

# WHY MELBOURNE?





Strong particle physics community, with an expert Local Organising Committee



Affordable accommodation options



Proposed venue, Crown Convention Centre, offers central, sophisticated facilities



Easily accessible with over 550 flights a week, and an easy visa process



Support for students to attend



Inclusive scientific program

# **CO-CHAIRS OF THE LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE**



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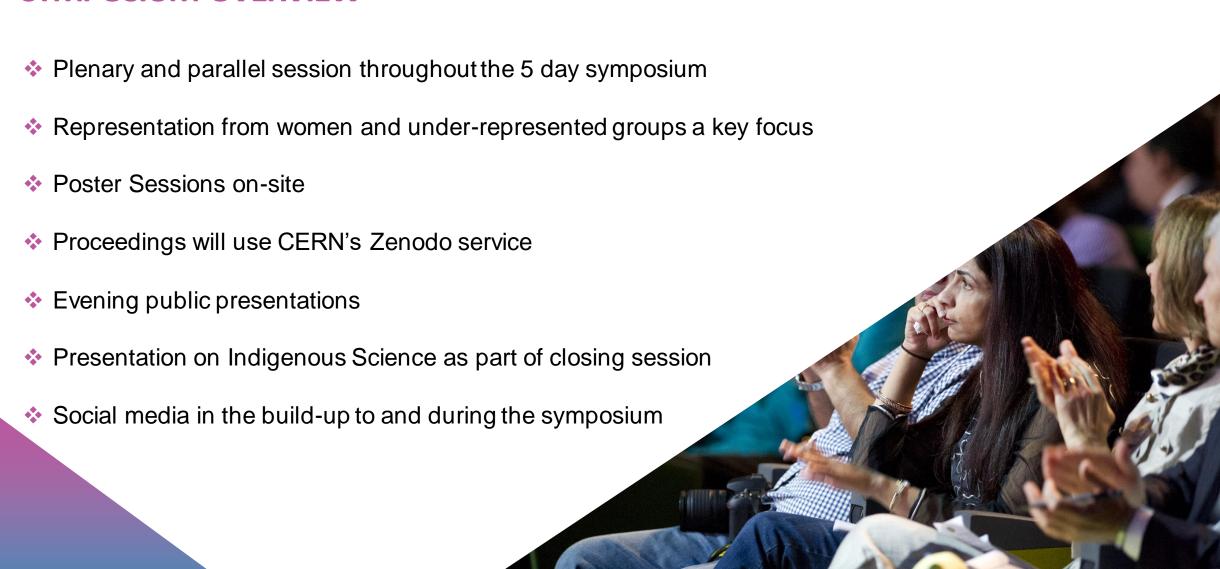
Professor Jordan Nash Faculty of Science Monash University Melbourne

#### **HOST INSTITUTION**



The Monash University
Particle Physics Group
Melbourne

### **SYMPOSIUM OVERVIEW**





# WHY CROWN CONFERENCE CENTRE?



Centrally located in the midst of bustling restaurants, hotels, shopping and entertainment



World-class reputation for innovation and quality of all cuisine types



Accessible venue



Specialist audio visual team





#### **SUPPORT FOR THE SYMPOSIUM**











# **BUDGET OVERVIEW**

350 Participants	AUD	EURO	USD
Income	\$341,818	€209,307	\$242,731
Expense	\$336,184	€205,821	\$238,731
SURPLUS	\$5,633	€3,486	\$4,000

# PROPOSED REGISTRATION FEES

Category	Early			Regular		On-site			
	AUD	EUR	USD	AUD	EUR	USD	AUD	EUR	USD
Attendees	\$850	€524	\$607	\$950	€586	\$678	\$1050	€648	\$750

includes:

- **Registration** Welcome reception
  - All morning and afternoon tea breaks
  - Access to all sypposium sessions

# **ACCOMMODATION**



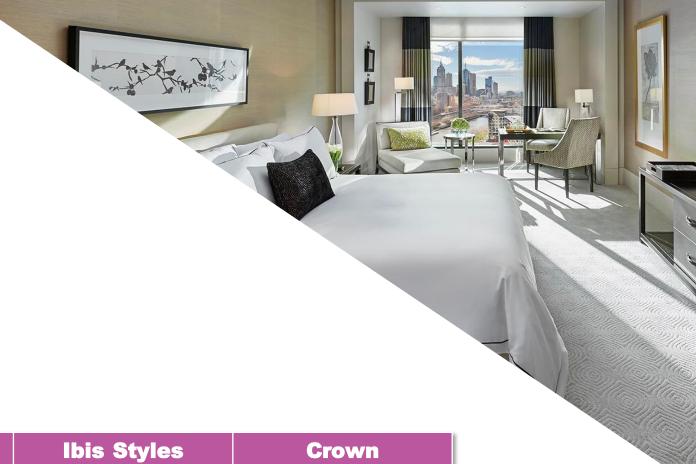
Over 12,000 rooms in the city centre



Over 20,000 AIRBNB listing



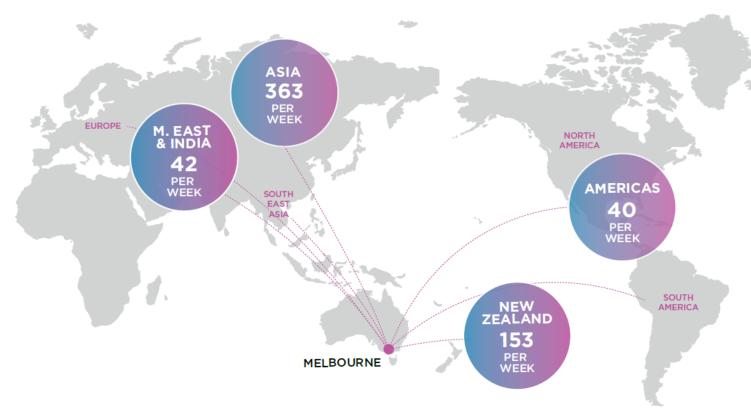
Secured room rates (per night):



	Savoy Hotel on Little Collins  ****	Holiday Inn on Flinders ★★★★	Ibis Styles Kingsgate Hotel ★★★	Crown Promenade  ****
AUD	\$210	\$205	\$180	\$280
USD	\$149	\$145	\$128	\$200
EURO	128€	125€	110€	170€

# **AIRLINE CONNECTIVITY**

#### 550+ direct international routes into Melbourne



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Australia's government is committed to making conferences in Australia easy to attend, and has set up the International Event Coordinator Network which provides support on visa issues.

# **NATIONAL ACCESS**



Air travel between major cities is most common



Southern Cross Station provides rail and coach links to regional hubs



# GETTING AROUND MELBOURNE



Melbourne's airport is open 24 hours and is just 20 minutes from the CBD.



Find and rent an electric bike using your Uber app.



Skybus offers an affordable shuttle from Melbourne airport to the CBD – from just \$18AUD one way



Melbourne offers **free tram travel** within the city centre – no tickets needed!



Melbourne is set out in a compact grid layout; easy to navigate by foot



Myki is Melbourne's ticket to travel on the city's trains, trams and buses



# **LOCAL MELBOURNE EXPERIENCES**



Queen Victoria Market



**Guided Laneway Tour** 



AFL Game



The Ian Potter Centre: NGV Australia

# **REGIONAL EXPERIENCES**



Yarra Valley Wine Region



**Great Ocean Road** 



Healesville Wildlife Sanctuary



Philip Island Penguin Parade

