

ntv conference 2023

Rydges Melbourne, 28-31 August 2023



PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS: MONDAY 28 AUGUST 2023			
8.30am	Registration and arrival tea and coffee		Meeting Place Foyer
9.00-12.00pm	Workshop 1: Identify, respond and refer Venue: Meeting Place 3	Workshop 2: Making violence sexy, pornography, young people and violence prevention Venue: Meeting Place 4	Workshop 3: Southern Cross Engagement model for working with First Nations men who use family and sexual violence Venue: Terrace 1
Maximum attendees for all workshops is 30	This workshop is an introduction to working with men using family violence and is a foundational training experience for professionals to learn the ways in which men's family violence is defined and understood, skills in identifying key risk indicators, and referral pathways. This training aims to support the learning and	Readily available and aggressively marketed online, exposure to hardcore pornography is now mainstream. Arguably the most prominent form of sexuality education, pornography is shaping young people's sexual understandings and experiences with serious implications for their capacity to navigate relationships and sexuality that are safe, respectful and consenting.	The Southern Cross Model was designed to encourage mainstream agencies to deliver more culturally competent services to First Nation men who use family violence against women and children. The content and delivery of the model is through a First Nation lens providing a two - way learning platform for both participants and trainers.
	development of practitioner skills in engaging with men about their use of abuse and violence. <u>Trainers:</u> Kate Bishop No to Violence	 Pornography has become a violence prevention issue we can't afford to ignore. How pornography has become mainstream (including information about young people's exposure and access) The nature of contemporary pornography (including its common depictions of gendered aggression) 	The Southern Cross for First Nation people is a navigator and a map for all parts of their culture and lands. The Emu Dreaming Story and his relationship with the Southern Cross is embedded into a Practice Model for work with men which teaches the Practitioner the important practice of 'Yarning Two Ways'. Practitioners are supported to move away from punitive and collusive approaches as they learn to connect and engage safely with

		 How pornography reflects and reinforces the gendered drivers of violence against women What we can do to address porn's influence on young people. Trainer: Maree Crabb, It's Time We Talked 	clients in culturally safe, trauma informed practice. The goal is to create a safe place at the commencement of intervention work before challenging attitudes, beliefs and behaviours. Trainers: Kyalie Moore, Boomerang Consultancy, Josh Wanganeen, Dungala Dreaming
10.15am	Morning tea		Meeting Place Foyer
10.30am	Workshop 1 continued	Workshop 2 continued	Workshop 3 continued
12.00pm	Lunch		Meeting Place Foyer
1.00pm-4.00pm	Workshop 4: Working with fathers	Workshop 2 continued	Workshop 3 continued
-	Venue: Meeting Place 3	Venue: Meeting Place 4	Venue: Terrace 1
	This workshop explores the damaging effects of children experiencing violence and abuse, and how to shift the focus of interventions to the father's responsibility and accountability for safe parenting.		
	Intersecting with this complexity are broader narratives that will often attribute responsibility for safety, security, and emotional wellbeing of children to the victim survivor. This training is underpinned by the current evidence base that has established an understanding of the gender drivers of men's violence against women. With a focus on working with fathers using family violence, practitioners attending this training examine		

	the understanding that the choice to use abuse includes the ways in which abuse and violence minimise and impact on the parenting of the victim survivor. <u>Trainers:</u> Kate Bishop, No to Violence Kim Pedlar, Kids First			
2.15pm	Afternoon tea			Meeting Place Foyer
2.30 – 4pm	Workshop 4 continued	Workshop 2 continued	Workshop 3 continued	·
5.00-7.00pm	Welcome Reception, including Smoking Ceremony			Terrace

