

## Draft Program – 1<sup>st</sup> Australia and New Zealand Refugee Trauma Recovery in Resettlement Conference – 29-31 March 2017

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<b>Wednesday, 29 March 2017</b>						
<b>Pre-Conference Workshops – TBC – concurrent sessions</b>						
09:00– 17:00	1A. Developing Culturally Appropriate Childhood Services with Refugee Communities (half day)	2A. The Internalisation of Trauma: How trauma manifests and is worked through symbolically in the psyche (half day)	3. Biofeedback as a Tool for Self-Regulation (one-day)	4A. Delivering evidence-based parenting interventions to exceptional populations: Ideas for bridging the gap (half day)	5A. School's In for Refugees (half day)	6A. Building Resilience through Community Engagement (half day)
	1B. Introduction to the Clinical Use of Brain Mapping and Neurofeedback with Torture and Trauma Survivors (half day)	2B. Using Art and Other Expressive Therapies in Refugee Trauma Recovery – An experiential workshop (half day)		4B. Community Led Development and Refugee Background Communities (half day)		6B. Building New Lives in Australia (BLNA) Study (free 2 hour presentation)
18:00 - 20:00	<p><b>Conference launch cocktail party:</b> Free networking event with canapés, wine and music</p> <p><b>Welcome</b> by Jorge Aroche, CEO STARTTS</p> <p><b>Speeches:</b> TBC <b>MC:</b> TBC</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Arthouse Hotel, Graffiti Restaurant, 1<sup>st</sup> floor, 275 Pitt St Sydney</p>					
<b>Thursday, 30 March 201</b>						
09:00 - 10.30	<p><b>Welcome</b> by Jorge Aroche, CEO STARTTS</p> <p><b>Plenary 1:</b> International, regional and national perspective on refugee trauma recovery and resettlement</p> <p><b>Keynote speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suzanne Jabbour, Director, Restart Center for Victims of Violence and Torture, Lebanon</li> <li>• Professor Derrick Silove, Foundation University of New South Wales Professor of Psychiatry, Liverpool Hospital, NSW</li> <li>• Paris Aristotle AM, CEO Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture (VFST), VIC</li> </ul> <p><b>MC:</b> Victor Madrigal-Borloz, Secretary-General, International Council for the Rehabilitation of Torture Victims (IRCT)</p> <p><b>Room:</b> Wesley Theatre</p>					

10:30 - 11:00	<i>Morning tea break (complementary)</i>						
	<b>Oral paper presentations – concurrent sessions</b>						
11:00 - 12:30	<b>A1:</b> Neuroscience	<b>A2:</b> Clinical – Children and Young People	<b>A3:</b> Clinical assessment and screening	<b>A4:</b> Asylum Seekers	<b>A5:</b> Education and Employment	<b>A6:</b> Community Interventions	<b>A7:</b> Service Delivery
12:30 - 13:30	<i>Break</i>						
	<b>Expert panel discussions – concurrent sessions</b>						
13:30 - 14:30	<b>Panel 1:</b> What makes for a successful resettlement program?	<b>Panel 2:</b> What happens when people are unable to resettle? Challenges of supporting asylum seekers and TPV holders?	<b>Panel 3:</b> Advances in refugee trauma interventions and research: Where to from here?	<b>Panel 4:</b> Capacity building refugee communities: How to facilitate a better recovery environment?	<b>Panel 5:</b> The triangulation of health, mental health and refugee trauma services?	<b>Panel 6:</b> Children and the school environment: How do we ensure interventions are trauma and attachment informed?	<b>Panel 7:</b> English acquisition and employment: How does knowledge of the impact of trauma on the brain inform service delivery?
14:30 - 15:30	<b>Poster presentations (Smith Room)</b>						
15:00 - 15:30	<i>Afternoon tea break (complimentary)</i>						
15:30 - 17:00	<p><b>Plenary 2:</b> Clinical perspectives on refugee trauma recovery and resettlement</p> <p><b>Keynote speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Stuart Turner, Psychiatrist, Trauma Clinic London UK</li> <li>• Dr Angela Nickerson, Senior Lecturer and Director Masters of Psychology (Clinical) Program, University of NSW, NSW</li> <li>• Jorge Aroche, CEO NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors (STARTTS), NSW</li> </ul> <p><b>MC:</b> Professor Zachary Steel, St John of God Professorial Chair of Mental Health, School of Psychiatry, University of NSW, NSW</p> <p><b>Room:</b> Wesley Theatre</p>						
19:00 - 23:00	<p><b>Conference dinner and party</b></p> <p><b>Venue:</b> The Dockside, Darling Harbour</p>						

