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ST BAKHITA'S DAY

8 FEBRUARY 2019

ETHICAL SOURCING SEMINAR AND EXPO

9:30am – 10:30am

ARCHBISHOP OF SYDNEY, MOST REV ANTHONY FISHER OP

MS. JENNIFER WESTACOTT – Chief Executive, Business Council of Australia

MR MOE TURAGA – survivor of slavery in Australia and anti-slavery advocate

HON ALEX HAWKE, MP – Commonwealth Special Minister of State

HON TANYA PLIBERSEK MP, Deputy Leader Federal Parliamentary Labor

10:30am – 11am Morning Tea and Expo

11am – 12:30pm

MR MANS CARLSSON-SWEENEY – Head of ESG Research, Ausbil Investment Management Pty Ltd

MS JO-ANNE SCHOFIELD, National Secretary, United Voice

MR JEFFREY WESTBROOK – Head of Procurement, St Vincent's Health Australia

MR SHEHAN MICHEAL – Procurement Manager, Sydney Catholic Schools

MS SONJA DUNCAN – Director, SD Strategies Sustainability Expert

12:30pm – 12:55pm Lunch and Expo

1:10pm – 1:40pm

Feast Day Mass for St Josephine Bakhita Patron Saint of Sudan and Slavery victims
St Mary's Cathedral

EXPO STALL HOLDER

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UPLIFT aims to empower people here in Australia to 'uplift' people who have been the victims of trafficking or slavery. We support over 40 ministries and projects working with people in poor communities in Thailand, India, Nepal, China, Cambodia, Laos and the Philippines. We do all this by being invited to share about Fairtrade in churches and community groups, such as women or seniors groups, at Fair Trade events.

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Konica Minolta Business Solutions Australia Pty Ltd have a comprehensive framework to support the company's commitment towards the eradication of slavery in its global supply chains.

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GUEST SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES



ARCHBISHOP OF SYDNEY, MOST REV ANTHONY FISHER OP

Born in Sydney, Archbishop Fisher received degrees in history and law from the University of Sydney, and practised law for a year at Clayton Utz, before joining the Dominican Order in 1985, and became a priest in 1991. Since then he has achieved a Doctorate from Oxford, lectured at several universities including the Australian Catholic University, the University of Notre Dame Australia, and the John-Paul II Institute in Melbourne, Australia, where he was also founding Director. During this time he was also Master of Students (seminarians) in the Dominican Order and Socius (deputy) to the Provincial. His community involvements included being Chaplain to the Parliament of Victoria; member of the Infertility Treatment Authority of Victoria; chair or member of several hospital ethics committees; and chaplain to various organisations such as the Order of Malta. Since then he has been Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney, Bishop of Parramatta and, since 2014, Archbishop of Sydney. He has published over 100 academic articles on ethical, biethical, legal and theological subjects, and nine books.



JENNIFER WESTACOTT AO, CHIEF EXECUTIVE - BUSINESS COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA

The Business Council of Australia is the nation's premier business organisation, advocating for a stronger and fairer society through a more prosperous Australia. Jennifer Westacott AO has served as Chief Executive of the Business Council of Australia since 2011, bringing a unique combination of extensive policy experience in both the public and private sectors. Under her leadership, the Business Council tirelessly champions meaningful policies that strengthen the ability of businesses to grow the economy for the benefit of all Australians. Jennifer built her career in the public sector, working in senior leadership positions in the NSW and Victorian governments across housing, education, and infrastructure, planning and natural resources. As a senior partner at KPMG, Jennifer advised major corporations on climate change and sustainability and advised governments across Australia on significant reform priorities. Jennifer has an unrivalled understanding of how the public and private sectors intersect and can work together to achieve the best outcomes in the national interest. Since 2013, Jennifer has served as the Chair of the Mental Health Council of Australia and is a NonExecutive Director of Wesfarmers Limited.

She is the Australian Co-chair of the Australia-Canada Economic Leadership Forum, the Co-Patron of Pride in Diversity, and the Co-Chair of the Australia Sino One Hundred Year Agricultural and Food Safety Partnership (ASA100). In 2018, Jennifer was made an Officer (AO) in the General Division of the Order of Australia.

Jennifer has a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) from the University of New South Wales and in 2017 received an Honorary Degree (Doctor of Letters) from her alma mater. She was a Chevening Scholar at the London School of Economics.



ALEX HAWKE MP - SPECIAL MINISTER OF STATE

Alex Hawke MP is the Special Minister of State in the Australian Government.

Alex was elected at the 2007 election as the Liberal Federal Member for Mitchell in North West Sydney. He was promoted to Assistant Minister to the Treasurer in September 2015; Assistant Minister for Immigration and Border Protection in July 2016; Assistant Minister for Home Affairs in December 2017, and was appointed to his present role in August 2018.

In Parliament Alex has also served as Chair of the House Standing Committee on the Environment, Chair of the Joint House Standing Committee on Electoral Matters and the Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade.

Prior to entering Parliament, Alex was an adviser to former Treasury Ministers in the Howard Government. He also served as an Army Reserve Officer in the Royal Australian Armoured Corps.

