

2010

A chronology of LGBTIQ+ communities and movements in Sydney from 1969 to 2018

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Date	Location (if not Sydney)	Event	Reference
25 February 2010	Canberra	Senates legal and constitutional affairs committee recommend the <i>Marriage Equality Amendment Bill 2009</i> , not be passed and on 25/2/10 it is defeated in the Senate 5 to 40.	APO
June 2010		Julia Gillard replaces Kevin Rudd as Prime Minister. She announces she is a marriage “traditionalist.”	YYY p56
16 August 2010	National	Geoff Thomas, a Vietnam vet, supporting his son, asks Tony Abbott a question on same-sex marriage on the ABC’s Q & A TV programme.	YT

Sources:

YYY = Yes, Yes, Yes: Alex Greenwich and Shirleene Robinson, 2018

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