

# NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK

14-22 AUGUST

The theme this year is “Australian Biodiversity” and once again, there are a whole range of interesting, thought provoking and intellectually stimulating sessions to enthrall people of all ages.

You can find out more about it by visiting [www.scienceweek.gov.au](http://www.scienceweek.gov.au)

One session that sounds particularly good is entitled “Intellectual Self Defence”. The show is a fun, interactive science show that will teach an audience how to think critically and evaluate scientific evidence. The show will be presented in a quirky 70s Kung Fu movie style, and will feature topics such as evolution, climate change, the scientific method and alternative medicine.

It will be presented at **Questacon** during National Science Week at the following times:

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| Monday 16 August | 6 pm, and 7.30pm       |
| Tues 17 August   | 6 pm, and 7.30pm       |
| Wed 18 August    | 6 pm, and 7.30pm       |
| Sat 21 August    | 3.30pm, 6pm and 7.30pm |

The show is suitable for senior school students (years 9-12)  
...get along and get involved!

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