known.

If you would like more information on accommodation, sightseeing or the football game please contact Kathryn Prohaska via the following email address [ICWPCBI@unisa.edu.au](mailto:ICWPCBI@unisa.edu.au).

## Suggested Airline Timetables Into Adelaide from Sydney

Flights and times are current as at December 2003 and are subject to change

### Sunday 23rd May 2004 - Sydney to Adelaide

Qantas			Virgin Blue		
Depart Sydney	Arrive Adelaide	Flight No	Depart Sydney	Arrive Adelaide	Flight No
09.10	10.45	QF741	09.45	11.25	DJ408
10.15	11.50	QF747			
12.15	13.50	QF751			

**\*\*these are preferred flights that would coincide with Bus Transfers and are subject to change – watch the 4th Announcement for more information**

## Bus Pick-up Locations and Times

Two (2) Bus transfers to the Barossa Valley will be available on **Sunday, 23rd May**. It is important to note that the Barossa Valley is 1 1/2 hours out of Adelaide – it would be very expensive by taxi and there would be limited operations with the regional transport network, so we strongly recommend that you make arrangements to reserve your seat on these buses as soon as possible. Intended times and pick-up locations for are:

**Pick-up from Adelaide Airport or City Location (TBA)**

**1pm and 3pm**

There will also be bus transfers at the conclusion of the conference returning you back to the city or Airport – these will be advised at a later date when departure requirements are known.

**Please ensure you indicate your requirements on the Registration Form. We will confirm your reserved seat by return email.**



# REGISTRATION & ACCOMMODATION



**DUE DATE: 31st March, 2004**

All persons attending the Conference/Workshop **MUST SUPPLY REGISTRATION DETAILS IN FULL**, including invited speakers.

Please fill in the Registration Form on the next page and either email or fax (08) 8302 3683 to the Committee Secretary (Ms Kathy Prohaska – ICWPCBI@unisa.edu.au).

## Registration (Australian Dollars)

**Conference Registration - Delegate** **\$900.00**

**Conference Registration – Student** **\$550.00**

*Registration covers all meals, including the Conference Dinner, served in the Novotel Resort from Sunday evening to Thursday morning. Bus transfers to and from The Barossa Valley are also included in this price.*

**Accompanying Persons** **\$400.00**

*The above cost covers all meals from Sunday night to Thursday morning, including the Conference Dinner and the bus transfers. You must indicate on the registration form if you have an accompanying person.*

## Accommodation (Australian Dollars)

Room Type	Room Cost X 4 nights		Per Delegate X 4 nights
<b>Novotel Studio Apartment (1 person)</b>	<b>\$576.00</b>	-	<b>\$576.00</b>
<b>Novotel Studio Apartment (2 people – twin share or double)</b>	<b>\$576.00</b>	<b>÷ 2 =</b>	<b>\$288.00</b>
<b>Novotel 2 Bedroom Apartment (2-3 persons)</b>	<b>\$856.00</b>	<b>÷ 3 =</b>	<b>\$286.00</b>

**Accommodation at the Novotel Resort is limited, early booking is recommended. Alternative accommodation can also be found in the "General Information" section of this announcement.**



# THE REGISTRATION FORM



## International Conference & Workshop on Physical Chemistry of Bio-Interfaces

This becomes a Tax Invoice once paid - ABN: 37-191-313-308

*Please ensure you complete all the required information below. Then fax or email your information to Kathy Prohaska – see over for details.*

### Main Delegate Information

**Due Date:**

**31st March 2004**

Title (please tick)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr	<input type="checkbox"/> Prof	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
Family Name								
First Name					Preferred Name			
Organisation								
Street Address								
Street Address								
City						Post/Area Code		
Country								
Telephone (Incl codes)								
Fax (Incl codes)								
Email								
Special Needs								
Flight Details Arrive	Date:	Flight No:			Arriving:			
Flight Details Depart:	Date:	Flight No:			Departing:			
Transportation	Do you require transport to the Barossa:						Yes	No
Pick-up Details:	Airport: <input type="checkbox"/>	City <input type="checkbox"/>	Pick-up Time:		1 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	3 pm <input type="checkbox"/>		
Accomm & Meals	Will you be staying and dining at the Novotel Resort:						Yes	No
Check In Date				Check Out Date				
Number of Nights	3 nights (23 to 26 May) <input type="checkbox"/>			4 nights (23 to 27 May) <input type="checkbox"/>				
Will you be sharing:	Yes	No	Give details of guest below please					