	TUESDAY 29 AUGUST 2023:	
	Leading the Change: to break the cycle of violence	
7.00am	Registration and arrival tea and coffee	Centre Stage Foyer
7.00am-5.00pm	Quiet Zone	Meeting Place 4
	The quiet zone is available to all delegates throughout the conference, as a place to seek a	
	break from the conference discussions and support. If you need the assistance of a trained	
	professional, and none are currently available within the quiet zone, then please let the	
	registration desk know by messaging one of the Conlog staff directly on the conference app.	
8.30-10.00am	Opening plenary	Chair: Jacqui Watt, No to Violence CEO
		Venue: Centre Stage
8.30am	Welcome to the conference introduce, <i>Tim Lo Surdo</i> , <i>No to Violence Chair</i>	
8.40 am	Welcome to Country, to be announced	
9.00am	Government welcome, Hon. Assistant Minister Justine Elliot MP, Assistant Minister for Social	
	Services & Prevention of Family Violence	
9.15am	To be announced	
9.30am	KEYNOTE: A/Prof Joshua Roose, Deakin University	
10.20am	Morning tea and exhibition	Meeting Place 1&2
	Including Phil Doncon art performance	

10.45-1.00pm	Session 1A: Masculinities	Session 1B: Children and young people	Session 1C: Response and practice
	Venue: Centre Stage 1	Venue: Centre Stage 2	Venue: Meeting Place 3
10.45am Session Keynote	A few good men	Eroticising inequality: Why pornography has become a violence prevention issue we can't	She has to leave. Her life may depend on it. What happens next?
	An in-depth view of the challenges, obstacles and ultimately the blue-sky vision that drives the good men working at the front-line of violence prevention work. The darkest hour precedes the dawn - confronting Inconvenient Truths is the crucial first step towards empowering and supporting men who are at the vanguard of driving change. A forthright, pragmatic conversation about the excuses that some men choose to hide behind and how some men are leaning into the inspiration of leaders like Nelson Mandela in that long walk to freedom where courage and quiet protest can live alongside humanity and optimism.	Readily available and aggressively marketed online, exposure to hardcore pornography is now mainstream. Arguably the most prominent form of sexuality education, pornography is shaping young people's sexual understandings and experiences with serious implications for their capacity to navigate relationships and sexuality that are safe, respectful and consenting. Pornography has become a violence prevention issue we can't afford to ignore. **Maree Crabb, It's Time We Talked**	The first 24 hours after someone calls a family violence crisis service are dangerous, traumatic, chilling, and empowering. It is the most vulnerable moment for victim-survivors. Reaching out for help, terrified it will work and terrified it won't, they place their lives, their children's future, and a great deal of trust in the hands of our frontline people who know all too well about the limitations of the system and the chronic under-resourcing that frequently hampers an escape. What happens in those first 24 hours? Dr Chelsea Tobin, CEO, Safe Steps
	Michael Jeh, Educator		
11.30am	Why don't we talk about patriarchy	The role of child maltreatment in mental	Listening In: Role play and debrief of a
Spotlights	anymore?	health and health-risk behaviours across life:	telephone counselling session with male
		lessons for prevention, interventions and	person using violence
	A 'fireside chat' between Josh Roose and Bob Pease explores the pathway to Bob's long- term involvement in pro feminist politics and	trauma recovery from the Australian Child Maltreatment Study	Presenters to be announced
	critical studies of men and masculinities. From his early anti-sexist activism in the 1970s through to his work in Men Against Sexual Assault (MASA) in the 1990s and	The Australian Child Maltreatment Study (ACMS) is a landmark data collection that stems from the 2017 Royal Commission into	
	Courageous Conversations with Men About Men's Violence Against Women in the present. It explores his PhD on the pathways	Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse. It is most comprehensive study of prevalence of each of the five types of child maltreatment and multi-type maltreatment,	
	by which men become pro feminist and the ideas informing some of his key publications including <i>Undoing Privilege</i> (2010, 2022), <i>Facing Patriarchy</i> (2019) and <i>Posthumanism</i>	and the associated mental health and health risk behaviours across life. It responds to a major gap in the evidence base required for policymakers and service providers to design	

