

The Right to Childhood

Friday 19 October, 2012 9am-5pm

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Child Beauty Pageants – What Can We Do About Them?



Prof Mike Daube
Alcohol Promotion, Is it Time to Sue Alcohol Companies



Melinda Tankard Reist
Author, Speaker & Commentator
Porn & Its Impact on Young People



Dr Philip Tam
Child Psychiatrist
The Internet, the Compulsion Loop and Children



Barbara Biggins
How We Can Improve the Quality of Children's Media



Russell Hawksford
The Greyman
Rescuing Children From the Sex Trade



Maggie Hamilton
Author & Researcher
The Corporate Takeover of Childhood



Assoc Prof Felice Jacka, Epidemiologist
Junk Food, Globesity and Kids

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The erosion of childhood is becoming a social and cultural trend of great concern to child development experts as well as the broader community. Commercialisation, sexualisation, body image dissatisfaction and over exposure to violent imagery are some of the key factors. A growing body of scientific evidence and expert opinion has transformed the debate about this trend into an important issue with major implications for mental health, public health, education and policy.

The aim of this event is to provide up-to-date and authoritative information from leading experts, share initiatives and strategies to facilitate understanding and awareness and empower participants with practical skills to address this crucial social issue. The information in this seminar is essential knowledge for teachers, counsellors, welfare workers, health professionals, parents and all those who work with young people.

Dr Ramesh Manocha, Convenor and Chairman

REGISTRATION INCLUDES

Program and comprehensive lecture notes
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PROGRAM

SPEAKER	TOPIC
The Hon. Greg Smith	Opening
Maggie Hamilton	The Corporate Takeover of Childhood
Prof Mike Daube	Alcohol Promotion – Targeting Children?
	Is it Time To Sue Alcohol Companies?
Dr Wayne Warburton	Pop Music Is It Good for Kids?
Dr Philip Tam	The Internet, The Compulsion Loop and Children
Melinda Tankard Reist	Big Porn Inc. – What is it Doing to Young People?
Det Sgt Stuart Butler	How Taskforce Argos is Fighting Online Predators
Barbara Biggins	Improving the Quality of Children's Media
Dr Emma Rush	Making Corporates More Socially Responsible
Assoc Prof Felice Jacka	Junk food, Globesity and Kids
Russell Hawksford	Rescuing Children From the Sex Trade
Collett Smart	Child Beauty Pageants
Lene Jeffrey	Meditation – A Relaxing Mind Clearing Session

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