### Accompanying Person/s

Title (please tick)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr	<input type="checkbox"/> Prof	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
Family Name								
First Name								
Flight Details Arrive	Date:	Flight No:			Time:			
Flight Details Depart:	Date:	Flight No:			Time:			
Transportation	Do you require transport to the Barossa:						Yes	No
Pick-up Details:	Airport: <input type="checkbox"/>	City <input type="checkbox"/>	Pick-up Time:		1 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	3 pm <input type="checkbox"/>		
Accomm & Meals	Will you be staying and dining at the Novotel Resort:						Yes	No
Check In Date				Check Out Date				
Number of Nights	3 nights (23 to 26 May) <input type="checkbox"/>			4 nights (23 to 27 May) <input type="checkbox"/>				





# THE REGISTRATION FORM



## International Conference & Workshop on Physical Chemistry of Bio-Interfaces

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Registration	Cost per Delegate (Aus Dollar)	Please Tick	Total Cost \$Aus
Conference Registration - Delegate	\$900.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$
Conference Registration - Student	\$550.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$
Accompanying Person	\$400.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$
<b>Total Amount for Registration</b>			<b>\$</b>

Accommodation		Cost per Delegate (Aus Dollar)	Please Tick	Total Cost \$Aus
Novotel Studio Apartment	Single	\$576.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$576.00
Novotel Studio Apartment	Twin Beds <input type="checkbox"/> Double <input type="checkbox"/>	\$288.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$576.00
Name of Person Sharing:				
Novotel 2 Bedroom Apartment	3 people	\$286.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$856.00
Name of Person Sharing No 1:				
Name of Person Sharing No 2:				
<b>Total Cost of Accommodation</b>				<b>\$</b>

*\* Please Note: Less than 7 days notice of non attendance – the Barossa Resort advises there will be no refund payable*

<b>Barossa Valley Winery Tour @ \$30.00 per person:</b>	<b>Total</b>  <b>\$</b>
Names: _____	
Names: _____	

## Payment Authority

Credit Card (Please tick)	<input type="checkbox"/> Visa	<input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque	Cheques payable to: <b>University of South Australia</b>
Card Number				
Amount Credited:	Australian Dollars <b>\$A</b>			
Name on Card				
Expiry Date				
Signature				

Please send your registration form to Kathy Prohaska at the following locations  
Email Address: [ICWPCBI@unisa.edu.au](mailto:ICWPCBI@unisa.edu.au) - Facsimile Number: (08) 8302 3683



# Activities



- ❖ **Australian Rules Football Game** **22nd May (Saturday evening)**  
This event will depend on how many early delegates are interested. Please advise Kathy Prohaska by 31st March 2004 if you wish to attend. Costs and venue will be confirmed at a later date.

- ❖ **Barossa Winery Tour** **25th May (Tuesday afternoon)**  
**3-hr Barossa Valley Tour - Suggested Tour Itinerary**  
Depart Novotel Resort, Rowland Flat (2.00pm) and visit Jacobs Creek Visitor Centre for tour & wine tasting, Grant Burge Wines, and Langmeil Wines, Tanunda for wine tasting. Tour to Mengler Hill Lookout to enjoy magnificent views across the Valley and beyond, and then return to the Novotel Resort (approx. 5.00pm).

**Please complete the Winery Tour section of the Registration Form by the 31st March 2004 if you wish to attend and include your payment.**

**Novotel Resort Activities:** *Complimentary facilities at the Resort include;*

- ❖ **Basketball ½ court**
  - ❖ **Bocce & Crocket**
  - ❖ **Soccer**
  - ❖ **Tennis**
- ❖ **Badminton**
  - ❖ **Cricket**
  - ❖ **Swimming**
  - ❖ **Volley Ball**

**Other Activities:** *Also available on request are the following activities and their costs: These activities can be arranged direct through the Novotel Resort.*

Archery (supervised)	1 hour session	\$15.00 per person
Golf 9 holes	Green fees	\$15.00 per person
Golf 18 holes	Green fees	\$20.00 per person
Mountain Bike Hire	Self Tours (maps available)	\$30.00 full day
Orienteering	Activities can be tailored to suit individual needs.	Prices start from \$15 per person per hour
Abseiling, Flying Fox Burma Bridge	Activities can be tailored to suit individual needs	Prices start from \$15 per person per hour



# GENERAL INFORMATION



## Airport & Transport:

- ❖ Flying time from Sydney to Adelaide is 2 hours approx.
- ❖ Most Domestic airline travel within Australia is with Qantas or Virgin Blue Airlines. Detailed below are their websites:  
<http://www.qantas.com.au>  
<http://www.virginblue.com.au>
- ❖ Adelaide Airport to the Barossa Resort by road is 1 hour 30 minutes approx.
- ❖ Bus transfers from the Airport and the city are being arranged by the IWRI. Please check the Transport Page and Registration form or contact Kathy Prohaska Conference Secretary.
- ❖ For a quick guide on flights available to coincide with our bus transfers please turn to the Transport Page.

