95 not out
Professor William (Liam) Burke
On Friday April 21 2017, an extraordinary group - all colleagues, family or friends of Liam Burke - gathered in the Courtyard of the Anderson Stuart Building to celebrate his 95th birthday. Maybe 75 of us, in all.

We came from Canberra (Eva Henry, Lauren Marotte, Bill and Trish Levick, Bob Tupper, David Vaney), from Tasmania (Mike Calford), from Melbourne (Sandra Rees, Trichur Vidyasagar), from across the University campus, from the business of our labs, from the business of retirement.

Ten people spoke, of memories going back over 50 years, of collaborations and scientific landmarks of first meetings, of Liam’s work, mentorship and friendship since he joined the Department of Physiology in 1958.

We all wished to celebrate with Liam, and to acknowledge his scholarship, his commitment to science and his humanity.

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Almost everybody
Almost everybody -again
Randomly, from our roaming photographer:

_Gwen Ng, Lynn Cottee, Liam, Miriam Frommer_
Sandra Rees, Bob Tupper, Liam
Liam, Bogdan Dreher (who brought us together)
Ritchie Wang, Liam, Chun Wang
Max Bennett, Liam, Chris Murphy
Jonathan Stone, Sandra Rees, Liam, Bob Tupper
Warren Kinston, Max Bennett, Brian Freeman
Mike Calford, Brian Cleland, Jack Carmody, Rebecca Mason (Head of Physiology and host of the occasion), Bob Tupper
Trichur Vidayasagar, Bill and Trish Levick, David Vaney
Liam, Maria Byrne
Joe Hoh, Roger Dampney, Liam
Branca???, Colin Clifford, Trichur Vidayasagar
David Vaney, ??? and Mike Calford