# FALLING WALLS LAB BRISBANE

Thursday, 27 July 2023
The University of Queensland







# **CONCEPT**

The Falling Walls Foundation founded Falling Walls Lab in 2011 to:

**CONNECT** aspiring innovators

**DISCOVER** and develop talents

SUPPORT interdisciplinary dialogue and international cooperation

**DEVELOP** new ways of scientific communication

**BUILD** new and strong networks

# TIMELINE

9:30am

10:00am	Welcome and introductory remarks
10:24am	Presentations (1-8)
11:22am	Q&A session with presenters / jury deliberate
11:44am	Awards ceremony

Arrival and registration

11:55am Networking and refreshments

1:00pm Event concludes

# JURY

#### **Professor Michael Rosemann, Jury Chair**

Director of the Centre for Future Enterprise and a Professor for Innovation Systems at the Business School, Queensland University of Technology; Honorary Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany in Southern Queensland



Professor Michael Rosemann is an information systems researcher and Professor at the Queensland University of Technology. His research interests include revenue resilience, business process management, trust management and innovation systems. Michael is also the Honorary Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany for Southern Queensland and the Director of the Centre for Future Enterprise.

#### **Professor Neena Mitter**

Professorial Research Fellow and Centre Director, Centre of Horticultural Science, Queensland Alliance for Agriculture and Food Innovation The University of Queensland



Neena Mitter is the founding Director of both the QAAFI Centre for Horticultural Science and the Australian Research Council Industrial Transformational Research HUB for Sustainable Crop Protection at The University of Queensland (UQ). The Centre of Horticultural Science, which constitutes over 70 core staff and students and champions over \$37 Million worth of research projects, is collectively committed to

developing the horticulture of tomorrow. As Director Neena purposely oversees that the three major research themes of the Centre; 'horticulture crop breeding and agronomy', 'plant protection' and 'emerging technologies', are carefully networked across multiple regional Centre locations and that they operate in close collaboration with industry, growers and government, to boost innovation, productivity and economic growth.

#### **Mr Nimrod Klayman**

Head, Entrepreneurship, The University of Queensland



Since 2016, Mr Klayman has led the University's suite of entrepreneurial programs and initiatives under the Ventures brand that provide students, alumni and staff with the skills needed to think creatively and to build a startup or social enterprise. Mr Klayman has been a key contributor to the development and expansion of entrepreneurship activities at UQ throughout the past four-and-a-half years, including the Australia-first paid

position of Chief Student Entrepreneur.

#### Ms Julia Kaute

Head of Science and Innovation German Embassy, Canberra



Julia Kaute is the Head of Science and Innovation at the German Embassy in Australia. Julia has been seconded from the Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) where she worked in the field of EU Science and Innovation. Prior to this role, Julia spent seven years at the Australian Embassy in Berlin in the field of Public Advocacy. Her previous work experience includes the Council of the European Union in Brussels,

and the Federal Foreign Office in Berlin and New York City, USA. Julia holds degrees in European Studies (M.A. Hanover University) as well as English and American Studies and Scandinavian Studies (B.A. Greifswald University).

#### **Professor Charlotte Brownlow**

Associate Dean, Graduate School University Southern Queensland



Council (AARC).

Charlotte is a Professor of Psychology and Associate Dean of the Graduate Research School at the University of Southern Queensland. Her research draws on the principles of neurodiversity and she is particularly interested in the co-production of knowledge and research with the autistic and autism communities. Charlotte has co-authored/edited 9 books and has published over 45 papers in academic journals. She is currently Co-Chair of the Australasian Autism Research

#### **Professor Andrea Bishop**

Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Research)
Griffith University

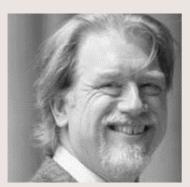


Professor Bishop is an accomplished researcher who has held a range of both academic and administrative leadership positions and brings significant experience in strategic development and delivery for research from ideas to impact, and graduate research training. Her leadership applies the simple vision: to facilitate research excellence and outcomes. With over 20 years' experience in research and innovation, at the researcher, management and executive levels, she is

currently the Pro-Vice-Chancellor Research at Griffith University, building capacity, structuring investments and facilitating delivery and translation of research benefits. She is also the Deputy Chair of Cooperative Research Australia and serves on a range of Boards for organisations advancing research and innovation agendas. Andrea holds a PhD in Physical Chemistry as well as postgraduate qualifications in education and business.

#### **Professor Tim Kastelle**

Director, Andrew N. Liveris Academy for Innovation and Leadership The University of Queensland



Tim's research, teaching and engagement work are all based on his study of innovation management. He graduated from Princeton University with a degree in economics, and his MBA and PhD were completed at UQ. He has worked in marketing and management positions in a variety of industries including radio, office equipment, industrial chemicals, higher education and software, and these experiences inform both his research and his teaching. Tim has published widely in

the leading innovation journals. He is deeply committed to translating research into practice. To this end, he writes a well-regarded innovation blog for managers (http://timkastelle.org/blog/), and he has worked extensively with a wide range of organisations.

# Ms Sarina Hobbin Acting Director, Study Queensland Study Queensland Directorate, Trade and Investment Queensland



Sarina is Manager Global Relations (Acting Director) in the Study Queensland Directorate of Trade and Investment Queensland. In this role, Sarina oversees the activities of TIQ's vast global network of international education, training and research business development managers located in TIQ offices worldwide. Prior to joining TIQ, Sarina held a number of senior leadership roles at The University of Queensland in global strategy

and partnerships development, research partnerships development and research commercialisation. Sarina also has extensive industry policy and industry development experience in tourism, gained over 11 years working for Tourism and Events Queensland. Sarina has also held roles in top and second tier global business advisory firms KPMG and BDO. Sarina holds a Bachelor of Business Management majoring in Marketing, a Master of Business Administration and is a graduate of the AICD Company Director's course.

# **PRESENTERS**



1. Ms Hemanshi Galaiya
The University of Queensland



2. Dr Taskeen Janjua
The University of Queensland



3. Ms Yuhan Liu
The University of Queensland



Mr Mahmoud Abu Saleem
 The University of Queensland



Mr Mohamed Sallam Griffith University



6. Dr Emma-Anne Karlsen
The University of Queensland



7. Ms Sera Susan Jacob
The University of Queensland



8. Dr Jovanna Nathalie Cervantes Guzman Queensland University of Technology

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## **PARTNERS**







# **FEEDBACK**

What was your overall impression of Falling Walls Lab Brisbane?

Do you have concrete suggestions for improvement? If so, what?



Post-event survey <a href="https://survey.app.uq.edu.au/2023-FWL-Post-Event-Survey">https://survey.app.uq.edu.au/2023-FWL-Post-Event-Survey</a>



People choice vote <a href="https://survey.app.uq.edu.au/FWL-Brisbane-2023-vote">https://survey.app.uq.edu.au/FWL-Brisbane-2023-vote</a>

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