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The Legal Intersections Research Centre at the University of Wollongong invites you to a **Panel Discussion**, to be held in the Sydney CBD, on:

Law, Justice and Secrecy

Wednesday, 6 November 2013

4.30 – 6.00 pm

Location: UOW Sydney Business School

Lecture Theatre 1, Level 8, Gateway Building

1 Macquarie Place, Circular Quay

RSVP: 1 November 2013 by email to lukem@uow.edu.au

PANELLISTS:

Jonathan Holmes, television journalist, documentary-maker and former host of ABC TV's *Media Watch*, will speak on: *'Secrets and Laws: When the national security state wants to pry into our lives, the law protects it; When journalists want to question its operations, the law protects it too.'*

Nicola McGarrity, ARC Laureate Project on Anti-Terror Laws & the Democratic Challenge, Gilbert + Tobin Centre of Public Law, Faculty of Law, UNSW, will speak on *'Terrorists, Bikies and Secret Evidence: the National Security Legislation Monitor's review of the National Security Information Act, and special advocates and criminal intelligence in the bikie context.'*

Mark Rix, Legal Intersections Research Centre and Faculty of Business, University of Wollongong, will speak on *'Secrets about Secrecy, Surveillance and National Security: Privacy, Freedom of Expression and Opinion, and Democratic Accountability'*.

Daniel Baldino, Head, Politics and International Relations Discipline, University of Notre Dame, Fremantle, will speak about the themes of a new book of which he is editor, *Spooked: The Truth about Intelligence in Australia* (Sydney: NewSouth Publishing, 2013).

The Panel will be chaired by **Luke McNamara**, Legal Intersections Research Centre and School of Law, University of Wollongong.

Audience members will be encouraged to participate in a discussion with the panellists following their presentations.