<b>Friday, 31 March 2017</b>							
09:00 - 10:30	<b>Plenary 3:</b> Community perspectives on refugee trauma recovery and resettlement <b>Keynote speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Alison Strang, Research Fellow and Psychologist, Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh, Scotland, UK</li> <li>• Susan Elliot, Refugee Practitioner and Lecturer, New Zealand</li> <li>• Tracy Worrall, Chief Executive, Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma (QPASTT), QLD</li> </ul> <b>MC:</b> Honorary Adjunct Associate Professor Eileen Pittaway, Director Centre for Refugee Research, University of NSW, NSW <b>Room:</b> Wesley Theatre						
10:30 - 11:00	<i>Morning tea break (complementary)</i>						
	<b>Oral paper presentations – concurrent sessions</b>						
11:00 - 12:30	<b>B1:</b> Post Traumatic Stress	<b>B2:</b> Expressive Therapies	<b>B3:</b> Early Childhood	<b>B4:</b> Asylum Seekers	<b>B5:</b> Schools and Young People	<b>B6:</b> Community Interventions	<b>B7:</b> Service Delivery
12:30 - 13:30	<b>Break</b>						
	<b>Oral paper presentations – concurrent sessions</b>						
13:30 - 15:00	<b>C1:</b> Supporting Clinicians and Others	<b>C2:</b> Trauma and the Body	<b>C3:</b> Clinical Treatment Approaches	<b>C4:</b> Families	<b>C5:</b> Schools and Young People	<b>C6:</b> Community Interventions	<b>C7:</b> Service Delivery
15:00 - 15:30	<i>Afternoon tea break (complimentary)</i>						
15:30 - 17:00	<b>Plenary 4:</b> Q&A panel <b>Panellists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A selection of international and national experts in refugee trauma recovery and resettlement</li> </ul> <b>MC:</b> TBC <b>Room:</b> Wesley Theatre						

## Pre-conference workshops – List of trainers

<p><b>Wednesday, 29 March 2017</b> (<i>Pre-conference workshops</i>)</p>
<p><b>Workshop 1A</b>  <b>Developing Culturally Appropriate Childhood Services with Refugee Communities (half day)</b>            9am-12.30pm  <i>Rosemary Signorelli, Senior Early Childhood Counsellor, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors (STARTTS)</i></p>
<p><b>Workshop 1B</b>  <b>Introduction to the Clinical Use of Brain Mapping and Neurofeedback with Torture and Trauma Survivors (half day)</b>            1.30-5pm  <i>Trix Harvey, Neurofeedback Team Leader, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors (STARTTS)</i></p>
<p><b>Workshop 2A</b>  <b>The Internalisation of Trauma: How trauma manifests and is worked through symbolically in the psyche (half day)</b>            9am-12.30pm  <i>Lois Whiteman, Clinical Services Manager, Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma (QPASTT)</i></p>
<p><b>Workshop 2B</b>  <b>Using Art and Other Expressive Therapies in Refugee Trauma Recovery – An experiential workshop (half day)</b>            1.30-5pm  <i>Farah Fuleman, Coordinator Asylum Seeker Support Team, Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma (QPASTT)</i>  <i>Elise McKenzie, Counsellor/Advocate, Asylum Seeker Support Team, Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma (QPASTT)</i></p>
<p><b>Workshop 3</b>  <b>Biofeedback as a Tool for Self-Regulation (one-day)</b>            9.30am-4.30pm  <i>Sejla Murdoch, Neurofeedback Counsellor/Psychologist, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors (STARTTS)</i>  <i>Mirjana Askovic, Team Leader/Neurofeedback Counsellor/Psychologist, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors (STARTTS)</i></p>

