# **Conference News**

We try to give details of all relevant conferences in Australia and Overseas. It would help us significantly if member could inform us early of any conferences in which they are involved so details can be available for all members. This section will also contain, when available, reports of conferences members have attended. Members are encouraged to send in reports and share their experience with other members.

### **Australian Conferences**

The "Study of Religion" in Australia/ the Study of "Religion in Australia" November 1-3, University of Sydney A symposium in honour of Professor Eric J Sharpe. A schedule of papers will be released soon. Dinner for EJ Sharpe on Friday 1 in University Club.

Contact: School of Studies in Religion 02-9351-3650

Religion, Literature and the Arts - 4th International Australian Conference

January 2-6, 1997, ACU, North Sydney Contact: A/Prof Michael Griffith, ACU Mt St Mary Campus, 179 Albert Rd, Strathfield 2135. Tel: 02-9739-2192; Fax: 02-9739-2105; email: M.Griffith@mary.acu.edu.au Emotions in Social Life and Social Theory 9-11 July 1997, HRC Canberra Enquiries: Humanities Research Centre, ANU 0200 Tel: + 61 6 249 4786 Fax: + 61 6 248 0054 email: administration.hrc@anu.edu.au

Identities and Convergences Mid July 1997, Nouméa Enquiries: HRC as above

Indigenous Rights, Political Theory and Reshaping of Institutions August 1997, HRC Canberra Enquiries: HRC as above

### **Overseas Conferences Coming Up !**

British Centre for Durkheimian Studies 26-29 September 1996, Oxford Theme: Marcel Mauss Today Conference Contact: W S F Pickering, Institute of Social and Cultural Anthropology, 51 Banbury Rd, Oxford OX2 6PE

#### RRA 1996 Annual Meeting: Denominational Cultures

8-10 November 1996, Nashville USA Contact: Fred Kniss, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Loyola University Chicago, Chicago IL, USA 60626-5311

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# Society for the Scientific Study of Religion

8-11 November 1996, Nashville Tennessee

Contact: Mark Shibley, Sociology and Anthropology, Loyola University, Chicago, 6525 N Sheridan Rd, Chicago IL 60626-5311

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### Women doing Theology in Oceania

15-17 November, Dunedin NZ Contact: Women's Conference Planning Group, Conference of Churches for Aotearoa New Zealand, PO Box 173, Dunedin NZ

#### Doing Theology in Oceania: Partners in Conversation

17-21 November 1996, University of Otago, Dunedin NZ

Contact: Faculty of Theology, University of Otago, PO Box 56, Dunedin NZ. email: theology@gandalf.otago.ac.nz

American Anthropological Association 20-24 November 1996, San Francisco Contact: Stewart Guthrie, Dept of Sociology and Anthropology, Fordham University College at Lincoln Centre, 113W 60th St, New York NY10023 email: guthrie@mary.fordham.edu American Academy of Religion 23-26 November 1996, New Orleans

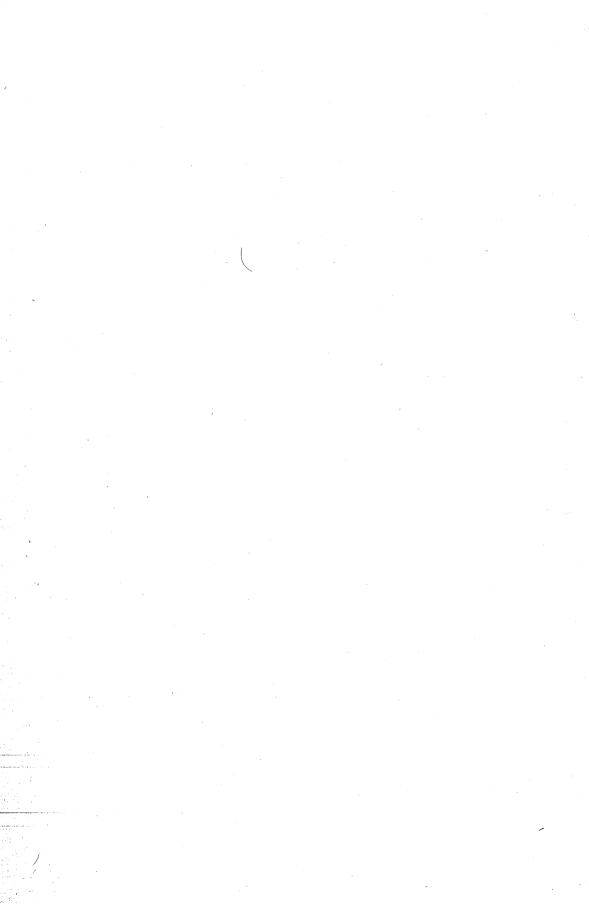
### Religious Speech Communication Association

23-26 November 1996, San Diego CA Contact: Carrie Peirce-Jones
c/ Department of Communications
238 Grehan Building
University of Kentucky
Lexington KY 40506-0042
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## Leiden Institute for the Study of Religions

9-10 January 1997, Leiden Theme: Canonisation and Decanonisation in Religious Traditions Contact: LISOR Conference P B 9515 2300 RA Leiden The Netherlands Fax: 31-71-272571

International Society for the Sociology of Religion 7-11 July 1977, Toulouse France Theme: Religion: the City and Beyond Contact: CIREJED, Maison de la Recherche, Université de Toulouse-le-Mirail, 31058 Toulouse Cedex, France. Fax:33 61 75 96 18 Nineteenth Century Religion - a multidisciplinary international conference 19-29 July 1977, Lancaster University Contact: Mrs Sarah Emslie, The Ruskin Programme, Lancaster University LA1 4YT. Email: M.Wheeler@Lancaster.ac.uk



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