



MEMBERS UPDATE

Thursday, 8 November 2018

Dear Members

The Members Update is a service to members, providing news and information in one easy to read document. If you have any information you would like included in the update, please email to administrator@communitylaw.net.

Please note, the information provided in this update is received from various sources and does not necessarily reflect the views of the Association.

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IN HOUSE

CLCA

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The Final Quarterlies of 2018

Program

Click [here](#) for a copy of the program for the Final Quarterlies of 2018.

Registrations

You can register via the link at the bottom of page 2 of the program or [here](#).

Once on the Eventbrite page, click on the **Checkout** button which will take you to the list of sessions you can register for. Use the above program when registering for more information about each session.

REGISTRATIONS WILL CLOSE AT 12 NOON ON MONDAY, 26 NOVEMBER.

CPD Activity Individual Attendance Sheets

[Attached](#) are Word and PDF versions of the individual attendance sheet. Please note that it is each individual solicitor's responsibility to print out the Attendance Sheet and record each session they attend. Once completed, please forward to Fiona Hobbs at lp.pii@communitylaw.net who will then arrange issue of certificates.

CLASS Face to Face Training: Registration now Available

Registration for CLASS training is now live on Eventbrite.

Click on the link below for registration and for more information on the training that is being provided.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/class-training-registration-52201327576>

The training sessions will be held at our offices at Claisebrook Lotteries House, 33 Moore Street, East Perth and the training will run over 2 days, 27 and 28 November.

Chris Dubrow will also be available for one-on-one questions on Thursday, 29 November at the offices of King & Wood Mallesons. Detailed information is provided via the link above.

Parking and Public Transport Options at Claisebrook Lotteries House

Parking is available on Moore Street and surrounding streets (2 hour maximum on Moore Street; 3 hour maximum on Hill Street). The Yellow and Red Cat buses operate in the immediate area. See timetable and route information [attached](#).

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 12 NOON ON MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2018.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Dawn Fenton on (08) 9221 9322 or at administrator@communitylaw.net.

Industry Led Review of Training in Legal Services

PwC Australia is leading a review commissioned by the Federal Department of Education and Training into nationally recognised vocational training in legal services. An important element of the project is conducting industry consultation to ensure that training produces the best occupational outcomes for learners and employers i.e. used to inform the development of qualifications that will benefit the industry by better equipping learners to participate in legal services job roles.

They have suggested a roundtable consultation with the CLC Sector when they visit WA, at **9.30 – 11.30 am WEDNESDAY 21 NOVEMBER 2018**. Please contact us if you would like to be involved by email to administrator@communitylaw.net

2018 CLCA/CLCQ Webinar Program: Semester 2

The [webinar program for 2018](#) has now finished. If you missed any of the webinars you may be able to access a copy [here](#). Presentations are only available for viewing if the presenter gives permission for this to be made public.

NACLC

In the News

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[NACLC Sector Only News - November 2018](#)

National Census 2017

We are pleased to be able to [attach](#) the final 2017 National CLCs Census Report.

The report provides a useful insight into the sector, the work being done across Australia, our partnerships with others and some of the challenges facing the sector. A snapshot of the key data (with a particular focus on statistics that are of particular use/interest beyond the sector and in our advocacy) is presented in the infographic, [available here](#), as well as in the NACLC Annual Report.

Please note, one of the key differences in the data from previous years relates to the number of 'turnaways'. For a range of reasons the overall turnaway figure is lower than in previous years. This is due in part to less centres responding to the turnaway question, fewer appear to be recording turnaways and the ongoing lack of clarity/difficulty in accurately and appropriately capturing turnaways.

Given the importance of the figure for advocacy purposes we are currently considering the most appropriate way to support the sector to capture this data as well as develop consistent ways of defining and analysing turnaways statistics. We look forward to working with the state and territory associations on this work.

Please don't hesitate to contact Alice Jones Rabbitt alice.jonesrabbitt@nalc.org.au if you have any questions about the report or the data.

FUNDING AND GRANT APPLICATIONS

Ethical Jobs

Would Your Organisation like a \$20,000 Donation from EthicalJobs.com.au?

Click [here](#) to read more on the above.

MEMBERS EXCHANGE

Environmental Defender's Office WA

Invitation to Fundraiser

The Environmental Defender's Office WA invites you to our 2018 Art Exhibition — Connection to Country!

Join us for our major fundraising initiative and social gathering for the year.

Date: Friday, 23 November 2018

Time: 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Location: King Street Art Gallery, 357 Murray Street, Perth

Proceeds will go towards helping us continue to provide crucial environmental law advice to community groups seeking to protect special places in WA, such as Ningaloo Reef and the Burrup Rock Art.

Click [here](#) to RSVP at our Facebook page.

