

## **WHAT HAPPENED AT COUNCIL—15 APRIL 2010**

The following report relates to Council's most recent meeting which was held on 15 April, 2010. Agendas and minutes of Council meetings are available to staff on The Guide at <http://www.deakin.edu.au/council/agenda-minute/>

### **APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRESIDENT**

Council appointed Professor Jane den Hollander to the position of Vice-Chancellor and President of Deakin University commencing on 19 July, 2010. Professor den Hollander was granted the rank and title of Professor for the duration of her term as Vice-Chancellor and President of Deakin University.

### **AWARDING OF HONORARY DEGREES**

Council approved the award of the following Honorary Degrees:

- Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws to Mr Stephen (Steve) Bracks
- Honorary Degree of Doctor of Letters to Professor Qismullah Yusuf
- Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws to Professor Sally Walker.

### **NEW COURSES**

Council approved the following courses for offer from Trimester 2, 2010:

- Master of Communication Studies (External) and Graduate Certificate of Communication Studies (External) (exit award only)
- Master of Laws (External)
- Master of Management Studies (External) and Graduate Certificate of Management Studies (External) (exit award only)
- Master of Retail Management (External) and Graduate Certificate of Retail Management (External) (exit award only)
- Master of Construction Management (External) and Graduate Certificate of Construction Management (External) (exit award only)
- Master of Facilities Management (External) and Graduate Certificate of Facilities Management (External) (exit award only).

### **CHANGE OF NAME FOR THE SCHOOL OF NURSING**

At the request of the Faculty of Health, Medicine, Nursing and Behavioural Sciences, Council approved the change of name of the "School of Nursing" to the "School of Nursing and Midwifery".

### **APPOINTMENT TO STANDING COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL**

Ms Kathy Grigg was appointed to the membership of the Investment Advisory Committee.

### **COUNCIL MATTERS**

Amendments were made to the "Guidelines on Appointment of Council Members by Council and by the Governor in Council".

### **2010 RICHARD SEARBY ORATION**

The 2010 Richard Searby Oration will be delivered by the Chief Justice of Victoria, the Honourable Marilyn Warren AC.

Professor Sally Walker

**Vice-Chancellor**

23 April, 2010