

Curriculum Vitae  
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**Dr Troy Henderson** is a Lecturer in Political Economy at the University of Sydney. He has a particular interest in Basic Income Studies, macroeconomic economic policy, social policy reform, and the political economy of work. His PhD thesis explored Basic Income as a Policy Option for Australia. He has extensive teaching experience across the Political Economy Curriculum. Between 2017 and 2019 he worked as a Research Economist at the Centre for Future Work at the Australia Institute. He has published widely on Basic Income and labour market issues, presented at numerous Australian and international conferences, and appeared regularly in the media.

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### Education

- **Doctor of Philosophy (Arts & Soc. Sci.)**, University of Sydney.
  - **MA (Res in Political Economy)**, University of Sydney, 2014 (85 and above).  
*Thesis: The Four-Day Workweek as a Policy Option for Australia.*
  - **BEC (Economics and Social Sciences)**, University of Sydney, 2007.
  - **BA (History and Politics)**, Macquarie University, 2000.
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### Selected Publications

#### Refereed articles

Spies-Butcher, B., B. Phillips and **T. Henderson** (2020, accepted). Between Universalism and Targeting – Costing an ‘Affluence Tested’ Basic Income for Australia, *Economic and Labour Relations Review*, Volume 31, Issue 3.

**Henderson, T.** (2017). Real Freedom for All Revisited – Normative Justifications of Basic Income, *Basic Income Studies*, Volume 12, Issue 1.

**Henderson, T.** (2017). Basic Income: an idea whose time has come? *Australian Options*, Autumn issue, Quarterly 86.

**Henderson, T.** (2014). The four-day workweek as a policy option for Australia, *Journal of Australian Political Economy*, Summer issue, Volume 74.

#### Book Chapters

**Henderson, T.** (2021, forthcoming). Small Thefts and the Realm of Freedom – tactics and strategy in a war without end, in Collins, J. (ed.) (2021) *Applying Marx's "Capital" to the 21st Century*, New York: Palgrave.

Quiggin, J. and **T. Henderson.** (2019). Trade Unions and Basic Income, in Torry (ed.), *The Palgrave International Handbook of Basic Income*, London: Palgrave Macmillan.

**Henderson, T.** (2019). The Principles, Benefits and Politics of a Basic Income Scheme for Australia, in Saunders (ed.) *Revisiting Henderson: Poverty, social security and basic income*, Melbourne: Melbourne University Press.

**Henderson, T.** and B. Spies-Butcher. (2019). Stepping Stones to an Australian Basic Income, in Klein and Mays (eds.) *Implementing a Basic Income in Australia: Pathways Forward*, Sydney: The Federation Press.

**Henderson, T.** (2018). Public sector austerity and its spill-over effects, in Stewart, Stanford and Hardy (eds.), *The Wages Crisis in Australia: What it is and what to do about it*, Adelaide: University of Adelaide Press.

## **Reports and Government Submissions**

**Henderson, T.** and J. Stanford. (2020). *The Same Mistake Twice: The Self-Defeating Consequences of Public Sector Pay Freezes*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.** and J. Stanford. (2019). *Messing With Success: Victoria's Puzzling Turn to Austerity*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.** (2018). *The Economic Importance of Public Services in Regional Communities in NSW*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.,** J. Stanford and T. Swann. (2018). *Under The Employer's Eye: Electronic Monitoring & Surveillance in Australian Workplaces*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.** and T. Swann. (2018). *Excessive Hours and Unpaid Overtime: An Update*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

Stanford, J., **T. Henderson** and M. Grudnoff. (2018). *What's a Million: Australia's 2013-18 Job Creation in Historical Perspective*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

Spies-Butcher, B. and **T. Henderson**. (2018). *Towards Basic Income in Australia - Submission to Senate Inquiry, A Submission to the Senate Select Committee on the Future of Work and Workers*, Parliament of Australia.

Murray, C. and **T. Henderson**. (2018). *The Consequences of Fiscal Austerity in Western Australia*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.** and T. Swann. (2017). *Excessive Hours, Unpaid Overtime and the Future of Work: An Update*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.** and J. Stanford. (2017). *False Economies: The Unintended Consequences of NSW Public Sector Wage Restraint*, Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

**Henderson, T.** (2016). *Hard to Get Away: Is the paid holiday under threat in Australia?* Sydney: Centre for Future Work at The Australia Institute.

## **Other Publications**

**Henderson, T.,** B. Spies-Butcher and B. Phillips. (2021). *Has COVID-19 Opened the Door to an Australian Basic Income?*, Austaxpolicy: Tax and Transfer Policy Blog, 22 February 2021, Available from: <https://www.austaxpolicy.com/has-covid-19-opened-the-door-to-an-australian-basic-income/>

Quiggin, J., E. Klein and **T. Henderson**. (2020). *Forget JobSeeker. In our post-COVID economy, Australia needs a 'liveable income guarantee' instead*, *The Conversation*, available at <https://theconversation.com/forget-jobseeker-in-our-post-covid-economy-australia-needs-a-liveable-income-guarantee-instead-141535>

**Henderson, T.** (2019). *We Can Talk About Muffins, Or We Can Talk About The Real Problem Facing Millennials*, *10Daily*, available at <https://10daily.com.au/views/a190225ycd/we-can-talk-about-muffins-or-we-can-talk-about-the-real-problem-facing-millennials-20190226>

**Henderson, T.** (2018). *Big Brother is watching you at work and even at play*, *Progress in Political Economy*, available at <http://ppesydney.net/big-brother-is-watching-you-at-work-and-even-at-play/>