	and the Man Question (2023). Some of these	and implement better whole-of-population	
	ideas challenge the conventional orthodoxy	prevention strategies, as well as respond to	
	for understanding men's violence against	the trauma and health impacts for those who	
	women and engaging men in violence	have already experienced child maltreatment.	
	prevention.	, ,	
		Prof Kate Fitz-Gibbon, Monash University,	
	Prof Bob Pease, University of Tasmania,	Prof Daryl Higgins, Australian Catholic	
	A/Prof Josh Roose, Deakin University	University	
12.10pm	Queering masculinity	Title to be announced	Reflections on helpline counselling
Panels			
	Panellists: Rory Blundell, Zoe Belle Gender	<u>Panellists:</u> To be announced	<u>Panellists:</u> Marjorie Anderson, Lifeline
	Collective, Jayke Burgess, NSW Advocate,		Australia,
	Penn , Men and Family Centre,	<u>Facilitator:</u> Prof Kate Fitz-Gibbon, Monash	MRS counsellors (to be announced),
	Anthony Lekus, Northside Counselling	University	Aaron Pridmore, DVConnect Mensline
	Solutions		
			<u>Facilitator:</u> Beck O'Connor , DV Connect
	<u>Facilitator:</u> Matt Parsons , MOROPA		
	Productions & Consultancy		
12.50pm	Lunch and exhibition		Meeting Place 1&2
	Including Phil Doncon art performance		
1.30-3.40pm	Session 2A: Masculinities	Session 2B: Children and young people	Session 2C: Response and practice
	Venue: Centre Stage 1	Venue: Centre Stage 2	Venue: Meeting Place 3
1.30pm	Prevention of violence against women – how	The Wattle Project	To be announced
Presentations	do create social change in a patriarchy?	Understanding Adolescent Violence in the	
		Home: The Integration of Family Violence	
	Violence against women in Australia is an	informed and Trauma informed Frameworks	
	epidemic and it is preventable. Responding to	when working with Young People using	
	violence against women when it happens is	Violence in the Home	
	critical, but at the same time we need to stop	Alica Lackway Mata Bishauda Bayus Ctuast	
	it before it starts. That's what prevention	Alice Lockrey, Kate Richards, Berry Street	
	does – it changes the conditions that allow		
	violence against women to thrive in society.		
	These conditions include our individual		
	attitudes and behaviours, social norms,		
	organisational cultures and practices, policies.		
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	organisational cultures and practices, policies, laws and institutions. In this presentation Serina McDuff looks at the challenges and		

Facilitator: Deb Tsobaris, Centre for Excellence in Child & Family Welfare	2.00pm Spotlights/panel	opportunities of creating social change to prevent violence against women in one of society's most powerful patriarchal system; the justice system. Serina will draw on her at Respect Victoria driving deep systems change, her experience as a human rights lawyer and her work with community and women's legal services. **Serina McDuff, Respect Victoria** **YesAllMen – The role that all men can and should play in preventing men's violence against women The presentation will provide an overview of the guiding principles from Our Watch's Men in focus evidence review and practice guide for addressing masculinities and working with men and boys in the primary prevention of men's violence against women. How these principles crossover with and complement early intervention and perpetrator response approaches to preventing men's violence against women will be discussed. **Cameron McDonald, Shane Tas, Our Watch**	Designing services for young people using violence in the home The panel discuss how we ensure adolescent and young person violence in the home (AVITH) service responses are traumainformed and developmentally appropriate. Practitioners from specialist AVITH programs discuss what they have we learned from the lived expertise of young people who use violence in the home, what they want in service design and some of the important program components needed to address this unique form of family violence. Panellists: Larisa Freiverts Anglicare, Kirra Horley Y-Change, Alice Lockrey Berry Steet, Vince Townsend, VACCA Facilitator: Deb Tsobaris, Centre for Excellence in Child & Family Welfare	In conversation AC Lauren Callaway, Victoria Police
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2.40pm Spotlights/panel	A Reflection: Women and masculinity	The kids are not ok	On the job: police observations about the challenge of resolving violent situations for
Spottights, parier	Panellists: Deanne Carson , Body Safety	Jannawi works with children as victims in	victims and perpetrators.
	Australia,	their own right and will share their approach	Training and perpendicular
	Delia Donovan , Domestic Violence NSW,	to advocacy and supporting them in the ways	A panel of experienced police from five
	Kyalie Moore, Boomerang Consultancy,	they need. This means partnering with	jurisdictions will share their insights about
	Angelique Wan, Consent Labs	children to address the consequences of	responding to perpetrators at the crisis end of
		family violence- exploring the way it hurts	the system. Our panel will unpack what works
	<u>Facilitator:</u> Tania Farha, Safe & Equal	them, their worries, fears, hopes and the	for police in holding perpetrators to account,
		steps needed to create safer lives.	and what is changing about the way violence
			and control is being used to destroy families
		Biljana Milosevic, Jannawi Family Centre	
			Panellists: Sen. Serg. Dagmar Anderson,
			Victoria Police,
			Insp. Mel Dwyer, Queensland Police,
			Det. Super. Kirsten Engels, NT Police,
			other panellists to be announced
			<u>Facilitator</u> : AC Lauren Callaway , Victoria
			Police
3.20pm	Afternoon tea and exhibition Including Phil Doncon art performance		Meeting Place 1&2
3.50pm	KEYNOTE SPOTLIGHT: Reflections on what we	are learning, what don't we know, what needs	Chair: To be announced
	to be further explored, Padma Raman, ANROV	VS, Jacqui Watt, No to Violence	Venue: Centre Stage
4.30pm	Close of day		
6.00pm	Pre-Dinner drinks		Centre Stage Foyer
7.00-10.00pm	Gala Dinner		Centre Stage
	Theme: Steampunk		

