

8.15-8.45 Registration

8.45-9.00 Acknowledgement of Country, Prayer and Reflection

**Title/speakers**

**1. 9.10-9.35 Opening remarks**  
 Dallas McInerney Chief Executive Officer, Catholic Schools NSW

**2. 9.35-10.10 Keynote address and Q&A**  
 Dr Kerry Chant NSW Chief Health Officer  
 Q&A Facilitated by  
 Elizabeth O'Carrigan OAM Director of Schools Diocese of Wagga Wagga

**3. 10.10-11.00 Emerging models of governance of Catholic education agencies**  
 Ross Tarlinton OAM Headmaster, St Joseph's College Hunters Hill  
 Dr Edward Simons Director-Governance and Strategy,  
 Melbourne Archdiocese Catholic Schools  
 Chair: Susan Pascoe AM Inaugural Commissioner, ACNC

**MORNING TEA 30 MINUTES**

**BREAK OUT SESSIONS**

**OPTION 4A. Responsible persons – selection, induction, support and training**  
 11.30-12.15 Ian Baker, Senior Research Fellow, CSNSW  
 Elizabeth Gallagher Child Safeguarding and Compliance Officer,  
 Marist Schools Australia  
 Chair: Danielle Cronin Director, Education Policy, CSNSW

**OPTION 4B. Cybersafety, risk and governance**  
 11.30-12.15 Ian Gregory Enterprise Architect CEnet  
 Yasmin London Executive Director, Ysafe.com.au  
 Chair: Brad Anderson Head of Data and Information Systems, CSNSW

**OPTION 4C. Canon and Civil Law: two sides of the same coin**  
 11.30-12.15 David Murphy Consultant, and former Executive Director, Corporate  
 Governance and School Standards, NESAs  
 Rev Richard Waddell JCL Canon Lawyer and Parish Administrator,  
 St Augustine's Catholic Church Balmain  
 Chair: Audrey Bower Chief Legal and Risk Officer, Catholic Schools NSW

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**5. 12.15-12.50 Financial Compliance and 83C**

**Julia Mitchell,** Director, Non Government Schools Unit, NSW  
Department of Education

**Carolyn Walsh,** Chair, Non Government Schools Not For Profit  
Advisory Committee

**Kylie McRae,** Principal, O'Connor Marsden and Associates

*Chair: Helen Conway Board Member, Catholic Schools NSW*

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**LUNCH 45 MINUTES**

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**6. 1.35-1.45 An Introduction to CER Limited**

**Ian Yard-Smith** CEO, Managing Director and Managing  
Principal Lawyer, Catholic Employment Relations

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**7. 1.45-2.30 Keynote address**

**Hon Alan Tudge MP** Minister for Education and Youth

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**8. 2.40-3.20 Safeguarding: keeping children and young people in our schools safe**

**Dr Ursula Stephens** CEO, Australian Catholic Safeguarding Ltd

**Janet Schorer** Children's Guardian, Office of the Children's  
Guardian.

*Chair: Chris Owens Head of Professional Services,  
Catholic Employment Relations Ltd*

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**COMFORT BREAK 10 MINUTES**

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**9. 3.30-4.15 Respectful Relationships: Consent**

**Dr Anne Wenham** CSNSW Review Committee - Peer on Peer Abuse and  
Consent, Chair, NESAS School Registration Committee

**Melinda Tankard-Reist** Writer, Speaker and Media Commentator

*Chair: Danielle Cronin Director, Education Policy, CSNSW*

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**10. 4.15-4.30 Closing remarks and  
Presentation of the Brother Kelvin Canavan Award**

**Stephen Sedgwick AO** Chairman, Catholic Schools NSW

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