



2023 Series 3 Course E

- Title** **30 Years of MMP (Revised 12 August 2023)**
- Date** **Thursdays 17th August – 7th September 2023**
- Time** **2.15 pm – 4.15 pm**
- Venue** **Leith Bowling Club, 2 Duke Street, North Dunedin**
- Convenors** Ramona Clark & Annette Riley
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- Course fee** \$50 (please do not pay until you receive an invoice)

Inclusive Liberal democracy is a complex and evolving endeavour. By briefly reviewing our Parliamentary history and exploring voices that were heard and those ignored in decision making, we will appreciate the lasting tensions that lead to the 1993 Electoral Referendum. Some of those at the forefront will share their stories and reflect upon the process. The course will conclude with robust discussion of the question, Has MMP delivered?

All applications must be received by Thursday 20 July 2023. You will receive a response to your application by Monday 7 August 2023.

Please contact the Programme Secretary courses@u3adunedin.org.nz, phone 467 2594 with any queries.

30 Years of MMP

- 17th August** **Parliament: how did we get to 1993?**
-*Michael Swanson*, PhD Candidate, Politics, University of Otago.
- 24th August** **FPP: My part in its downfall**
-*Dr Philip Temple*, author, MMP Campaigner interviewed by Michael Swanson (video).
- Greens: the path to Parliament**
-*Gareth Hughes*, Political Commentator, Author, Parliamentarian 2010-2020 (zoom).
- 31st August** **The first MMP government**
-*Marian Hobbs*, Parliamentarian 1996 – 2008.
- Indigenous people and electoral law**
-*Professor Janine Hayward*, Politics, University of Otago.
- 7th September** **Has MMP delivered?**
-*Michael Swanson*, PhD Candidate, Politics, University of Otago.