	WED	NESDAY 30 AUGUST 2023	
	Leading the Cha	ange: to break the cycle of violence	
8.00am	Registration		Centre Stage Foyer
8.00m-5.00pm	Quiet Zone The quiet zone is available to all delegates throubereak from the conference discussions and supporfessional, and none are currently available we registration desk know by messaging one of the	Meeting Place 4	
8.30-10.15am 8.45am 9.30am	Welcomes KEYNOTE: Micaela Cronin, Domestic, Family, & KEYNOTE: She Is Not Your Rehab, Matt and Sa		<u>Chair:</u> To be announced Venue: Centre Stage
10.15am	Morning tea and exhibition Including Phil Doncon art performance		Meeting Place 1&2
10.45-12.30pm	Session 3A: Masculinities Venue: Centre Stage 1	Session 3B: Children and young people Venue: Centre Stage 2	Session 3C: Response and practice Venue: Meeting Place 3
10.45am	Unleashing change: Empowering men to end	Mobilising the village; Tackling the gap	Title to be announced
Session Keynote	In our pursuit to prevent violence against women, it is crucial to recognize the important role that men play in this endeavour. Together, we will explore how we can effectively prevent violence, support survivors, and create a more equitable society. We will delve into the current state of work in primary prevention and early intervention in Australia and discuss the challenges we face as activists. Join us as we uncover strategies for collaboration, navigate power dynamics, and engage in transformative conversations that will lead us towards a future where our industry is no	between prevention and intervention with young men As one of Victoria's leading experts in primary prevention with children and young people, Body Safety Australia is continuously seeing the pipeline young people face towards radicalisation. Yet, where are the conversations on true early intervention work? Join our Head of Education to dive into how we engage young people currently walking this road and stepping in before a crime has been committed or harm perpetrated. We'll unpack the varying risk factors and how to manage backlash when doing this work through a whole community approach. We know the extreme spaces	Aunty Daphne Yarram, Yoowinna Wurnalung Aboriginal Healing Service