**Workshop 4A**

**Delivering evidence-based parenting interventions to exceptional populations: Ideas for bridging the gap (half day)**

9am-12.30pm

*Margaret Weston, Family Services Coordinator, Refugees as Survivors New Zealand (RASNZ), Auckland*

*Fahima Saeid, Advocate Counsellor and Family Services Coordinator, Refugees as Survivors New Zealand (RASNZ), Auckland*

**Workshop 4B**

**Community Led Development and Refugee Background Communities (half day)**

1.30-5pm

*Susan Elliot, Long-term Refugee Practitioner, Former Lecturer, Unitec Institute of Technology, Auckland NZ*

**Workshop 5A**

**School's In for Refugees (half day)**

9am-12.30pm

*Samantha McGuffie, Schools Support Program Coordinator, Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture (VFST)*

*Maureen O'Keefe, Senior Professional Learning Officer, Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture (VFST)*

**Workshop 6A**

**Building Resilience through Community Engagement (half day)**

9am-12.30pm

*Dr Alison Strang, Research Fellow and Psychologist, Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh UK*

**Presentation 6B**

**Building New Lives in Australia (BLNA) Study (free 2 hour presentation)**

1-3pm

*Deborah Kikkawa, Research Officer, National Centre for Longitudinal Data, Department of Social Services*

## Expert panel discussion sessions – List of panellists

**Thursday, 30 March 2017, 2.30-3.30pm** (*Expert panel discussions*)

**Panel 1:** What makes for a successful resettlement program?

**Chair:** Victor Madrigal-Borloz, Secretary-General IRCT

**Panellists:**

- Paris Aristotle, CEO, Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture
- Abdullah Alikhil, Afghan Pashtun Community, Executive Producer, SBS Radio Pashto Program
- Violet Roumeliotis, CEO, Settlement Services International NSW
- Jamila Padhee, Deputy CEO, MDA QLD
- Mary Willems, Coordinator, Anglicare NT

**Panel 2:** What happens when people are unable to resettle? Challenges of supporting asylum seekers and TPV holders?

**Chair:** Professor Zachary Steel, St John of God Professorial Chair of Trauma and Mental Health

**Panellists:**

- Joseph Szwarc, Manager Research and Policy Program, Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture
- Bernadette MrGrath, CEO, Overseas Service for Survivors of Torture and Trauma, Nauru and Manus Island
- Thomas Albrecht, Regional Representative, UNHCR Asia Pacific
- Shukufa Tahiri, Afghan Hazara Community, Policy Assistant, Refugee Council of Australia, Refugee Communities Advocacy Network
- David Manne, Executive Director, Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre, VIC

**Panel 3:** Advances in refugee trauma interventions and research: Where to from here?

**Chair:** Dr Stuart Turner, Psychiatrist, Trauma Clinic UK

**Panellists:**

- Mariano Coello, Clinical and Research Coordinator, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors
- April Pearman, Clinical Development and Research Manager, Association for Services to Torture and Trauma Survivors WA
- Dr Fatin Shabbar, Research and Teaching Academic, University of South Australia
- Professor Richard Bryant, Director Traumatic Stress Clinic, Westmead Millennium Institute NSW
- Dr Andrea Northwood, Director Client Services, Center for Victims of Torture USA
- Dr Jessica Carlsson, Head of Research, Transcultural Competence Centre for Psychiatry, Denmark

**Panel 4:** Capacity building refugee communities: How to facilitate a better recovery environment?

**Chair:** TBC

**Panellists:**

- Jasmina Bajraktarevic Hayward, Community Services Coordinator, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors
- Fernanda Torresi, Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma
- Esta Paschalides, Government and Manager Relations Manager, Settlement Services International NSW
- Om Dhungel, Association of Bhutanese in Australia
- TBC

