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1821 by Costa Vertzayias: **Book launch**



Sunday 6 June

Costa Vertzayias AM, lawyer and historian, launches his new book on the Greek War of Independence. His extensive research tackles controversial subjects such as the role of the Church, the Phanariots, the Kotsabasides, European involvement, massacres, Arvanites and Vlachs.

European involvement in the war was significant and an in-depth analysis of this involvement, as well as the history of the causes, battles, heroes and consequences of the 1821 Greek War of Independence, are all covered. The glossary and annexures are packed with information, some of which will surprise. Refreshments will be provided.

1821 and the Greek **Diaspora in Australia**



A panel of young, professional Greek-Australians discuss their ideas of what significance 1821, and the 200 years since then, hold for both themselves and the broader Greek diaspora in Australia. The panellists are: Alexandra Dellios (historian), Athanasios Kallos (member of the Greek Festival Committee and the 2021 Anniversary Committee), Patricia Koromvokis (modern Greek language academic), George Mpliokas (former MUGA President), Andonis Piperoglou (historian), and Peter Polites (award winning author). The chair for the event is Anna Patty (journalist).

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7.00PM THE THEATRETTE, FREE **PARLIAMENT OF NSW,** MACQUARIE ST, SYDNEY



