



SHRINE OF REMEMBRANCE
MELBOURNE

PEACEKEEPERS AND PTSD: THE PSYCHOLOGICAL LEGACIES OF AUSTRALIAN PEACE OPERATIONS

WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2016



Over 65,000 Australians have served in more than 50 United Nations and other multilateral international peace operations since 1947. While many peacekeepers feel their contribution is important and rewarding, the capacity for some to develop mental illness after their service is well documented—often for reasons different than those found in combat operations. This talk will explore the unique characteristics and stressors of peace operations, and their potential psychological impacts on veterans and their families.

Presenter: Dr Rosalind Hearder

Time: 5.30pm arrival for 6pm start

Cost: Entry by donation

Venue: Auditorium, Education Centre

Bookings essential. Limited spaces available. Please make a booking via the website at shrine.org.au/bookings or call 03 9661 8100.