**Panel 5:** The triangulation of health, mental health and refugee trauma services?

**Chair:** TBC

**Panellists:**

- Dr Ida Kaplan, Direct Services Manager, Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture
- Dr Christine Phillips, Medical Director, Companion House ACT
- Dr Mitchell Smith, NSW Refugee Health Service
- Raphael Manirakiza, Burundian Community, Clinical Psychologist
- TBC

**Panel 6:** Children and the school environment: How do we ensure interventions are trauma and attachment informed?

**Chair:** TBC

**Panellists:**

- Samantha McGuffie, Coordinator Schools Support Program, Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture
- Amy Burkett, Children's and Youth Team Leader, Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma
- Mikhail Kallon, Sierra Leonean Community, School Learning Support Officer, NSW Department of Education
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**Panel 7:** English acquisition and employment: How does knowledge of the impact of trauma on the brain inform service delivery?

**Chair:** TBC

**Panellists:**

- Jorge Aroche, CEO, NSW Service for the Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture and Trauma Survivors
- Reverend John Jegasothy, Tamil Community, Vaucluse and Tamil Uniting Church NSW
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## Oral paper presentation sessions – List of authors

Thursday, 30 March 2017, 11am-12.30pm (Oral paper presentations)	
A1. Neuroscience	<p><b>Building an Evidence Based Practice: Use of Brain Imaging in Clinical Assessment and Evaluation of Treatment Outcomes</b> <i>Mirjana Askovic (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Event-related Potential in Trauma-affected Refugees</b> <i>Jessica Carlsson-Lohmann (Competence Centre for Transcultural Psychiatry)</i></p> <p><b>The impact of torture of the fear processing in the brain</b> <i>Belinda Liddell (UNSW Australia/Refugee Trauma and Recovery Program)</i></p> <p><b>The use of neurofeedback as a clinical intervention for refugee children and adolescents</b> <i>Trix Harvey (STARTTS)</i></p>
A2. Clinical – Children and Young People	<p><b>Supporting children's recovery from refugee trauma: Systemic and holistic work with children, families and schools</b> <i>Esme Dark (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture and Trauma)</i></p> <p><b>Giving yourself a "brain freeze"- reducing self-harming behaviour in refugee children and young people with complex trauma presentations</b> <i>Sarah Kristensen (QPASTT)</i></p> <p><b>Strengthening Cultural Relationships &amp; Improving Emotional Regulation through Drumming</b> <i>Mehak Khandeparkar (Survivors of Torture and Trauma Assistance and Rehabilitation Service (STTARS, Adelaide))</i></p> <p><b>Sandplay Therapy with Young Refugees</b> <i>Chiara Ridolfi (STARTTS)</i></p>
A3. Clinical Assessment and Screening	<p><b>A screening tool for identifying mental disorders in asylum-seekers &amp; new refugees: the STAR-MH</b> <i>Debbie Hocking (Cabrini Institute)</i></p> <p><b>Adversity and resilience amongst resettling Western Australian paediatric refugees</b> <i>Gemma Hanes (Princess Margaret Hospital for Children)</i></p> <p><b>Development and Validation of a Computerised Self-Report Assessment Platform at STARTTS</b></p>



