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Dr Diana Leat Just Change

International Guest Speaker Session

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Members of Philanthropy Australia are invited to hear Dr Diana Leat speak about how philanthropy can contribute to achieving longer term systemic change and increase the scope and duration of its impact.

Diana, who is Director of Creative Philanthropy Program at Carnegie UK Trust, will be spending one month at QUT 's Australian Centre for Philanthropy and Nonprofit Studies as a visiting academic, and has been invited by Philanthropy Australia to visit Melbourne for one day. She looks forward to encouraging discussion with members based around her most recent publication 'Just Change' (not yet available in Australia), which looks at strategies for increasing philanthropic impact.

This event will be generously hosted by Queensland University of Queensland.

Date:	Tuesday 26 February 2008
Time:	10.30am – 12.30pm
Venue:	Queensland University of Technology, Room B222 Centre for Philanthropy & Non-profit Studies, Block B Gardens Point Campus, Brisbane
RSVP:	There is no charge to attend but to assist with numbers please contact Jane Ashton on j.ashton@philanthropy.org.au or 03 9620 0200 by Friday 22 February, 2008.

About Diana Leat, Director of Creative Philanthropy Program at Carnegie UK Trust

Prior to her current position, Diana was Visiting Professor at City University Business School. Diana has been a consultant to various grantmaking foundations in the UK and Australia, reviewing their policies and practices. She has spent several periods in Australia over the past decade, including some time at Philanthropy Australia and at the Centre of Philanthropy and Nonprofit Studies at Queensland University of Technology. She has been Senior Fellow at the Policy Studies Institute, London. She is highly respected and will be known to many of you.

Diana has extensive research experience in the philanthropic sector, citizenship and policy development, and has worked as a consultant for Demos, a British policy think tank. She has worked with WINGS-CF as consultant, editor and in evaluating the effectiveness of its peer matching program. She has also published extensively on philanthropy and the nonprofit sector.

Selected works:

- [Creative Philanthropy](#) (with Helmut Anheier)
- [Working with Foundations in Australia](#) (with Heather O'Connor)
- [Information for a Messy World: Making Sense of Pre-Grant Inquiry](#)
- [The Development of Community Foundations in Australia: Recreating the American Dream](#)