

## Testimonials from Past and Present MEM Postgraduate Rep's:

*"Being part of the MEM Postgrad team has been incredibly worthwhile! Not only has it helped me get to network with other scholars and students within my discipline, but it has also enhanced my confidence in skills that will support my professional academic career into the future."* – Sarah

*"As a TASA MEM postgraduate rep I've developed new skills, expanded my professional network, and have made lasting friendships. The role has broadened my horizons regarding the field of MEM and has been a source of inspiration and motivation to progress my research. For postgraduate students looking for a point of connection both to the discipline and with their peers, I strongly recommend the role".* - Charlie

*"Being a member of the TASA MEM postgrad team has been a wonderful experience. I thoroughly enjoyed working with my fellow team members and I'm immensely proud of the events we've organized. I loved the ability of identifying a need and developing an event to address it, and TASA has been very supportive of our ideas. Being a MEM postgrad rep has also helped me feel more at home at TASA and within the discipline of sociology".* – Heidi

*"As a TASA MEM Postgraduate rep, I am extremely lucky to work with a group of passionate doctoral researchers and proud of collaborative organization on a series of events across different topics, locations, and time zones. It was of great importance during this challenging period, where we stay connected and supportive through different stages of our candidatures. Highly recommend for these who want to develop research and collaborative skills and passionate about MEM and sociological studies."* - Yinghua

*"Being part of the postgrad team was one of the most valuable experiences during my PhD journey. It gave me a sense of belonging to the sociology network in Australia, enabled me to establish a meaningful academic network, and offered the opportunity to collaborate with like-minded postgrads in a supportive environment. Based on 2.5 years of experience, I highly recommend taking on the role of postgraduate representative with TASA's MEM thematic group."* - Jora