	<p><i>Russell Downham (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>The Use of TOVA Test in the Clinical Practice with Refugee Children</b></p> <p><i>Sejla Murdoch (STARTTS)</i></p>
A4. Asylum Seekers	<p><b>Attachment-based group work for asylum seeker parents: the role of Torture and Trauma Services</b></p> <p><i>Helen Mcdonald (Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma)</i></p> <p><b>Making meaning through storytelling: Working with Asylum Seekers in South Australia</b></p> <p><i>Teresa Puvimanasinghe (STTARS)</i></p> <p><b>Uncharted waters: assisting asylum seekers in the era of sovereign borders</b></p> <p><i>Ida Kaplan (Foundation House)</i></p> <p><b>Complex Trauma, dissociation, delusion: Presentation of symptoms of an Asylum seeker and role of a psychologist in clarifying it with the legal system</b></p> <p><i>Frozan Esmati (Refugees As Survivors New Zealand)</i></p>
A5. Education and Employment	<p><b>Working therapeutically in an educational and employment setting – using a holistic inter-services approach</b></p> <p><i>Letitia Casagrande (Queensland Program of Assistance to Survivors of Torture and Trauma)</i></p> <p><b>Case Study: The Social Outfit and our creative strengths-based work with Sydney's refugee and new migrant community</b></p> <p><i>Jackie Ruddock (The Social Outfit)</i></p> <p><b>Ucan2 – an integrated approach to supporting recovery from trauma and resettlement</b></p> <p><i>Gillian Kerr (Foundation House)</i></p> <p><b>Putting the HeART in Language Learning</b></p> <p><i>Anne Ooms (TAFE Queensland)</i></p>
A6. Community Interventions	<p><b>Performing for Healing Or Healing for Performance - Mapping the seemingly competing intersectionality of healing practices and community development involving the arts with performance outcomes in relation to the rigours of theatre performance</b></p> <p><i>Jiva Parthipan (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Women's story-telling in The Third Space: A means for empowerment and a model for practice</b></p>

	<p><i>Paula Abood (The Third Space)</i></p> <p><b>Iraqi Youth Dance Project</b> <i>Lina Ishu (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Meaningful Being: The experiences of young South Sudanese Australians</b> <i>Susannah Tipping (Foundation House)</i></p>
A7. Service Delivery	<p><b>A Memoir of Making a Complex Care Clinic with refugee families in mind</b> <i>Anita Datta-chaudhuri (Liverpool-Fairfield CAMHS)</i></p> <p><b>Toward an integrated service system for refugee and asylum seeker mental health</b> <i>Laura Ribarow (HealthWest)</i></p> <p><b>Resettlement experiences and support needs of people living with disabilities from refugee backgrounds</b> <i>Philippa Duell-Piening (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture (Foundation House))</i></p> <p><b>The impacts of adversity: Understanding the complex social and psychological reasons for asylum seekers and refugees attendance at primary health care services</b> <i>Christine Phillips (Companion House and Australian National University)</i></p>
<b>Friday, 31 March 2017, 11am-12.30pm (Oral paper presentations)</b>	
B1. Post Traumatic Stress	<p><b>The effects of torture controllability on symptom severity of posttraumatic stress disorder, depression and anger in refugees and asylum seekers: A path analysis</b> <i>Lillian Le (The University of New South Wales AUSTRALIA)</i></p> <p><b>Predictors of positive treatment outcomes for trauma-affected refugees - results from two randomised trials</b> <i>Charlotte Sonne (Competence Centre for Transcultural Psychiatry, Denmark)</i></p> <p><b>Applications of EMDR and EEG in treatment of clients suffering from PTSD</b> <i>Gordana Hol-Radicic (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Moral Injury Appraisals in Traumatized Refugees</b> <i>Joel Colbourne-Hoffman (Refugee Trauma Recovery Program- UNSW Australia)</i></p>

B2. Expressive Therapies	<p><b>'Tekoon bede': Cross cultural applications of expressive therapies with families from Iran</b> <i>Chanelle Burns (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture)</i></p> <p><b>Developing an On-Line Intervention Targeting Mental Health Stigma in Refugee Men</b> <i>Yulisha Byrow (University of New South Wales)</i></p> <p><b>Building a renewed sense of purpose and agency after trauma</b> <i>Vivianna Rodriguez Carreon (University of Sydney)</i></p> <p><b>Treehouse Theatre Projects: The Magic of Performance in Youth Trauma Recovery</b> <i>Catherine Maguire-Donvito (NSW Department of Education)</i></p>
B3. Early Childhood	<p><b>Facilitating participation in quality early childhood programs for families from refugee backgrounds</b> <i>Cherie Lamb (University of New England)</i></p> <p><b>The Early Years – supporting families with young children</b> <i>Kath Cooney (VFST)</i></p> <p><b>Complexities, challenges and joys of early childhood work with refugee families</b> <i>Rosemary Signorelli (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>The use of the neuromodulation techniques in treatment of preschool age children from refugee like backgrounds</b> <i>Sejla Murdoch (STARTTS)</i></p>
B4. Asylum Seekers	<p><b>A psychological and human rights audit of asylum policy – can harm be avoided?</b> <i>Guy Coffey (Foundation House)</i></p> <p><b>"Keeping Hope Alive - Providing Services to Torture Survivors in Immigration Detention"</b> <i>Bernadette McGrath (Overseas Services to Survivors of Torture and Trauma)</i></p> <p><b>The impact of visa insecurity on refugee mental health</b> <i>Elizabeth Newnham (The University of Western Australia)</i></p> <p><b>Deciphering despair: An examination of factors associated with self-harm among asylum seekers in Australian immigration detention</b> <i>Kyli Hedrick (Victoria University)</i></p>

