

## BUDDHISM IN THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD

- 9:30 am **Opening Address:**  
*Professor Wayne McKenna*  
Dean, College of Arts, Education & Social Sciences, UWS
- 9:35 am **DARUG Welcome to Country**
- 9:40 am **Sangha, Community and Buddhist Scholarship**  
*Dr Adrian Snodgrass, Australia*
- 10:10 am **The World Buddhist Sangha Council (WBSC): History and Future**  
*Venerable Dr Medagama Vajiragnana Thero*  
Vice-President, World Buddhist Sangha Council, U.K.
- 10:35 am **Theravada Mendicant Monasticism in Contemporary Britain**  
*Venerable Vajiro, Amaravati Buddhist Monastery, U.K.*
- 11:05 am Refreshments
- 11:30 am **Buddhism and Vietnamese - American Youth**  
*Venerable Thich Minh Dao*  
Chief Abbot, Tu-Bi Quan-Am Temple, U.S.A.
- 12:05 pm **A case study: Buddhism and Social Welfare in Korea**  
*Venerable Bhikkhuni Sang Son - Video Presentation*  
Chief Abbess, Bo Myung Sa Temple, Korea
- 12:30 pm Vegetarian Lunch
- 1:30 pm **Buddhism in the Formation of Australian Cultures**  
*Dr Judith Snodgrass, University of Western Sydney, Australia*
- 2:00 pm **Reflections on Tibetan Buddhism in the West**  
*David Templeman, Monash University, Australia*
- 2:30 pm **Forum**  
The future of Dharma propagation in Australia & the World  
Venerables representing different Buddhist traditions  
present their vision of the future of Dharma propagation.
- 3:30 pm **Conference Overview / Closing remarks**  
*Professor Ien Ang, Institute for Cultural Research, UWS*  
*The Most Venerable Thich Phuoc Hue, OAM*  
Board of Elders, World Buddhist Sangha Council
- 4:00 pm Refreshments

Moderator: *Dr Rachael Kohn*, ABC Radio National  
Presenter "The Spirit of Things"

### Conference Registration Form:

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Sunday  
**11 November 2001**

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