

Macleay Museum Invitation



David Branagan is an Honorary Research Associate in the School of Geosciences, University of Sydney, where he was formerly a teacher and researcher for more than thirty years. He was awarded an Honorary Doctorate by the University in 2008.

His biography of T. W. Edgeworth David was short-listed in 2007 for the Prime Minister's Prize for Australian History. Author of numerous texts and research papers, mainly in Engineering Geology and Geology of the Sydney Basin, he has concentrated more recently on the history of Australian Geology.

**Griff Taylor, Edgeworth David and other
Australians in Antarctica**

Dr David Branagan, School of Geosciences

The University of Sydney has long had a firm commitment to science in the Antarctic region. David Branagan will talk about some of the scientists, including Edgeworth David and Griffith Taylor, who ventured to the Antarctic to tackle questions of geology, geography and climate in one of the harshest environments on earth.

Free entry
Wednesday 7 October, 6pm
Macleay Museum (Gosper Lane off Science Road),
University of Sydney.
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Above: Edgeworth David with Geology student L.L. Waterhouse, 1912
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Right: The *Terra Nova* Antarctic expedition members, c1911. Taylor is on the left.
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