

# MACROMELBOURNE EXPO



**Participate in the current debate about the rapid growth of Melbourne and its liveability**  
**Meet the project leaders who are creating innovative solutions: 2010 and beyond**

Please join us at the MacroMelbourne Expo where an expert panel will tackle the issues raised in the MacroMelbourne Report: research that reveals the impact of climate change, access to transport, lack of affordable housing, health, employment and social welfare issues on our emerging communities in Melbourne's urban growth areas.

Then take advantage of this unique opportunity to meet the leaders of the 14 MacroMelbourne projects which are directly addressing the issues and the challenges identified.

These projects have been identified in the MacroMelbourne Report as priorities for philanthropic investment, in order to ensure Melbourne is a liveable city for all its people.

So please join us: hear what's needed to make your mark by contributing to grass roots community projects which will make a positive difference to many Melbournians.

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**WHAT:** Forum & Panel Discussion: John Wiseman of the McCaughey Centre at the University of Melbourne and author of the MacroMelbourne research report will lead a panel discussion on disadvantage and strategic investment opportunities in the urban growth areas of Melbourne.

**EXPO:** Learn about the projects and meet the people providing solutions to the issues raised in MacroMelbourne Initiative.

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**WHERE:** KPMG, 147 Collins St: Theatre on the ground floor

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**WHEN:** Wednesday 24 March, 2010

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**TIME:** 9.30am to 12.30pm. Registration from 9am for 9.30am start

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**WHO:** This one-off Expo will appeal to philanthropists, business, social investors, community leaders, educators, social policy developers and planners, local and state government.

**The Expo is being opened by the new Minister for Community Development, Lily D'Ambrosio, MP**

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**MORE:** Visit [www.melbournecf.org.au](http://www.melbournecf.org.au) to download the MacroMelbourne Report & Projects

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**RSVP:** By Wed 17 March to Melbourne Community Foundation on (03) 9412 0412 or via [mcf@melbournecf.org.au](mailto:mcf@melbournecf.org.au)  
This event is free. Participants in the forum will include representatives from the philanthropic, corporate, community, government and social policy sectors, and there will be plenty of opportunity for discussion and interaction.

Copies of the research and project reports can be obtained by contacting the MCF office or downloaded from [www.melbournecf.org.au](http://www.melbournecf.org.au)



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