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## **MEDIA ALERT**

## Retirement choices, saving decisions and member engagement are the focus of the 24th Annual Colloquium of Superannuation Researchers 4-5 July 2016.

Keynote presentations will be given by:

- **Olivia S. Mitchell,** Professor of the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plan and Executive Director of the Pension Research Council, Wharton School
- Chris Phillipson, Professor of Sociology and Social Gerontology, University of Manchester
- Hanming Fang, Professor of Economics, University of Pennsylvania

A panel of industry experts will speak on **Understanding Member Behaviour: Implications for Product Development, Information Provision and Advice.** Panel members include:

- Mr Martin Stevenson, Senior Actuary, First State Super
- Mr David Constable, Research Manager, Cbus Super
- Dr Suzanne Doyle, Head of Advice Process, State Plus

The 24<sup>th</sup> Colloquium, hosted by the ARC Centre of Excellence in Population Ageing Research (CEPAR) and the School of Risk and Actuarial Studies, UNSW Australia brings together leading academics, policy makers and industry practitioners to discuss and debate pressing pension and superannuation issues.

The full program is available: <u>http://cepar.edu.au/events.aspx</u>

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