



## Australian Hypnotherapists' Association

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## The 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Australian Hypnotherapists Association World Conference September 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### Call for Abstracts

The Australian Hypnotherapists' Association, providing the endorsement of your hypnotherapy skills that clients are looking for.

#### Not just another professional body

The AHA is the largest association for hypnotherapy and hypnotherapists since 1949, it is also the oldest hypnotherapy organisation in Australia. Registration with such a professional body reflects a hypnotherapist's willingness to demonstrate to the public a strong desire to be accountable. Registration is the only formal process that members of the public can rely on in relation to standards and accountability.

#### The conference:

The theme for this conference is ***Resilience – bend or break? Hypnotherapy creating strength within.*** International and Australian professionals will provide current and leading edge information to integrate into the day to day practice of clinical hypnotherapists.

What determines whether we overcome or are overcome? How do we build resilience to overcome adversity and see ourselves as victim or victor? How do we build the coping ability emotionally, mentally and physically? What tools and skills do we utilise and build to develop empowered resilience?

#### Who will attend:

Hypnotherapists, counsellors, psychologists, psychotherapists, medical professionals, other mental health and family therapy professionals.

#### What are we looking for?

Seeking specialised knowledge on subjects covered by the theme of this conference: hypnotherapy and / or the power of the mind as it relates to coping strategies, ability to bounce back and move forward. Resilience quotient, coping abilities, growth and development from victim to victor, vulnerability to empowerment.



### **Abstract:**

Please complete the three page presentation proposal form and:

Email to: [president@ahahypnotherapy.org.au](mailto:president@ahahypnotherapy.org.au) or;

Post to: AHA Administration, 5 Burrell Court, Larapinta NT 0875

## **Closing date for Abstracts is the 31<sup>st</sup> of January 2019**

### **Please ensure that you follow the requested criteria.**

#### **How your proposal will be evaluated:**

Proposals will be evaluated by the AHA National Committee members and members of the Conference Planning Committee based on the following factors:

- Quality of content, timeliness and **relevance** to the Conference theme.
- New discovered and/or researched information for the profession.
- Usefulness of your handout resources.
- Quality of the proposal submitted, including thoroughness and accuracy of the proposal form and submitting documents.
- Appropriateness for the audience.
- Quality of the proposal compared to others submitted regarding the same or similar topics.

The presentation proposal form and all required attachments must be received by 31<sup>st</sup> of January 2019. Notifications will follow by the 15<sup>th</sup> of February 2019.

#### **Presenters whose proposals are selected must agree to:**

- Provide additional information as requested by the Conference Committee.
- Cooperate with the AHA conference Committee on administrative arrangements and meet deadlines for submissions.
- Refrain from making substantial changes in program content or format without prior approval of the Committee.
- Be available to present on either of the two days of the Conference.
- Prepare and provide an electronic copy of high-quality handouts by August 1<sup>st</sup> 2019
- Allow the AHA to audio and/or video tape the presentation for educational purposes.
- Recognise that the reason for your selection is to assist in meeting attendees' educational needs.
- Guarantee that you are the sole proprietors of their material and that no proprietary rights or copyrights belonging to any other person exist.
- That all personal sales or promotion of own business be delayed until the last 10 minutes of presentation.

#### **Benefits of presenting:**

- Exposure before groups of health professionals.
- Publicity in pre-conference promotional materials and publications.
- Recognition in the conference Program and Resource Manual.
- Recognition of your skills and expertise in specific areas.
- A chance to share your knowledge and experience.
- Service to your organisation and profession.
- One complimentary two day conference registration fee per speaker
- Exhibit space at a reduced price of \$150 per table per day. Exhibit tables will be limited.
- Complimentary conference dinner on Saturday evening



# The AHA World Conference September 14 to 16, 2019

## *Resilience – bend or break?* *Hypnotherapy creating strength within*

### Submission of Abstract

#### Presenter(s) Information:

All submissions must include the following information for each proposal: (Print or Type)

Presenter/s:

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Qualifications:

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Association Memberships:

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Contact Address:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Work phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Home phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

#### Abstract Information:

1. **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sub-title: \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Format seminar** – please select first choice

60 minute presentation

90 minute presentation

3. **Description:** Please provide a brief 100 word description of the content of your presentation. The description will be used for conference marketing purposes. Please ensure you include how / why participants will benefit from your presentation.

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