

**PROFESSOR**  
**MARNIE HUGHES-WARRINGTON**



**AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2008**  
**MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY**

**DISCIPLINE**

History

**RESEARCH AREAS**

Historiography  
Philosophy of history  
History education

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**CURRENT ROLE**

Professor Marnie Hughes-Warrington is Professor of History at ANU and currently working on a three book contract on the metaphysics, ethics, logic and epistemology of history in the shadow of Aristotle. She is responsible for enhancing the University's national and global leadership in the provision of research-led education, and strengthening regional, national and international connections in curriculum, education commercialisation, philanthropy and educational research. Her responsibilities range from international strategy in education, research and student recruitment, to education philanthropy and accommodation for 5000 students.

**WHAT THE AWARD HAS MEANT**

Permission | Bigger world |  
Opportunities to change

**MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS**

- 2016 \$106 million donation given by Graham and Louise Tuckwell, for ANU Tuckwell Scholarships;
- 2015 Fifth, and first female national secretary of the Rhodes Scholarships Australia;
- 2013 University of Tasmania Alumni Graduate Award;
- 2012 Achieved DVC (Academic) ANU;
- 2009 Achieved PVC (T&L) Monash University.

**NETWORKS**

Informal

**BACKGROUND**

A Rhodes Scholar, Professor Hughes-Warrington studied history, philosophy and education at Oxford University and the University of Tasmania, and worked at the University of Washington, Seattle before returning to Australia. She was in a teaching and learning leadership role at Macquarie at the time of her Prime Minister's Award and was appointed to the role of Pro Vice-Chancellor (Learning and Teaching) at Monash University the following year. In 2012, she moved to her current position at the ANU. Professor Hughes-Warrington has had an impressive career, having successfully achieved a number of national awards and grants. Apart from the Prime Minister's Prize for University Teacher of the Year (2008), she has also been awarded ARC and ALTC Grants, and an ALTC Teaching Excellence Award for Humanities and the Arts. Professor Hughes-Warrington works to further our understanding of historical thinking and teaching, has published six books on that topic and is currently writing her seventh. She brings extensive experience in creating and renewing curricula and encourages students to see themselves as agents of global change.

**IMPACT ON LEARNING & TEACHING**

As a result of the Award, Marnie was provided with more strategic opportunities to influence thinking and initiatives on education within and beyond institutions. She maintains an active research and teaching portfolio as she has published a number of books and supervises PhD and honours students. This award and subsequent grants and awards, have allowed her to expand her connections beyond her own discipline area and to look more broadly at educational issues as a whole.

**IMPACT ON CAREER**

Marnie was in a teaching and learning leadership role at Macquarie at the time of her Teacher of the Year Award. The Award in 2008 raised her profile and encouraged her to take the step into senior leadership. She was soon offered the Pro Vice-Chancellor (Learning and Teaching) at Monash University and she took on this role for 3 years prior to moving to her current DVC (Academic) role at ANU. She provides leadership in achieving the ANU's strategic goals in learning and teaching, including the provision of the student experience.