

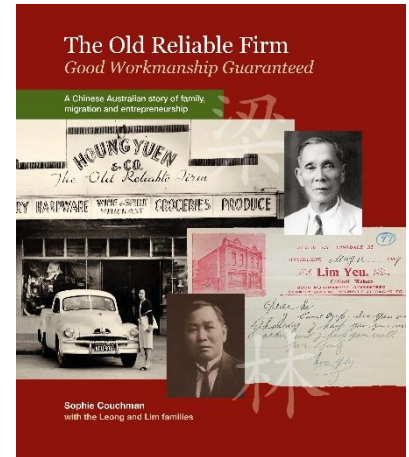
Book launch: *The Old Reliable Firm, Good Workmanship Guaranteed: A Chinese Australian Story of Family, Migration and Entrepreneurship*

As curator of the Museum of Chinese Australian History, Dr Sophie Couchman first met the Leong and Lim families and guided them through the Museum during their fourth family reunion in 2012.

Gary Leong had been researching his grandfather's involvement in Melbourne's cabinetmaking industry. As a result of remaining in touch with Gary and the family, Sophie was commissioned to write the Leong and Lim families' history in 2021.

The result, the story which begins with two young men leaving the Pearl River Delta to make their way to Australia in the late 19th century, like so many of our stories, links Hong Kong to Australia and the role of the diaspora in Australia's economic development.

Join Dr Sophie Couchman and CHAA as Dr Mei-fen Kuo launches *The Old Reliable Firm, Good Workmanship Guaranteed: A Chinese Australian Story of Family, Migration and Entrepreneurship*.



DATE: Thursday, 6th February 2025
TIME: 6 – 8 pm
VENUE: Charles Darwin University Sydney Campus
Level 8, 815 George St Haymarket
(opposite the George Street bus stop outside Central Station)
COST: \$15
TICKETS: <https://www.trybooking.com/CXXXP>
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