Tenancy WA

Update

[An Update from Tenancy WA](#)

NEWSLETTERS

[ACNC Commissioner's Column – 1 November 2018](#)

[Blue Knot Foundation: Breaking Free October 2018 Newsletter](#)

[Community Business Bureau: November News](#)

[Community Sector Banking: In the Loop 26 October 2018](#)

[Connect Groups: October 2018 News](#)

[Connecting Up: Donations and Discounts News](#)

[Law and Justice Foundation of NSW: Alert No: 74 November 2018](#)

[Linkwest Info Update: 31 October 2018](#)

[McCusker Centre for Citizenship Stakeholder Newsletter](#)

[OMI Weekly News Update 31 October 2018](#)

[Pro Bono News Australia: Weekly News](#)

[Shelter WA: Inside Housing 2 November 2018](#)

[WACOSS Special Members Only Bulletin: State Budget Submission Launched](#)

[WACOSS Bulletin 31 October 2018](#)

[WACOSS: Sector eNews 7 November 2018](#)

[YACWA: eNews 6 November 2018](#)

MEDIA RELEASES

Commonwealth Government News

Attorney General

[Federal Court appointment - 2 November 2018](#)

[Appointments to Administrative Appeals Tribunal: 5 November 2018](#)

Reconciliation WA

[Reconciliation WA Welcomes Registration of Noongar Native Title](#)

OF INTEREST

Ethical Jobs

How to Hire a Tech Person When You're Not a Tech Person

Finding the right person for your organisation can be tough at the best of times.

But when the position's field of expertise sits outside your own remit – like a tech role – finding the right match can feel insurmountable.

Read more [here](#).

Why you Should Make Stakeholders Part of the Recruitment Process

What happens when you take the feedback of clients, carers and community, and use this to inform the way you recruit your staff?

It may sound fraught with challenges, but this approach is how primary health service organisation Star Health has structured its entire recruitment strategy, and to great effect.

Together with staff, it's the clients and consumers who have helped shape the organisation through a process that, when considered more closely, makes a lot of sense. Read more [here](#).

Health Justice Partnership

Participate in the 2018 HJP Survey and you Could WIN Tickets to the 2019 HJP National Conference!

You're invited to participate in the 2018 census of health justice partnerships (**HJPs**).

After a fantastic response from practitioners to Health Justice Australia's 2017 HJP survey and the resulting report [Mapping a new path: the health justice landscape 2017](#), they're now conducting an improved annual survey of the health justice landscape, and they want to hear from health justice partnerships across the country.

By completing this survey, you can help Health Justice Australia build an even clearer picture of the Australian health justice landscape. This way, we can continue driving service and policy improvement for the people who health justice partnerships (HJPs) can help.

Plus, everyone who completes the survey will also have the chance to win free registration to the 2019 HJP national conference!

Who should respond to this survey?

Health Justice Australia is aiming to have a survey completed by the main legal partner and main health partner of every HJP in Australia, and have sent out surveys to all the services currently in our network.

Recognising the range of ways that legal and health services work together, they welcome responses from any partnerships that embed legal help into healthcare services and teams.

If you think this describes the work you are involved in but you haven't yet received a survey link from Health Justice Australia, **please get in touch with Research Director Suzie Forell**, suzie.forell@healthjustice.org.au or (02) 8599 2123.

The John Curtin Institute of Public Policy

Curtin Corner: Friday, 9 November – National Redress Scheme for Victims of Institutional Abuse Presented by Professor Rob Guthrie

Click [here](#) for more information and registration.

McCusker Centre for Citizenship (MCC)

Invitation: Semester 1 2019 Internships

Tennille from MCC would like to invite CLCs to participate in the MCC Internship program for **Semester 1 2019**.

Tenille realises that many of you are hosting interns over summer as well and may not have started planning for next year yet but wanted to get this out to you nice and early.

Tenille would be grateful if you could let her know either way if you do not wish to participate in this round so she can update their database and not send you further reminders.

This period runs from 25 February – 1 June 2019 with students usually allocating one day per week to their internship and host organisation to complete the required 100 hours.

For your reference and convenience, see the [attached](#) documents as follows:

- **Role description document** – please include as much detail as possible about your proposed role and project so that it assists us with making the best match possible for you.
- **Important dates document.**

Applications are now open to students, so please **return the role description to me by COB 5 December** so that we have time to review and upload to showcase on our website and through UWA Career Hub.

Further info:

Just a reminder that you can also find all **required forms online**, just in case you need to locate them (without sifting through emails!) -

<https://www.mccuskercentre.uwa.edu.au/program/internships-organisations>

We have also completed the **“Guide for Internships Supervisors”** which contains detailed information on best practice guidelines for hosting an intern taken from your feedback, the program survey and students (the guide for ‘interns’ version has also been drafted). It’s just currently going through final checks and I hope to be able to send this to you all shortly and will also be available on the website above.

Tenille is available to assist you with any part of the process, please contact her at tenille.trevaskis@uwa.edu.au at any time.

Please note: the University is shut down from Monday, 21 December 2018 and will re-open on 7 January 2019. Tenille will be on leave from 11 December – 11 January however the McCusker Centre team can still be contacted via email internships@mccuskercentre.uwa.edu.au or 6488 7873.

University of Western Australia

Invitation to NFP Keynote Lecture by the Hon Robert French AC

We invite you to participate in [Not-for-profits UWA \(NFP UWA\) Research Group’s](#) summit on the topic of regulating the contemporary not-for-profit (NFP) sector. The aim of the NFP UWA Research Group is to foster interdisciplinary research, collaboration and engagement between researchers, the NFP sector, business and government.

In this inaugural NFP UWA Research Group symposium, industry and academics will convene to consider the regulatory framework impacting NFPs and charities.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Women Lawyers of Western Australia

End of Year Drinks: Thursday, 29 November 2018

Click [here](#) for more information on the above event.

TRAINING AND EVENTS

Training News Now on Our Website

News on upcoming training, events and conferences can now be found [here](#).