

33rd ANNUAL PAUL HARRIS BREAKFAST



GUEST SPEAKER: PROF. ROSS GARNAUT, AC EXPLORING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES IN A POST-CARBON WORLD

This is a rare chance to hear one of Australia's leading thinkers on a critical issue. Professor Garnaut, AC, head of Melbourne's new Superpower Institute, is working to position Australia as a global leader in the post-carbon economy.

Much of our wealth has come from coal and gas exports, but this cannot continue. The Superpower Institute believes that combining Australia's abundant natural resources and minerals is the best way to transform its economic prosperity through the development and export of green, energy-intensive commodities. Our future economic prosperity, wealth and full employment is very much tied to meeting this challenge. In addition, of course, it will assist reducing Australia's direct and third-party carbon emissions.

Professor Garnaut will explain the challenge for us with examples demonstrating both the opportunities and consequences of meeting it or neglecting it. Ross has consistently been of the thinkers who has added light rather than heat to the net zero debate over many years.

Professor Garnaut is a globally recognised Australian National University economist and incredibly diverse background, including:

- Australian Ambassador to China (1985-88) as it opened to the world
- The landmark Garnaut Climate Change Reviews over nearly 20 years for all Australian Governments as a key trusted advisor
- Chairmanship of Ok Tedi Mines, PNG, and other enterprises



PROF ROSS GARNAUT AC
DIRECTOR OF SUPERPOWER INSTITUTE

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- The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International has received 12 consecutive 4-star ratings, the top rating, from Charity Navigator as of January 2019.
- Charity Navigator also rates The Rotary Foundation as Number One in their list of the 10 of the Best Charities Everyone's Heard Of.
- It also received an A+ from Charity Watch its highest rating in 2017 (the most recent rating).
- The Association of American Fundraising Professionals named The Rotary Foundation as the outstanding Foundation for 2016.

EVENT INFORMATION

- DATE:** Tuesday,
18th November 2025
- TIME:** 7.15am for 7:30-9:00am
- VENUE:** Windsor Hotel, Ground
Floor, Corner Spring and
Bourke Streets,
Melbourne CBD (ample
parking garages close by)
- TICKETS:** \$75 per head
or
\$700 for a table of ten
(Incl. GST)
- RSVP & BOOKINGS:** Book online on
Humanitix platform-
see below- by
Monday 10th
November 2025

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