

# GUEST LECTURE



## “How Is a Human-Rights Approach to Disability Applied in Higher Education?”

By Professor Sally Robinson and Jaime Gardner

Friday, 6 December 2024  
2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Jakarta time)

Graduates and scholars of Australian tertiary institutions from Indonesia who are interested in attending this event, RSVP by Wednesday, 4 December, to this link: <https://oz.link/rsvpGL6DEC>

*\*Due to the limited availability of places, early registration is recommended. A link to this event will be shared with you after registration.*

### Overview of the Lecture

How can a human-rights approach to disability be applied in higher education? A human-rights approach underpins most policies worldwide. However, human rights can be less evident in university curricula. How might a human-rights approach in education move policy ‘off the shelf’ and activate learning so students gain a deep understanding of human rights and feel equipped to apply this approach in practice?

In this lecture, Flinders University Professor Sally Robinson and Postgraduate Course Coordinator Jaime Gardner discuss how a human-rights framework shaped the recent curriculum renewal of the Disability and Community Inclusion programs at Flinders. From embedding leadership by disabled scholars to designing and delivering learning materials, they will share strategies for making their program responsive, internationally relevant, and accessible. This lecture may interest prospective students, curriculum designers, and those engaged in disability policy and practice.



➤ Professor Sally Robinson

### Profile

#### Professor Sally Robinson

*Professor in Disability and Community Inclusion and  
Matthew Flinders Professor  
College of Nursing and Health Science  
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Prof Robinson leads research and academic practice in Disability and Community Inclusion. Her research with children, young people, and adults with disability is about what helps them feel safe, well, and happy at difficult times in their lives. Most of her work is done in teams that include people with disability as researchers and ask them for their views. She also works with governments and organisations about how to listen to the things that matter to disabled people. As a recipient of four Australian Research Council grants and many industry projects, Sally's research is influencing theory, policy, and practice to make the lives of disabled people safer and more fulfilling.



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## Jaime Gardner

*Senior Lecturer (Teaching Specialist (Clin))  
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Jaime Gardner is a Senior Lecturer and the Course Coordinator for the postgraduate programs in Disability and Community Inclusion, at the College of Nursing and Health Science. This includes the Master of Disability Practice and Leadership, Graduate Certificate in Disability Practice, Graduate Certificate in Disability Policy and Leadership and Graduate Certificate in Positive Behavioural Support. Her professional practice as a Developmental Educator has focussed on working with adults with brain injury in community rehabilitation. Additionally, Jaime has also worked as a Social Worker, supporting women and children experiencing domestic violence.