<p>B5. Schools and Young People</p>	<p><b>VFST Schools Support Program 2007 - 2017</b> <i>Samantha McGuffie (Foundation House)</i></p> <p><b>Collaboration in Canberra: FASSTT's Companion House and Dickson College's Refugee Bridging Program working together with students from refugee and asylum seeker backgrounds</b> <i>Deborah Nelson (Companion House Assisting Survivors of Torture and Trauma)</i></p> <p><b>STARS for settlement and learning</b> <i>Jane Wallace (NSW Department of Education)</i></p> <p><b>From Roots to Leaves - Tree of Life- Camp experience</b> <i>Lina Ishu (STARTTS)</i></p>
<p>B6. Community Interventions</p>	<p><b>Empowering refugee community leaders from emerging communities; ASeTTS Community Leadership Development Project</b> <i>Tharanga De Silva (ASeTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Sporting Linx - Linking Leadership Potential</b> <i>Mark Davis (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Community-Based Psychosocial Interventions for Refugees Living in Australia and their Impact on Trauma Healing and Social Cohesion</b> <i>Wendy Lambourne (Department of Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Sydney)</i></p> <p><b>Sharing some of the good things from the past: Lessons from developing an African communities fun day with African community leaders in a rural town</b> <i>Jeanette Ninnis (STARTTS)</i></p>
<p>B7. Service Delivery</p>	<p><b>From little things big things grow: A framework for sector reform to support people from refugee backgrounds in their recovery</b> <i>Sue Casey (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture)</i></p> <p><b>"Damaged" &amp; "Difficult": Deconstructing the Disempowering Discourses that Dominate Refugee Resettlement</b> <i>Marieke Jasperse (University of Otago, Wellington)</i></p> <p><b>Talking about health and experiences of using health services with people from refugee backgrounds</b> <i>Lauren Tyrrell (Victorian Refugee Health Network, Foundation House)</i></p>

	<p><b>Engaging and supporting general practice in refugee health</b>  <i>Samantha Furneaux (Victorian Refugee Health Network, Foundation House)</i></p>
<p><b>Friday, 31 March 2017, 1.30-3pm (Oral paper presentations)</b></p>	
C1. Supporting Clinicians and Others	<p><b>The role of the clinical supervisor in managing vicarious trauma and fostering vicarious post traumatic growth</b>  <i>Stephanie Long (Queensland Program of Assistance of Survivors of Torture and Trauma)</i></p> <p><b>Reflective Practice Approach to Supporting Professionals and Organisations who are working with people from Refugee Backgrounds</b>  <i>Conrad Aiken (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture)</i></p> <p><b>Clinical Supervision: Managing Unbearable Projections</b>  <i>Rise Becker (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Educating professionals to meet the complex needs of diverse families in Australia</b>  <i>Deborah Hartman (Family Action Centre, School of Health Sciences)</i></p>
C2. Trauma and the Body	<p><b>Physiotherapy to heal the pain of trauma stuck in the body</b>  <i>Veena O'Sullivan (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Yoga for Refugees Healing from Torture and Trauma: A Mixed Methods Evaluation</b>  <i>Danielle Begg (STARTTS &amp; The Vasudhara Foundation)</i></p> <p><b>"In Shape – A Lifestyle Modification Program"</b>  <i>Rocio Martinez (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Reconnections- Chronic Pain Group</b>  <i>Matthew Seabrook (STARS)</i></p>
C3. Clinical Treatment Approaches	<p><b>Responding to refugee trauma: Explorations in narrative practices with people from refugee and asylum seeking backgrounds</b>  <i>» Chanelle Burns (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture)</i></p> <p><b>Results from three consecutive randomised trials on the treatment effect among trauma-affected refugees: -What have we learnt and where should we go from here?</b>  <i>Jessica Carlsson-Lohmann (Competence Centre for Transcultural Psychiatry, Denmark)</i></p>

