



Child Sexual Abuse & Harmful Sexual Behaviours National Conference 2024

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Thursday 31 Oct and Friday 1 Nov
Sofitel Melbourne on Collins
25 Collins St | 9am – 5pm



Prof. Darryl Higgins
Director of the Institute of
Child Protection Studies, ACU

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The landmark Australian Childhood Maltreatment Study (ACMS) has shown high levels of child sexual abuse; around 1 in 4 (28.5%) Australians aged 16 years and over have experienced child sexual abuse. This has to change.

Join us as we share the nation's latest approaches, policy developments, and emerging ideas from across the child sexual abuse and harmful sexual behaviours space.

This is a valuable opportunity for practitioners, advocates, policy-makers, and those with lived experience to connect and contribute.

- Hear from industry leaders
- Attend panel discussions
- Engage with CSA and HSB experts
- Explore cutting-edge research
- Discover practical tools and techniques

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SPEAKERS

From across Australia, discover the minds at the forefront of practice, policy, and advocacy.



Prof. Darryl Higgins, ACU

Prof. Higgins' research focuses on public health approaches to protecting children, and child-safe organisational strategies. A registered psychologist, Prof. Higgins has been researching child abuse impacts and prevention, family violence and family functioning for nearly 30 years, most recently contributing to The Australian Child Maltreatment Study.



Dr. Katreena Scott

National Children's
Commissioner



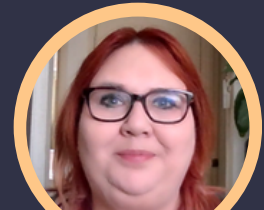
Jackie Bateman

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...and more announced weekly! Visit kidsfirstaustralia.org.au/csa-hsb-conference for our latest updates.

ABOUT KIDS FIRST AUSTRALIA

With more than 125 years' experience supporting children, young people and families, we are proudly independent and fiercely driven. Our innovative Sexual Abuse Counselling and Prevention Program was the first of its kind in Victoria, contributing to our vision for all children and young people to thrive in resilient, strong and safe families and communities.

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