

ECIA & ECA Pre Conference Workshop

“Engaging Everybody: Promoting quality and inclusion in the early years”

Thursday 15 October 2009

Accolade Room, Gate 6, Etihad Stadium, Docklands

09.00 – 10.00am	Registration & Morning Tea
10.00 – 12.30pm	<p>Pam Winter & Gerry Mulhearn</p> <p><i>Engaging early childhood practitioners in inquiry and reflective practice for improved early learning</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Promoting quality and inclusion in early years services</i>• <i>Outcomes for all children including those with additional needs</i>
12.30 – 1.15pm	Lunch
1.15pm – 2.00pm	<p>Di Chandler</p> <p><i>Leadership and Inclusion</i></p>
2.00pm – 3.00pm	<p>Panel Discussion : <i>Promoting Integrated Services, Quality and Inclusion</i></p> <p>Chaired by: Susana Gavidia-Payne and Marlene Fox (ECIA & ECA Victorian Presidents)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Margaret Young (President, Early Childhood Australia) : Quality – A national perspective• John Forster (President, Early Childhood Intervention Australia) : Inclusion – A national perspective• Janine Brown (Manager, Family & Children’s Services, City of Knox) : A local approach to integration, inclusion & quality practices.• Anthony Raitman (Department of Education and Early Childhood Development) : Integrated services, quality and inclusion in Victoria
3.00- 4.00pm	<p>Where to from here?</p> <p><i>Discussion and development of recommendations.</i></p>
4.00pm	Close

4.00 – 5.00pm	<p>Early Childhood Intervention Australia (Victorian Chapter) Annual General Meeting</p> <p>An informal dinner will follow to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Early Childhood Intervention Australia (Victorian Chapter). Further details will be provided with the AGM Agenda.</p>
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