

Dear Conference delegate,

We're excited to welcome you to the **Southern Frontiers: Mapping Myths and Realities Conference** next month. To help with planning, we have included some notes on logistics, an accommodation offer, and a question about dietary requirements.

### **Getting to MONA**

*Friday, 17 October – Day 1*

The Day 1 program starts 9:00am, before the ferries commence. so please arrange alternative transportation to ensure you arrive on time. Options include:

- Taxi/Uber: About 11 km (around 20 minutes) from central Hobart (\$28–\$35). Ride-sharing is a good option.
- Bus: The X20 and X22 depart Hobart Interchange for MONA (trip is about 40 minutes). You can pay your fare with a Greencard or cash. For more information and bus timetables, see [Metro Tasmania – Hobart to MONA services \(PDF\)](#)
- Car: On-site parking is available.

Heading back after Day 1

After canapés (5:00–6:00pm), we've arranged a free coach back to Elizabeth St, CBD. We're also planning a casual dinner for around 20 people that evening. If you'd like to join, please let us know.

*Saturday, 18 October - Day 2*

The ferry will arrive in time for the Day 2 start (10.00am). The last ferry departs MONA after the conference closes (3.45pm), so you'll be able to return to Hobart easily.

### **Dietary requirements**

If you have any special dietary needs (allergies, vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, etc.), please send these to the email below let us know by Friday, 19 September 2025, so our caterers can take care of you.

### **Accommodation offer from Vibe Hotel, Hobart**

Centrally located and a short walk to the wharf, Vibe is one of Hobart's newer modern venues in the heart of the city, on Argyle Street, and has kindly offered delegates 20% discount for the duration of the conference.

Please go to this link to obtain the discount code when booking : [Book Now](#). The link takes you through to Vibes' room bookings at discounted rates, for Oct 16-19.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email the ANZMapS Conference Committee.

We look forward to seeing you in Hobart in October!

Best wishes,

The ANZMapS Conference Committee

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