

## 2024 JOINT ANZRS AI/RSA CONFERENCE

# INCLUSIVE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

47<sup>th</sup> Australian and New Zealand Regional Science Association International  
and

5<sup>th</sup> Regional Studies Association Australasian Conference

2-3 December, ANN HARDING CONFERENCE CENTRE, Canberra, Australia

## CALL FOR PAPERS

The conference this year will go back to the general theme of development with a particular focus of being inclusive. The theme hopes to cover a wide range of topics from the understanding of development, various indicators such as economic activity, income and wealth, the fulfilment of housing, transport, infrastructure, the role of technology and artificial intelligence and various other factors such as government and governance. In trying to capture the inclusiveness of development within and between people, space and place, the conference will also look at topic such as Urban-Rural Divide, Cultural, Community and Intergenerational issues.

This conference is convened jointly by the Australia and New Zealand Regional Science Association International (ANZRS AI) and the Regional Studies Association (RSA). The two Associations will bring together researchers from across academic and policy fields to explore the cutting edge of regional development and regional analysis in Australia, New Zealand and around the world. The event will be hosted by the University of Canberra on 2-3 December 2024. It will be a hybrid conference with on-line presentation and attendance available.

Proposals for contributed papers, for themed panels, or for special sessions, will be welcomed on any topic related to regional development.

## ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

The Regional Studies Association (RSA) and the Australia and New Zealand Regional Science Association International (ANZRS AI) Council invite contributions from academics, practitioners and policy advisors on any aspect of regional studies and science for presentation at the conference. The programme will include *PowerPoint presentations*, *academic papers* (which may be peer reviewed), *themed panels* and *special sessions* on topics in regional science theory, regional development practice or regional planning policy. Presentations can be made in person, or on-line in two or three parallel sessions.

**15<sup>th</sup> August 2024** - Submission deadline for proposals for themed panels or special sessions on particular topics.

**12<sup>th</sup> September 2024** - Submission deadline of abstracts for papers

[Click here](#) to submit your abstract.

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Registration for the conference includes morning and afternoon tea, light lunch as well as admission to all plenary and parallel sessions.

### Conference Fees to be paid to ANZRSAI

Early Bird Standard Registration for in-person and online participants (paid until 31 October)	\$300.00
Standard Registration for in-person and online participants (paid after 31 October)	\$350.00
Student or Emeritus Registration for in-person or online participants	\$150.00
ANZRSAI Awards Dinner (Monday 2 December, 7pm) for in-person participants only	\$125.00

Registration will open shortly.

### Contact

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