Women of Empire Symposium

Friday 1 May 2015
9:30-3:00pm (Includes exhibition tour of Women of Empire)
National Wool Museum - Auction Room

$50 per person, $40 for members and concession, includes morning tea and sit down lunch

Speakers:

1. Fiona Baverstock
   Collector/Owner, Dressing Australia Museum of Costume
   Speaking about her collection and the research behind Women of Empire

2. Marion Parker
   Objects Conservator at The Centre for Cultural Materials Conservation – University of Melbourne
   Speaking on care/preservation of textile heirlooms.

3. Dr. Ruth Lee
   Author of Woman War Doctor, the Life of Mary De Garis (2014)
   Speaking on her research into the life and times of Dr. Mary De Garis.

4. Dorothy Donnell
   Author of Quiet Achievers: Cameos of Red Cross Commitment (2011)
   Archivist for Red Cross speaking on gathering women’s stories for the future and her work in gathering post-war stories of Red Cross women

Program:

9:30-9:55am  Morning Tea & Networking
10:00-10:30am Fiona Baverstock
10:45-11:15am Marion Parker
11:30-12:00am Dr. Ruth Lee
12:15-12:45pm Dorothy Donnell
1:00-2:00pm  Lunch in Dennys Kitchen
2:00-3:00pm  Explore Exhibition / Curator’s comments