	longer needed. Let's embark on this journey	young people are ending up in and it's going	
	together and make lasting change.	to take a village to truly make a change.	
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	Allan Ball, White Ribbon,	Lauren French, Body Safety Australia	
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	Jacqui Watt, No to Violence		
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11.30am	Men talking about masculinity and culture	Amplify: Turning up the volume on young	Safety by design: What is the role of the
Panels	Daniellista Laurenal Carres Develine & District	people and family violence	business community
	<u>Panellists:</u> Jamaal Cross, Bendigo & District		
	Aboriginal Corporation,	Amplify Project participants,	<u>Panellists:</u> Catherine Fitzpatrick, Westpac,
	Adrian Geary, Queensland Indigenous Family	Shorna Moore, MCM	Julie Iman Grant, Australia's eSafety
	Violence Legal Service,		Commissioner, Tiffiny Lewin , Westpac,
	Josh Wanganeen , Dungala Dreaming	<u>Facilitator</u> : Elena Campbell, RMIT's Centre for	more panellists to be announced
		Innovative Justice	
	<u>Facilitator:</u> Todd Fernando, Commissioner for		<u>Facilitator:</u> Rebecca Glenn, Centre for
	LGBTIQ+ Communities		Women's Economic Safety
12.30pm	Lunch and exhibition		Meeting Place 1&2
	Including Phil Doncon art performance		
1.30-3.30pm	Session 4A: Masculinities	Session 4B: Children and young people	Session 4C: Response and practice
	Venue: Centre Stage 1	Venue: Centre Stage 2	Venue: Meeting Place 3
1.30pm	In conversation	Colonisation: the masculine, and missing	In conversation
Spotlight		masculinity	
	Prof Patrick O'Leary , Griffith University,	Imogen Johnstone,	Starlady , Zoe Belle Gender Collective,
	Matt Brown She Is Not Your Rehab	Connor Pall, Social Justice Advocate	Sasja Sÿdek , Transfemme
		<u>Facilitator:</u> Douschka Dobson, MCM	
2.15pm	The Men's Project: Engaging men and boys in	Love Better	Reflections on a healing approach to working
Presentation	our primary prevention work		with men in the Aboriginal Community
		An initiative of the New Zealand Government	
	An initiative of Jesuit Social Services to	Love Better is a primary prevention campaign	A couch side conversation about their journey
	engage boys and men in efforts to promote	for young people aged 16-24years. The	over the past 6 years of working with
	gender equality and prevent violence in	campaign aims to promote safe, positive, and	Aboriginal men in the Community.
	communities across Australia. This is done via	equal romantic and sexual relationships so	Together they will reflect on their approach
	evidence-based programs which raise	that young people have the best chance of	to what they have found has worked as well
	awareness of the harmful impacts of	lifelong healthy and abuse free relationships.	as what the challenges and barriers have
	stereotypical masculine norms and builds the	It is a whole-of-population campaign	been in their various men's programs.
	capacity of participants to challenge these as	providing an alternative narrative to that	They will also share reflections on the
	well as their associated behaviours	which young people consume through	mainstream/Aboriginal intersection in the
		popular culture	, ,

	Michael Hail, Jesuit Social Services	Zaffa Christian, NZ Ministry of Social Development	family violence sector and what can be learnt by black and white working together. An open and frank Q&A with the audience will be welcomed utilising the principles they incorporate working on Country around the fire. Jamaal Cross, Camilo Demarco, Bendigo & District Aboriginal Corporation
2.45pm Panels	Young men and masculinity Panellists: Noah Bloch, Consent Labs, Elvis Martin, Youth Advocate, Conor Pall, Social Justice Advocate more panellists to be announced	Stronger Sisters: On Country Women's Healing Camp for the prevention of youth family and intimate partner violence Panellists: Naomi Barry, Brooke Clifford, Carla Lauch, Bujilwarra	Connecting, Communicating, Collaborating - a multi-faceted approach to providing services to people who use violence Panellists: To be announced Facilitator: Allison Wainwright, Family Life
	<u>Facilitator:</u> Michael Hail, Jesuit Social Services	<u>Facilitator:</u> Bianca Johnston , YSAS	
3.30pm	Afternoon tea	Meeting Place 3&4	
4.00pm 4.15pm	Silent Auction of Phil Doncon Artworks KEYNOTE PANEL: Matt Brown, She Is Not Your Rehab, Micaela Cronin, Domestic, Family, & Sexual Violence Commissioner, Lauren French, Body Safety Australia, Ghaith Krayem, Muslim Women Australia, Elvis Martin, Youth Advocate, Connor Pall, Social Justice Advocate, A/Prof Joshua Roose, Deakin University, more panellist's to be announced Facilitator: Prof Kate Fitz-Gibbon, Monash University, Jacqui Watt, No to Violence		Chair: To be announced
5.30pm	Thank you and conference close, Tim Lo Surdo,		

