



Mid-term Conference Program

Wednesday 14 June 2017 — Barton Room, Rydges Capital Hill

Workshop day for the National Council of Young Women of Australia (NCYWA) (NCYWA members only)

Time	Subject	Speaker
1.00 – 1.10 pm	Welcome	Barbara Baikie, President, NCWA
1.10 – 1.30 pm	Introductions/ice breaker	Barbara Baikie, President, NCWA
1.30 – 2.30 pm	Communication/social media awareness	Genevieve Jacobs, ABC
2.00 – 3.30 pm	Leadership with integrity	Frances Crimmins, YWCA
3.30 – 4.00 pm	Afternoon tea	
4.00 – 5.00 pm	Assertiveness training	Zoe Routh, Inner Compass
5.00 – 7.00 pm	Board Dinner at Forrest Inn, Forrest Hotel	
7.00 – 9.00 pm	Herrmann Brain Dominance Instrument® (HBDI)	Barbara Baikie, WiCK Consulting

Wednesday 14 June 2017 — Wesley Hall, Forrest

NCWA Business Session (Members Only)

Time	Subject	Person
1.00–1.30 pm	Arrival/registration	Yvonne Robson, NCWA
1.30–1.45 pm	Introduction open of conference	Barbara Baikie, NCWA President
1.45–3.00 pm	Workshop – Advisors Workshop	Margaret Findlater-Smith, NCWA
3.00–3.15 pm	Advocacy Training	Dr Wendy Abigail, Flinders University
3.15–3.45 pm	Afternoon tea	
3.45–5.00 pm	Strategic plan	Brigid Hardy, Interaction Consulting

Thursday 15 June 2017 — Parliament House

Breakfast and launch of NCYWA (Open to the public)

Time	Subject	Person
6.30–7.00 am	Arrival/registration	
7.00–7.05 am	Welcome	Catherine McGrath, MC
7.05–7.25 am	Acknowledgement of country	Barbara Baikie, NCWA President
7.25–7.30 am	Introduction of Prime Minister	Senator The Hon Michaelia Cash
7.30–7.45 am	Launch of NCYWA	The Hon Malcolm Turnbull MP, Prime Minister of Australia (TBC)
7.45–7.55 am	Our Future	Caitlin Figueiredo, NCYWA
7.55–8.05 am	Our Future	Jessica Perry, NCYWA
8.05–8.15 am	Questions	Catherine McGrath, MC
8.15–8.30 am	Thank you and networking	Catherine McGrath, MC
8.30 am	Close	

Thursday 15 June 2017 — Rydges Capital Hill

NCWA Business Session (Members Only)

Time	Subject	Person
9.00–9.05 am	Introduction	Barbara Baikie, NCWA President
9.05–10.15 am	Resolutions	Julie Morris, Margaret Findlater-Smith, NCWA
10.15–10.45 am	Morning tea	
10.45am–12.30 pm	Resolutions	Julie Morris, Margaret Findlater-Smith, NCWA
12.30–1.30 pm	Lunch	

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Thursday 15 June 2017 — Rydges Capital Hill

Vulnerability of Older Women, focus on poverty and homelessness (*open to the public*)

Time	Subject	Speaker
1.30–1.35 pm	Conference opening	Catherine McGrath, MC
1.35–1.40 pm	Welcome to Country	TBC
1.40–1.45 pm	Welcome to delegates	Her Excellency Lady Lynne Cosgrove
1.45–2.10 pm	Keynote: Older women and homelessness	Penny Leemhuis, O.W.L.s
2.10–2.35 pm	Keynote: Evaluation of the Northern Region Prevention of Violence against Women Strategy: Evaluation Report	Dr Deborah Western, Monash University
2.35–3.05 pm	Keynote: Difficulties of navigating the legal system for older women experiencing homelessness	Anusha Goonetilleke, Canberra Community Law
3.05–3.30 pm	Afternoon tea	
3.30–4.00 pm	Panel discussion: Questions and Answers session	Dr Deborah Western, Penny Leemhuis, Anusha Goonetilleke. Moderator: Catherine McGrath
4.00–4.45 pm	Small group discussion/solutions	Catherine McGrath, MC
4.45–5.30 pm	Presentations of solutions	
6.30 for 7.00 pm	Dinner at Rydges	

Friday 16 June 2017 — Rydges Capital Hill

Vulnerability of Younger Women and Violence Against Women (*open to the public*)

Time	Subject	Person
9.00–9.05 am	Introduction	Catherine McGrath, MC
9.05–9.30 am	Keynote: Root causes of violence against women: Pornography	Maree Crabbe, Reality & Risk
9.30–9.55 am	Keynote: Root causes of violence against women: Portrayal and sexualisation of women in the media	Prof Margaret Alston OAM, Monash University
9.55–10.20 am	Solutions	Senator the Hon Michaelia Cash, Minister for Women
10.20–10.45 am	Keynote: Root causes of violence against women: Sex discrimination	Kate Jenkins, Australian Sex Discrimination Commissioner
10.45–11.15 am	Morning tea	
11.15–11.40 am	Keynote: Driving workplace gender equality	Libby Lyons, Workplace Gender Equality Agency
11.40 am– 12.20 pm	Panel discussion: Questions and Answers session	Maree Crabbe, Prof Margaret Alston OAM, Michael Costigan and Emma Husar MP. Moderator: MC Catherine McGrath
12.20–1.20 pm	Lunch	
1.20–1.40 pm	Male Champions of Change - What we can do	Ken Morrison, Property Council of Australia
1.40–2.05 pm	Violence against women and homelessness in Indigenous communities	The Hon Linda Burney MP, Shadow Minister for Human Services
2.05–2.30 pm	Cultural change – How we can change	Sonia Irwin, Redgrass Communications
2.30–2.55 pm	Gender equity – Political participation	Prof Marian Sawer, Australian National University
3.55–3.20 pm	Afternoon tea	
3.20–3.40 pm	Gender equity – Leading change in the public service	Lin Hatfield Dodds, Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet
3.40–4.30 pm	Small group work solutions	Catherine McGrath, MC
4.30–5.00 pm	Presentation of solutions and conference close	Catherine McGrath, MC

Please note – this program was correct at time of printing and is subject to change