

## The NRDC Grand Challenge

To reduce the complexity, improve the ease of use, lower the barrier to entry, and increase the adoption of digital data tools and techniques for all Australian researchers by establishing a cohesive and sustainable approach to fostering the development of digital data skills and the integration of digital data technology platforms and practices.

### 2018 National Forum - Canberra - 14 March

Great Hall – University House - 1 Balmain Crescent, Acton, ACT 2601

9:30am	Coffee on Arrival
10:00am	<b>Welcome</b>
10:10am	<b>Research Policy Infrastructure Update – Tim Kane</b>
10:25am	<b>Roadmap Overview – Robyn Owens</b>
10:40am	<b>Future Design and Transition Planning – Rob Cook</b>
<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Morning Tea (40 mins)</b>
11:40pm	Stakeholder Panel <b>Building a National Research Data-Intensive Workforce and Culture</b>
12:40pm	Stakeholder Panel <b>How Should Research Needs Drive the NRDC</b>
1:40pm	eResearch Needs You!
<b>1:50pm</b>	<b>Lunch (60 mins)</b>
2:50pm	Stakeholder Panel <b>Integrating Cohesive Infrastructure – What Does This Really Mean?</b>
3:50pm	Q & A Session (Open Mic )
<b>4:20pm</b>	<b>Closing and Thanks</b>
<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>Cocktail Reception</b>

The Australian Academy of the Humanities invites AeRO attendees to join delegates of the Humanities, Arts and Culture Data Summit at a free cocktail reception from 5.00pm to 6.00pm at the National Film & Sound Archive, a short-5-min walk from the Forum venue (kindly hosted by AARNet).