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Melinda Tankard Reist
Author, Speaker & Commentator
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Maggie Hamilton
Author & Researcher
The Corporate Takeover of Childhood



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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

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| The Hon. Greg Smith | Opening |
| Maggie Hamilton | The Corporate Takeover of Childhood |
| Prof Mike Daube | Alcohol Promotion – Targeting Children? |
| | Is it Time to Sue the 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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