



The Royal Historical Society of Victoria presents

WRITING LOCAL HISTORY

An all –day workshop for those interested in writing local history.
Participants will gain new perspectives on local history, learn how to use new types of primary material and build new audiences.

9.30 – 10.00 Registration

10.00 – 10.15 Welcome from RHSV

10.15 – 10.45 **SESSION 1:**

Celebrating our Successes and Setting New Goals

What have been the most successful local histories written by us and by other writers? Why have such histories been judged "successful"? What may be our next projects and why?

10.45 – 11.30 **SESSION 2:**

Broadening our Perspectives

Which perspectives and whose voices have we included in past writings? What may we include in future writings, why and how?

11.30 – 12.00 Morning Tea and informal discussions

12.00 – 12.45 **SESSION 3:**

Locating and Using New Primary Sources

What types of primary and secondary sources have we used in our past work? What could be our new sources and how could we use them?

12.45 – 1.30 Lunch and informal discussions

1.30 – 2.15 **SESSION 4:**

Writing that's Exciting for Established and New Audiences

How can we best organise and present our work? Who have been the audiences in the past? How can we keep our established audiences while engaging with new?

2.15 – 3.00 **SESSION 5**

Planning and Publishing Professionally

How have we planned for publication in the past? What have we learned from those experiences? What constitutes paper or electronic at its most professional?

3.00 – 3.15 Concluding Comments and Farewell

PRESENTED BY DR ROSALIE TRIOLO

Dr Rosalie Triolo facilitates the development of History teachers in the Faculty of Education at Monash University and is a RHSV councillor as well as a life member and past president of the History Teachers' Association of Victoria. She is active in numerous state and national communities that support the teaching and learning of history and has won numerous awards for her work. She has lived and taught in diverse locations across Victoria and will share her deep interests in their histories and wider Australian history.

THIS WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD IN:

BENALLA	FRIDAY 28 AUGUST
HAMILTON	SATURDAY 12 SEPTEMBER
SALE	SATURDAY 17 OCTOBER
MELBOURNE	SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER

Addresses available at booking.

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL:

Free to Members of RHSV and Members of Affiliated Historical Societies

Non-Members most welcome: Cost \$20.00

To book please phone: 9326 9288 or

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- To become a member: www.historyvictoria.org.au/support-us/become-a-member



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