



# Call for Papers

**A State of Change:**  
Two days of learning, sharing  
and connecting history

**19-20 November 2021**  
Adelaide | Online

The History Trust of South Australia and its partners the University of Adelaide, the State Library of South Australia and Wakefield Press invites proposals for sessions at

## **A State of Change: two days of learning, sharing and connecting history**

to be presented in the Adelaide CBD and livestreamed to conference hubs across regional South Australia.

We invite proposals for presentations responding to the theme A State of Change, imagining possible futures for history in South Australia.

**Closing date for proposals is Sunday 12 September 2021.**

## **Audience**

We hope to attract a wide range of cross-disciplinary delegates: professional, academic, community and family historians; museum and library professionals; students and educators; and people passionate about their industries, their places and their history.

It may be possible to pre-record your presentation to be screened during the event.



## Format

Subject to interest, we are keen to include presentations (up to 30 minutes in duration) for the symposium in a range of formats that encourage participation and discussion. Pre-recorded presentations can also be submitted. Your proposal might be:

### A panel debate

A facilitator moderating a discussion with two or more speakers about a topic.

### An 'in conversation'

Two or more speakers come together to discuss a common idea or a theme.

### 6-minute HistoryX Talk

This format will suit dynamic communicators and undergraduate and postgraduate students wanting to share their research. (Think TedX talks)

### Film or performance

Present a film or do a performance on your topic.

### A paper with questions

Generally 20 minutes with 10 minutes for questions.

### Hands-on workshop

Develop an interactive workshop for participants.

### Other formats

Suggestions for other formats are welcome.

Please note: Both days will be live streamed and some pre-recorded content may be published asynchronously. You will need to give your consent for your presentation to be recorded.

## Key dates

### Submissions open

Monday 23 August 2021

### Submissions close

Sunday 12 September 2021

### Notified of acceptance

Friday 24 September 2021

### Conference registrations open

End September 2021

### Date of presentation

19 - 20 November 2021

### Please submit proposals via:

[history.sa.gov.au/events/state-history-conference-2021](http://history.sa.gov.au/events/state-history-conference-2021)

### Further details and enquiries:

The History Trust of South Australia

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E: [events@history.sa.gov.au](mailto:events@history.sa.gov.au)

## Proposals must include

### Title

A concise name for your presentation.

### Outline of the format and content

What will people who come to this session learn or experience? Who should come to this session and why? This can be up to 200 words.

### Brief biography of presenter/s

This can be up to 100 words.

### Contact details

Provide your name, email address and phone number.

### Workshop applications

For workshops, please provide what participants will get out of this and how your workshop relates to the theme etc.