

# TRC SEMINAR



## Balancing teaching, research and life

A conversation about academic careers: research, teaching, service, leadership, family, community, and what else?

Prof Karen Smith | Victoria University of Wellington

A/Prof Leonie Lockstone-Binney | William Angliss Institute

**Friday, 16 November 2018 // 1:30 – 2:30 pm**

School of Marketing Boardroom | Room 2024 Level 2 Building 408

Join visiting academics and long-time research collaborators Professor Karen Smith and Associate Professor Leonie Lockstone-Binney in a conversation about academic careers. Karen and Leonie will share their reflections on balancing the various demands of an academic career with family and community responsibilities. They'll discuss career building within and across institutions, and while they certainly don't claim to have achieved the desired balance, they will offer tips on what has worked for them and other colleagues. This session will be of particular value to Early and Mid-Career academics and PhD students, but all are welcome.

**Dr Karen A. Smith** is Professor of Tourism Management at VUW in New Zealand, where she has held a number of service roles, including programme director, head of a discipline group, and chair of NFP peak body Volunteering New Zealand. She has a University Teaching Excellence Award and has published widely on volunteering and volunteer management.

**Dr Leonie Lockstone-Binney** is Associate Dean (Research) at WAI and in the new year will move to an Associate Professor position in the Department of Tourism, Sport and Hotel Management at Griffith University. Leonie's research expertise relates to event experience, management education and volunteering, and has received competitive research funding from the Australian Research Council and the International Olympic Committee.

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