	<p><b>Cross Cultural Assessment and Treatment of Psychological Trauma and PTSD: Western Conceptualisations and Eastern Experiences</b> <i>Neeraja Sanmuanathan (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>MANTRA: Assisting MAN survivors of Torture and Rape remember, process and record their unspeakable and painful experiences</b> <i>Pearl Fernandes (STARTTS)</i></p>
C4. Families	<p><b>Mainstreaming Mental Health into the Families in Cultural Transition Program</b> <i>Susan Cunningham (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Refugee Families Taking Strides with Practical Case Management support and Sensitive Trauma Informed Approaches</b> <i>Gail Westcott (Settlement Services International)</i></p> <p><b>The Displaced Palmyrah: Attachment narratives in children and adolescents of Tamil refugee families and the intergenerational determinants of the 'at-risk' child</b> <i>Lux Ratnamohan (Psychiatry Research &amp; Teaching Unit, Liverpool Hospital)</i></p> <p><b>Countering parent blame with Mothers from refugee backgrounds: The impact of parent-blaming discourses on parents and children settling in Australia</b> <i>Emma Preece Boyd (Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture)</i></p>
C5. Schools and Young People	<p><b>Beginning School Well</b> <i>Susan Pigott (NSW Department of Education)</i></p> <p><b>Supporting high school students from refugee backgrounds transition to higher education: LEAP-Macquarie Mentoring (Refugee Mentoring)</b> <i>Ruth Tregale (Macquarie University)</i></p> <p><b>Schools and Families in Partnership</b> <i>Kath Cooney (The Victorian Foundation for Survivors of Torture)</i></p> <p><b>Resilience through a cultural activity on the road to wellbeing, Project Bantu a group approach</b> <i>George Pearson (STARTTS)</i></p>
C6. Community Interventions	<p><b>From Xenophobic Community to Learning Community: Creating Safety and Local Solutions for Torture Survivors in a Rural Minnesota Context</b></p>

	<p><i>Andrea Northwood (The Center for Victims of Torture, USA)</i></p> <p><b>How does Community, Friendship &amp; Trust have a role to play in getting people the support they need?</b></p> <p><i>Megs Lamb (Multicultural Communities Council of SA)</i></p> <p><b>Refugee Communities Advocacy Network: Our lives, our voices, our decisions</b></p> <p><i>Rebecca Eckard (Refugee Council of Australia)</i></p> <p><b>Operationalising Asset Based Community Development Approach: A Case Study of the 2016 Liberian Annual Cultural and Independence Anniversary Celebration</b></p> <p><i>Mohamed Dukuly (STARTTS)</i></p>
<p>C7. Service Delivery</p>	<p><b>Securing our sector: embedding outcomes evaluation centre wide</b></p> <p><i>April Pearman (ASeTTS)</i></p> <p><b>Obtaining informed consent in evaluating trauma and recovery and settlement services</b></p> <p><i>Atem Atem (Australian National University)</i></p> <p><b>Clinical Information Systems: the gadget that turns data into evidence based decisions</b></p> <p><i>Carlena Tu (STARTTS)</i></p> <p><b>The Treatment and Research Integrated Model, TRIM – how make the most of your clinical data in a refugee health setting</b></p> <p><i>Charlotte Sonne (Competence Centre for Transcultural Psychiatry, Denmark)</i></p>