

Wikileaks and Free Speech



Speakers include:

Julian Assange - via an exclusive address recorded for this meeting
Jennifer Robinson - Assange's UK lawyer live by London videolink
Adam Bandt - Federal MP for Melbourne
Peter Gordon - Principal of Gordon Legal
Lizzie O'Shea - Melbourne public interest solicitor
Christopher Warren - Federal Secretary of Media, Entertainment & Arts Alliance



Wikileaks has had a transformative effect on global politics and our attitudes to government power and responsibility. The fate of the organisation has powerful implications for the right to freedom of speech, and therefore, our understanding of democracy.

Julian Assange will face court in extradition proceedings in Britain on Monday 7 February 2011. This will be a public meeting to hear speakers discuss Wikileaks and freedom of speech in the 21st century.

When: Friday 4 February 2011

Time: 6pm sharp

Where: BMW Edge Theatre & Federation Square, cnr Swanston and Flinders Streets.

Registration not required but seating is limited, please arrive promptly.

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