	POST-CONFERENCE W	ORKSHOPS: THURSDAY 31 AUGUST 202	23
8.30am	Registration and arrival tea and coffee	Meeting Place Foyer	
9.00-12.00pm	Workshop 5	Workshop 6	Workshop 7
		-	Venue: Meeting Place 3
	YSAS/NTV Working with adolescents and young people using intimate partner violence package Research in both Australia and Internationally highlights that use of violence during adolescence can feature in the trajectory towards adult family violence. After 2 years of cross-sector collaboration, in 2022 No to Violence (NTV) and the Youth Support and Advocacy Service (YSAS) established a formal training partnership that merged the specialisation and expertise of both agencies in areas of family violence prevention, men's behaviour change, youth and youth substance use. This partnership has led to the development of unique and innovative training focused on the practice skills necessary for engaging young men who use intimate partner violence. This workshop will explore the process of collaboration, the key learnings that have evolved through the partnership and important role of early intervention with young men in preventing intimate partner violence and future family violence. **Trainers: Bianca Johnston, YSAS, Stacy Oehlman, Not to Violence**	Presenting 'Changing the Picture' We know Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women experience disproportionately high rates of violence, and violence that is often more severe and more complex in its impacts. It requires us to address the many complex drivers of violence — not only gender inequality but also the ongoing impacts of colonisation and racism across Australian society. Changing the picture outlines how violence against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women can be prevented, describing the essential actions that are needed to change and shift the drivers of this violence. It considers not only what needs to be done, but how this prevention work should be undertaken, and by whom. Envisaging a shared national effort, it points to actions that are most appropriately undertaken by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and organisations, and actions that should be the responsibility of non-Indigenous people and organisations, and of governments. It also presents a set of principles that should guide this prevention work. Our Watch's approach to preventing violence against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women is underpinned by our key framework, Changing the picture	Insight into global and local evidence underpinning primary prevention Specific to comprehensive sexuality education. Consent, digital consent, sexual harassment and assault: understanding what these things are and how to practically engage and educate young people on these topics. Trainer: Angelique Wan, Consent Labs

		Trainers: Catriona Elder, Tracy Minniecon,	
		Our Watch	
10.15am	Morning tea		Meeting Place Foyer
10.30am	Workshop 6 continued	Workshop 7 continued	Workshop 8 continued
12.00pm	Lunch		Meeting Place Foyer
1.00-2.00pm	Workshop 8	Workshop 9	Workshop 10
	Venue: Meeting Place 1	Venue: Meeting Place 2	Venue: Meeting Place 3
	Understanding coercive control	Positive Masculinity, consent, and strategies	Family safety contact work
2.00pm	This engaging and interactive workshop will explore the 8 stages of coercive control and utilise case study principles of engagement: unpacking effective collaboration principles of engagement, and translating information into practice Trainer: Hala Abdelnour, Institute of nonviolence	Engaging participants in discussions regarding the relationship between masculinity, consent, and healthy relationships. Demonstrate how those that work with, or engage with, young boys can create safe, open, and judgement-free spaces where young people in male-dominant environments feel comfortable to contribute their perspectives. The presentation will achieve these goals through a modified version of Consent Labs' Positive Masculinity module. The workshop will be separated into three different activities and after each activity is completed there will be a break to debrief the purpose and intention of each activity. <u>Trainer:</u> Noah Bloch, Consent Labs	Learn how Family Safety Contact, an essential component of men's family violence intervention work aims to increase safety within families. This work supports current and former partners, and children, of men using violence to assess risk, provide referral information, engage with other services and increase understanding of the different forms of family violence. Trainer: Bianca Hunter, No to Violence Meeting Place Foyer
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2.30-4.00pm	Workshop 8 continued	Workshop 9 continued	Workshop 10 continued