

Human Rights Future

An event to mark Anti Poverty Week 2013

- Cutting-edge presentations by human rights experts, practitioners and discussion on human rights, inequality and poverty.
- Practical experience from the field from human rights practitioners across the non-profit sector.
- An up to date analysis on how Australia fares with its human rights obligations and future policy directions.

THURSDAY 17 OCTOBER 2013

This full day event will be held at Fitzroy Town Hall

201 Napier Street, Fitzroy 3065

Melway Reference: 2C, B9

RSVP - Friday, 11 October 2013 Places are limited

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Conference Program

8:00 - 9:00	Conference Registration
9:15 - 9:30	Acknowledgement of Country Vicki Clarke - Coordinator, Aboriginal Catholic ministry
9:30 - 10:30	Keynote Speaker Australia's Human Rights Future Jacqueline Phillips - Director of Policy and Campaigns, Australian Council of Social Services (ACOSS)
10:30 – 11:00	Morning Tea
11:00 - 12:30	Q & A Panel "Where are we heading?" - The Human Rights Road Map Facilitated by Lucy Adams – Senior Lawyer, Public Interest Law Clearing House (PILCH)
	Hugh de Kretser – Human Rights Law Centre Michelle Burrell – Victorian Equal Opportunity and Human Rights Commission Caz Coleman - Acting Director of the Melaleuca Refugee Centre in Darwin
12:30 – 1.15	Lunch
1.15 – 2.15	Keynote Speaker 'Constitutional recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples – the road towards a just and fair Australia' Les Malezer - Co-Chair of the National Congress of Australia's First Peoples
2.15 – 3.15	Conference Workshops
	Workshop 1: Using a Human Rights Framework to progress the rights of people experiencing homelessness and disadvantage Lucy Adams – Senior Lawyer, Public Interest Law Clearing House Dr Heather Holst – Chief Executive Officer, HomeGround
	Workshop 2: Human trafficking: A human rights abuse – How to combat the modern slave trade Dr Mark Zirnsak – Director, Justice and International Mission Unit, Uniting Church
	Workshop 3: Making discriminating choices: recent developments in anti- discrimination laws Biljana Apostolova – Partner, Gadens Lawyers, Melbourne
3.15 – 3.30	Afternoon Tea
3:30- 4.30	Human rights and poverty reduction strategies in Australia Professor David Hayward Dean, School of Global, Urban and Social Studies, RMIT University
4:30 – 4.45	Learnings, affirmations and possibilities

Livia Carusi, St Vincent de Paul Society Victoria

Registration

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