## Alternative Accommodation:

- ❖ Alternative accommodation can be made with the following company (subject to availability):  
Bed & Breakfast Booking Service SA  
PO Box 430 Lyndoch  
Barossa Valley SA 5351  
Free Call: 1800-227-677  
Phone: +61-8-8524-5353  
Email: [info@bnbbookings.com](mailto:info@bnbbookings.com)  
Web: [www.bnbbookings.com](http://www.bnbbookings.com)
- ❖ Or you may wish to peruse other available accommodation in the area on the following website (subject to availability):  
[www.barossa-region.org](http://www.barossa-region.org)

## Information on South Australia:

- ❖ Below are some useful internet sites to help you with your visit to Adelaide:  
[www.sacentral.com.au/tourism](http://www.sacentral.com.au/tourism)  
[www.southaustralia.com](http://www.southaustralia.com)  
[www.visit.adelaide.on.net](http://www.visit.adelaide.on.net)



## Time:

Adelaide is 9 1/2 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time and 1/2 behind Eastern Standard Time in Australia (e.g. 10 am in NSW makes it 9.30 am in SA).

## Climate & Clothing:

May is Autumn in the Barossa – please refer to the website below for temperature ranges. The dress code for the conference will be smart casual.

[http://www.bom.gov.au/climate/averages/tables/cw\\_023321.shtml](http://www.bom.gov.au/climate/averages/tables/cw_023321.shtml)



## Passport & Visa:

All travellers to Australia, other than New Zealanders, require a valid entry VISA prior to travel to Australia. For many nationalities an Electronic Visa or Electronic Travel Authority (ETA) can be obtained from travel agents or airlines when making arrangements. Please enquire with your travel agent or airline when booking.

## Quarantine:

South Australia is free from many plant and animal diseases. If you plan to drive to South Australia from interstate, **you are not allowed** to carry over the border any fruit, vegetables or flowers. Penalties will apply.

## Electricity:

Electrical current is 240/250V, AC 50Hz. The Australian three pin power outlet is different from that in many countries, so you will need an adaptor. If your appliances are 110V, check if there is a 110/240V switch. If not, you will need a voltage converter. Universal outlets for 240V or 110V shavers are usually found in leading hotels.





# GENERAL INFORMATION



## Australian Survival Tips - No 1: Language - The really basic basics.

- ❖ G'day is hello, pronounced Giddyay which is a shortened form of Good Day, and used mostly in informal situations. More formally we would say Hello, Good Morning, Good Afternoon, or the likes.
- ❖ Goodbye is, um, er, Goodbye. Although some people say Hooroo, pronounced 'ooroo.
- ❖ Bloke is an Aussie male who generally is a hard worker and does the right thing. Eg., "Bill's a Good Bloke".
- ❖ Mate is Friend, mainly for males. Everyone in Australia is mate, so we would often say "G'day mate" or "Thanks mate".
- ❖ Onya means Well Done, a shortened form of Good On You. The best "Aussieism" in my opinion.

Still confused then check out this website:  
[http://www.dunway.com/html/aussie\\_slang.html](http://www.dunway.com/html/aussie_slang.html)

## Australian Survival Tips - No 2: How to Order a Beer.

Also called the "Amber Fluid - Nectar of the Gods and a Cold One". See how to order if it's your "shout".



### South Australia

200ml A Butcher  
285ml A Schooner  
425ml A Pint  
1140ml A Jug

### Victoria

200ml A Beer  
285ml A Pot  
425ml A Schooner  
1140ml A Jug

### West Australia

200ml A Beer or Bobby  
285ml A Middy  
425ml A Pint  
1140ml A Jug

### Queensland

200ml A Glass  
285ml A Pot  
425ml A Schooner  
1140ml A Jug

### Tasmania

170ml A Six/Beer  
200ml A Seven  
225ml An Eight  
285ml A Ten  
425ml A Pint  
1140ml A Jug

### Northern Territory

200ml A Seven  
285ml A Pot/Beer/Handle  
425ml A Schooner  
1140ml A Jug

### New South Wales

200ml A Seven/Glass  
285ml A Middy  
425ml A Schooner  
1140ml A Jug