Foster, G. and **T. Henderson**. (2017). *Debate: should we be fighting for a universal basic income in Australia?* *Guardian Australia*, available at <https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2017/jan/12/debate-should-we-be-fighting-for-a-universal-basic-income-in-australia>

**Henderson, T.** (2016). *Three threats to paid holidays in Australia*, *Progress in Political Economy*, available at <http://ppesydney.net/three-threats-paid-holidays-australia/>

**Henderson, T.** (2015). Why study Political Economy? *Progress in Political Economy*, available at <http://ppesydney.net/why-study-political-economy/>

**Henderson, T.** (2015). Hope is coming and the fear of dominoes, *Progress in Political Economy*, available at <http://ppesydney.net/hope-is-coming-and-the-fear-of-dominoes/>

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## Conference Presentations

**Henderson, T.** (2020 November Abstract Accepted). In the Beginning there Was(n't) Basic Income – Basic Income & the Work Problem, *A Basic Income for a Complex Society*, Digital Conference and Special Issue, Work, Labour & Economy Thematic Grouping, The Australian Sociological Association (TASA). Inequality, Tax and Welfare. A lecture by Prof Miranda Stewart in discussion with Prof Roger Wilkins and Mr Troy Henderson, *Talking About Economic Inequality Lecture Series*, University of Melbourne.

**Henderson, T., M. Stewart, R. Wilkins.** (2019). Inequality, Tax and Welfare. A lecture by Prof Miranda Stewart in discussion with Prof Roger Wilkins and Mr Troy Henderson, *Talking About Economic Inequality Lecture Series*, University of Melbourne.

**Henderson, T.** (2019). Basic Income Experiments - A Waste of Time? Plenary panel presentations, *Australian Social Policy Conference*, University of New South Wales.

**Henderson, T.** and B. Spies-Butcher. (2018). Reinventing the Basic Income Trial, *Basic Income Earth Network Congress*, Tampere University, Finland.

**Henderson, T.** and J. Collins. (2018). The Missing Link Addressing the Lack of Trade Union and Social Democratic Support for Basic Income, *Basic Income Earth Network Congress*, Tampere University, Finland.

**Henderson, T.** The Principles, Benefits and Politics of a Basic Income Scheme for Australia, *Social Security Reform: Revisiting Henderson and Basic Income*, University of Melbourne.

Spies-Butcher, B. and **T. Henderson.** (2017). Pathways to an Australian Basic Income, *ASSA (Academy of the Social Sciences of Australia) Workshop: Implementing a Basic Income in Australia?* University of Melbourne.

**Henderson, T.** (2016). Basic Income: An Idea in Search of an Agent, *The Australian Sociological Association Conference*, Australian Catholic University, Melbourne.

**Henderson, T.** (2016). Real Freedom for All Revisited – Normative Justifications of Basic Income, *The Society of Heterodox Economists 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference*, University of New South Wales.

**Henderson, T.** (2016). Redistribution, recognition and emancipation: a feminist perspective on the case for basic income in Australia, *Basic Income Earth Network Congress*, Sogang University, South Korea.

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## Employment

- **Lecturer (Level B) in Political Economy**, University of Sydney (current).  
Position includes contribution to departmental meetings and processes, student supervision (Honours Program) and Unit Coordinator role in the following units:  
Economics as a Social Science (ECOP1001), Theories in Political Economy (ECOP3911),  
Neoliberalism: Theory, Practice, Crisis (ECOP3618), Core Concepts in Political Economy (ECOP6101, Semesters), Dynamics of the Global Economy (INGS2603), Strategic Debates on Economic Change (ECOP6103).  
Workshop Leader role in: Interdisciplinary Impact (FASS3999).
- **Research Economist and Economic Consultant**, Centre for Future Work at the Australia Institute: 2016 – 2020.

Role included economic research and report writing, rapid Federal Budget analysis after attending Budget lockups, adult education, frequent public speaking engagements around Australia, and regular media appearances across print, radio, television and online platforms.

- **Sessional Academic**, University of Sydney: 2008 – 2019.  
Unit coordinator, guest lecturer and tutor roles in the following units:  
Economics as a Social Science (ECOP1001), International Economy and Finance (ECOP1003), Economy and Society (ECOP1004), Economic Theories of Modern Capitalism (ECOP2011), Social Foundations of Modern Capitalism (ECOP2012), Inequality and Distribution (ECOP2616), Political Economy Honours II (ECOP2911), Global Political Economy (ECOP3012), Dynamics of the Global Economy (INGS2603), Human Rights and Australian Politics (GOVT2111), The Global Economy in Australia (OLET2146).
- **Sessional Academic**, University of Technology, Sydney: 2010 – 2015.  
Guest lecturer and tutor role in the following unit:  
Society Economy Globalisation (SEG58123).
- **Sessional Academic**, Macquarie University: 2010 – 2015.  
Unit coordinator, guest lecturer and tutor roles in the following units:  
Theories of International Relations (IRPG841), International Political Economy (IRPG849), International Law and Institutions (IRPG857).

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## Grants and Awards

- Postgraduate Teaching Fellowship, University of Sydney, 2017.
- Australian Postgraduate Award, 2015.
- Fair Australia Prize (Fiction), *Overland* Magazine, 2015.
- J.K. Galbraith Prize (2<sup>nd</sup> Year Political Economy, University of Sydney), 2004.
- Dean's List (1<sup>st</sup> Year B.Ec, University of Sydney), 2003.
- National Australia Bank Scholarship (Charles Sturt University), 1996.