

Child Protection & the Law: training day Friday 19th November 2021

Time	Topic	Presenter
9:30am to 10:30am	<p>Navigating no man's land between CYP SA & Family Law Act</p> <p>Often legal practitioners will have clients whose issues involve the separate areas of criminal, family and child protection law. Unless professionals understand the complexities of the interactions of the law relating to those areas, the boundaries may seem like a no man's land. Tracee will explore these complexities in the context of a hypothetical scenario.</p>	<p>Tracee Micallef Barrister & Managing Partner of Micallef Lipson Chambers</p>
10:30am to 11:30am	<p>Operating in SACAT's new child protection jurisdiction</p> <p>The <i>Children and Young People (Safety) Act</i> was introduced in 2017. Two of the Department for Child Protection's most senior staff will share their insights and perspective on how the Act is working, how the SACAT's new review process is operating, and how the legislation and SACAT decisions are impacting on children and young people in care.</p>	<p>Fiona Ward, Deputy Chief Executive & Elizabeth Boxall, Director of Legal Services Department for Child Protection</p>
11:30am to 12:30pm	<p>Making change happen in law reform & how to influence parliamentary law making</p> <p>Using the <i>Children and Young People (Safety) Act 2017</i> as a case study, Dr Sarah Moulds will discuss how to influence parliamentary law making successfully and share insights from the South Australian Law Reform Institute, the Law Council of Australia, and the Rights Resource Network of SA.</p>	<p>Dr. Sarah Moulds Director & Co founder of Resource Rights Network SA Senior Lecturer in Law at UniSA</p>
1:00pm to 2:00pm	<p>Reunification Court: how it operates</p> <p>In this session Lorena De Palma and Carolyn Doherty will provide an overview of the Youth Court – including how matters progress through to the Reunification Court and how parties and others (including Foster and Kinship Carers) can be heard.</p>	<p>Carolyn Doherty, Manager & Registrar of Youth Court and Lorena De Palma, Manager, Innovation & Reform at Youth Court</p>
2:00pm to 3:00pm	<p>Lessons from Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal – a collaborative approach</p> <p>Carissa will present on her experiences advocating for Carers at the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT) over the past 15 years and comment on the processes in place through QCAT that hold decision makers accountable and encourage transparency.</p>	<p>Carissa Inglis Service Support Manager Queensland Foster & Kinship Care (peak body for carers in QLD)</p>
3:00pm to 4:00pm	<p>An overview of the <i>Children & Young People (Safety) Act 2017</i>, the voice of the child</p> <p>This presentation provides an overview of the key sections of the <i>Children and Young People (Safety) Act 2017</i> regarding the voice and rights of children and young people in state care. The presentation also addresses the amendments to the legislation following the Nyland Royal Commission Report into Child Protection Systems in 2016.</p>	<p>Cinzia Aglieco Senior Solicitor Civil & Family Law Section Aboriginal Legal Rights Movement Inc</p>

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