



**Don't miss our special event to launch the new book,**  
Dunera Lives: Profiles

The story of the Dunera Boys is an intrinsic part of the history of Australia during World War Two and its aftermath. The injustices these 2,000 men suffered through British internment camps at Hay, Tatura and Orange is well-known; less familiar is the tale of what happened to them afterwards.

Following on from *Dunera Lives: A Visual History*, *Dunera Lives: Profiles* continues the saga in life stories and presenting the faces, voices and lives of 20 people who, together with nearly 3,000 other internees from Britain and Singapore, landed in Australia in 1940.

All over the world there were Dunera Lives, men and women who passed through the upheavals of World War Two and survived to tell the tale. A contribution to the history of Australia, migration and human rights, these two volumes enter into the public domain a story of untold dimensions and complexity.

Moderated by author Elliot Perlman, the launch will feature Professors Glyn Davis and Jay Winter, and Senior Curator and Collection Manager Eleni Papavasiliou, who will showcase items from our Dunera Collection, such as a recently acquired cigarette box.

**Join us on Zoom from 7.30pm Thursday 3 September, [book now](#).**

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