## **Annual Conference**



## FRIDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2012



Federal Golf Club, Gowrie Drive, Red Hill ACT

The Agenda for this year's Conference is now finalised, and the Conference promises once again to be informative, interesting and challenging, dealing with the topics that concern you as practitioners in the fields of Workplace Health and Safety, Compensation and Rehabilitation.

## Conference Topics will cover:

- Current challenges and emerging issues WHS & SRC Acts –
   Various perspectives from a number of presenters about the matters which bother you now, and those to prepare for in the future. This includes a panel discussion where you can put your own questions on those burning issues to the people who know the answers!

   Presenters: Alena Titterton, Special Counsel, Norton Rose Fulbright who practices exclusively in occupational health, safety and security law; and Seyram Tawia, Director, Compensation Policy, from Comcare.
- Exploring the future of (office) work Presented by Dr Wendy Elford of Now to Next Pty Ltd. The world of work is changing fast how will this affect the Commonwealth workplace and why ask this question now? How are you talking about this in your organisation and are you ready? Wendy will share some of research findings and practical hints on how you can find out more.

- Reducing stress in the workplace Presented by Liz Pratt who will demonstrate a practical and successful approach to dealing with stress within work teams.
- **Supporting and protecting deployed staff** Presented by Dr Tony Hochberg of *International SOS*. International SOS helps organisations and Government agencies manage the health and security risks facing their international travellers and expatriates.
- **Best Practice Incident Investigation** Presented by Alena Titterton Special Counsel, *Norton Rose Fulbright* on the positive investigation methodology which represents latest best practice thinking on incident investigation.
- **Mindfulness-** Presented by Roy Daniell who is a physiotherapist in Canberra and has a post graduate Diploma in Manipulative Physiotherapy and a Master's Degree in Pain Management.
- Resilience Presented by Dennis J Hoiberg of Lessons Learnt –
  Dennis' practical experience is that workplace absences will be
  significantly reduced if individuals and workplaces have positive and
  meaningful resilience strategies. In this presentation, he will provide
  participants with practical strategies to build this resilience.



- Seated Massages Holistic Therapies
- **Trade displays** see the latest in Work Health & Safety and Rehabilitation at the trade stands outside the Conference room



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