

MEDIA RELEASE

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CCCA has two community conferences programmed for Sydney (May 16 2018) 2.00 pm to 5.30 pm at Parliament House NSW, and Melbourne (Aug 18 2018) 9.00 am to 5.00 pm at RMIT University.

These will deal with the current topics facing our Chinese Australian community for a range of opportunities and issues.

Noted high ranking speakers will present papers from Lowy Institute, China Matters, Authors, University Experts, Industry Specialists, Community Leaders and former/present Government Officials. The conference focuses our community towards the current geopolitics of China / USA with Australia, our activities in academia, finance, trade and business, the opportunities to stronger regional and national links, the trends across Australian mainstream & local Chinese press, the realities and perception of foreign influence, the steadfastness of our true blueness and community cohesion, the operations of a Chinese Australian national body and meeting of our diverse needs for the aged, youth, new immigrants to multi-generational families.

Our conferences aim to inform and clarify the Chinese Australian community about the possibilities of how to meet current concerns, building a better community and making stronger working relationship with the government. Interested members of the public are welcome to register.

After reviewing a number of further public submissions at Federal Parliament's Parliamentary Joint Committee on Intelligence Security (PJCIS), CCCA confirms that it seeks a balanced and workable outcome for our 1.2 m Chinese Australian community and 200,000 Chinese students whose lives and activities are relevant within the ambit of the proposed FITS and NSLA and any other potential legislation.

CCCA offers full and continuous dialogue with government to build stronger community ties and assist and support the ongoing process with PJCIS to maintain the Asian Australian engagement and embracement.

CCCA aims to work together with government to achieve optimal balance of national security and multicultural community cohesion outcomes as steps in the right direction

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