Professor David Walker has written extensively on the history of Australian responses to Asia. His prize-winning book, Anxious Nation: Australia and the rise of Asia, 1850–1939, has been translated into Chinese and Hindi. Professor Walker co-edited with Agnieszka Sobocinska Australia’s Asia: From Yellow Peril to Asian Century (UWA Press: 2012).

“David Walker’s Stranded Nation is a recommended read for anyone seeking to know the history of Australia’s agonising over Asia; how it began, how it evolved and the passionate and colourful characters involved. Stranded Nation is told with authority, insight and wit, and the satisfying readability of a good novel, and that makes it great history.”

Stephen FitzGerald, writer, sinologist and Australia’s first Ambassador to the People’s Republic of China

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