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## DAY ONE: Thursday 31 October 2024

7:00am - 6:00pm	<b>Registration and information desk open</b> Plaza level foyer
8:00am - 8:30am	<b>Arrival tea and coffee</b> Plaza level foyer
<b>8:30am - 10:30am</b>	<b>Day one opening plenary</b> Plaza Ballroom
8:30am - 8:45am	<b>Welcome to Country</b>
8:45am – 9:10am	<b>Opening address</b> Associate Professor Dr Judith Howard, Queensland University of Technology
9:10am – 9:40am	<b>Keynote address: Setting the scene: Child maltreatment and trauma in Australia</b> Dr Lyra L'Estrange, Queensland University of Technology
9:40am – 10:30am	<b>Keynote address: Setting the scene: TAE in Australia (where we have come from and where we are heading)</b> Associate Professor Dr Judith Howard, Queensland University of Technology
10:30am - 11:00am	<b>Morning tea and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer
11:00am - 12:00pm	<b>Keynote address: Embracing empathy: Uniting for a global Trauma-Aware movement</b> Mr Mathew Portell, Director of Communities (PACES Connection), Founder of the Trauma Informed Educators Network, USA
12:00pm – 1:00pm	<b>Keynote address: Trauma aware resilience: How to stay present, integrated and effective in frontline work</b> Sarah Ralston, CEO, "Rebooting Life" and "Resilient Us"
1:00pm - 2:00pm	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer
2:00pm – 3:30pm	<b>Concurrent Session 1: Presentations and Workshops</b>
3:30pm - 4:00pm	<b>Afternoon tea and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer
4:00pm – 5:00pm	<b>Keynote address: Change your brain. Change your life</b> Nathan Wallis, Neuroscience Educator at Xfactor Education, New Zealand
<b>6:30pm – 10:30pm</b>	<b>Conference dinner</b> Plaza Ballroom



**TRAUMA-AWARE  
EDUCATION**

Addressing the life impacts of trauma  
for Australian learners.

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**CONFERENCE**

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## DAY TWO: Friday 1 November 2024

7:30am – 5:30pm	<b>Registration and information desk open</b> Plaza level foyer
8:00am - 8:30am	<b>Arrival tea and coffee</b> Plaza level foyer
8:30am – 10:30am	<b>Day two opening plenary</b> Plaza Ballroom
8:30am - 8:35am	<b>Welcome to day two</b> Associate Professor Dr Judith Howard, Queensland University of Technology
8:35am – 9:30am	<b>Keynote address: A Trauma Aware and Restraint Free World: The Journey of CPI</b> Susan Driscoll, President, Crisis Prevention Institute (CPI)
9:30am – 10:30am	<b>Keynote address: Trauma-Informed restorative practices: a symbiotic relationship</b> Joe Brummer, Founder of Joe Brummer Consulting and Margaret Thorsborne, Managing Director of Margaret Thorsborne & Associates
10:30am - 11:00am	<b>Morning tea and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer
11:00am - 12:00pm	<b>Keynote address</b> Prof Michael Gregory, Harvard Law School
12:00pm – 1:00pm	<b>Keynote address: Creating protected spaces: A journey through trauma and healing</b> Jaycee Dugard and Dr Rebecca Bailey, Co-founders of Polyvagal Equine Institute
1:00pm - 2:00pm	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer
2:00pm – 3:30pm	<b>Concurrent Session 2: Presentations and Workshops</b>
3:30pm - 4:00pm	<b>Afternoon tea and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer
4:00pm – 5:30pm	<b>Concurrent Session 3: Presentations and Workshops</b>



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## DAY THREE: Saturday 2 November 2024

7:30am – 4:30pm	Registration and information desk open Plaza level foyer								
8:00am - 8:30am	Arrival tea and coffee Plaza level foyer								
8:30am - 11:00am	Day three opening plenary Plaza Ballroom								
8:30am – 9:25am	Keynote address: <a href="#">What's next for Trauma-Aware education: Strategies for all schools to learn, apply and sustain</a> Dr Tom Brunzell, Director of Education, Berry Street, Australia								
9:35am – 3:55pm	Master Classes								
9:35am – 10:25am	Trauma-Aware alternative education stream	Trauma-Aware early childhood education and care stream	Polyvagal equine assisted interventions: Enhancing your toolbox Jaycee Dugard and Dr Rebecca Bailey	Master class to be confirmed	Trauma-Aware restorative practices Joe Brummer and Marg Thorsborne	The contagious nature of trauma: The why and how trauma-related stress impacts you, your colleagues and organisation as a whole Sarah Ralston	Trauma-Aware First Nations education stream	Trauma-Aware higher degrees research lightning presentations	Trauma-Aware higher education
10:30am - 11:00am	Morning tea and exhibition Plaza level foyer								
11:05am – 12.25pm	Trauma-Aware alternative education stream continued	Trauma-Aware early childhood education and care stream continued	Harmony in understanding: Forging strong partnerships between schools and communities for Trauma-Aware support Mathew Portell	Master class to be confirmed	Trauma-Aware restorative practices continued Joe Brummer and Marg Thorsborne continued	Master class to be confirmed	Trauma-Aware First Nations education stream continued	Trauma-Aware higher degrees research lightning presentations continued	Trauma-Aware higher education continued

12:30pm – 12:55pm			Master class to be confirmed	Master class to be confirmed	Master class to be confirmed	Master class to be confirmed			
1:00pm - 2:00pm	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b> Plaza level foyer								
2:05pm – 2:55pm	<b>Trauma-Aware alternative education stream continued</b>	<b>Trauma-Aware early childhood education and care stream continued</b>	<b>What's in a name? Redefining trauma survivor experiences: Focusing the clinical lens on survivors</b> Jaycee Dugard and Dr Rebecca Bailey	Master class to be confirmed	<b>ECEC Trauma-Aware Early Childhood Education and Care and the Circle of Security</b> Deidre Quinlan	Master class to be confirmed	<b>Trauma-Aware First Nations education stream continued</b>	<b>Reframing Behavior through the Lens of Neuroscience</b> Susan Driscoll	<b>Trauma-Aware higher education continued</b>
3:00pm – 3:50pm			Master class to be confirmed	<b>Harmony in understanding: Forging strong partnerships between schools and communities for Trauma-Aware support</b> Mathew Portell	Master class to be confirmed	<b>Staying strong and calm: Practical and proven ways to build individual and collective resilience across your organisation</b> Sarah Ralston	Master class to be confirmed	<b>Reframing Behavior through the Lens of Neuroscience continued</b>	<b>Trauma-Aware higher education continued</b>
4:00pm – 4:45pm	<b>Closing plenary</b> Plaza Ballroom								
4:00pm – 4:45pm	<b>Final message and major prize giveaways</b> Associate Professor Dr Judith Howard, Queensland University of Technology								