Alex and Amelia reside in the Hills District with their three sons, Jack, Lachlan and Thomas.



TANYA PLIBERSEK MP, DEPUTY LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION – AUSTRALIAN LABOR PARTY

Tanya Plibersek is also Deputy Leader of the Federal Parliamentary Labor Party, Shadow Minister for Education and Training, Shadow Minister for Women, and the Federal Member for Sydney.

Tanya was previously the Shadow Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Development in the 44th Parliament. In government, Tanya was Minister for Health. Her other ministerial appointments have included Minister for Medical Research, Minister for Social Inclusion, Minister for Human Services, Minister for the Status of Women, and Minister for Housing.

Tanya grew up in the Sutherland Shire of Sydney and is the daughter of migrants from Slovenia. Like many newly arrived migrants, Tanya's parents helped build the country in which they made their new home. Her father worked on the Snowy River hydroelectric scheme in the 1950s.

Tanya holds a BA Communications (Hons) from the University of Technology Sydney (UTS) and a Master of Politics and Public Policy from Macquarie University. Before entering parliament, Tanya worked in the Domestic Violence Unit at the NSW Ministry for the Status and Advancement of Women. Elected to Federal Parliament as the Member for Sydney in 1998, she spoke of her conviction that ordinary people working together can achieve positive change.



MOE TURAGA, SURVIVOR OF MODERN SLAVERY IN AUSTRALIA

Moe was trafficked from Fiji as a young man to work in the Australian horticulture sector. He told his story for the first time in public at the Bali Process Government and Business Forum in August 2017 in front of government and business leaders from 50 Asia Pacific nations.

Since then he's told his story many times, including to members of the Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade at that Committee's Inquiry into establishing a Modern Slavery Act for Australia. The Report from that Inquiry titled "Hidden in Plain Sight" reproduced Moe's testimony in full.

Moe also gave evidence at a Queensland Government wage theft inquiry, relaying testimonies of farmworker exploitation, particularly by contractors and labour hire operators, who routinely overcharge for work-related costs such as accommodation, transport, equipment and so on. For many years Moe has also been providing pastoral support to seasonal workers and has assisted those experiencing hardship.

The advocacy work that Moe has undertaken has been effective in raising awareness that slavery-like conditions exist in Australia today and of the importance of bringing an end to modern slavery.

Moe lives in Bundaberg QLD and works in the disability sector supporting children, youth and the elderly.



**MANS CARLSSON-SWEENEY, HEAD OF ESG RESEARCH -
AUSBIL INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LTD**

Måns is Head of ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance) Research at Ausbil Investment Management Limited since September 2015. Prior to that, he was Senior ESG Research Analyst at AMP Capital for almost five years, following positions at Carnegie Investment Bank, Macquarie Bank and Accenture. With more than a decade of experience in the investment industry, including ten years in various responsible investment / ESG roles, Måns is well known for producing and presenting consistent, high-quality ESG research covering the Australian market and he has also published numerous, highly regarded insight papers on a wide range of ESG issues, including human rights and modern slavery. Måns is a member of the PRI Australia Network Advisory Committee and chairs a subcommittee of the Human Rights Working Group of RIAA (Responsible Investment Association Australasia). He holds an MBA International with Distinction from Griffith University and a Master of Financial Management from Gothenburg School of Business.



**JO-ANNE SCHOFIELD, NATIONAL SECRETARY -
UNITED VOICE**

Jo-anne has been a long time member, official and activist within United Voice and previously held the roles of National President and Assistant National Secretary. Jo-anne has also worked extensively with community and not-for-profit organisations to advance issues of social justice, inequality and corporate social responsibility.



**JEFF WESTBROOK, GROUP MANAGER PROCUREMENT -
ST VINCENT'S HEALTH AUSTRALIA**

Jeff has a career spanning 20 years as a health professional and health administrator as well as 20 years as a procurement leader in both the public and private sectors. Over the past decade Jeff has held the roles of Executive General Manager of Procurement at Suncorp, Chief Procurement Officer at Queensland Urban Utilities and Executive Director Portfolio Office Queensland Health where he has lead significant programs of structural reform, sourcing and outsourcing locally and abroad.



SHEHAN MICHEAL, PROCUREMENT MANAGER – SYDNEY CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Shehan Micheal is currently the Procurement Manager for Sydney Catholic Schools for the Archdiocese of Sydney and is responsible for the purchasing activity in 153 schools. He moved across to the education sector in 2015 having held a prior role in Aged and Community Care. During Shehan’s time working in the Not for Profit industry, he has demonstrated his excellence in Procurement and Supply Chain functions both here in Australia and internationally. .

With 16 years of experience in variance levels of Procurement functions, Shehan is skilled in managing all aspects of assigned purchasing and supply streams. In the last 3 years he has introduced Strategic Procurement to Sydney Catholic Schools and prior to this he transformed the Procurement platform at Anglicare Sydney.

Shehan holds education qualifications from the Memorial University of Canada along with numerous certifications in line with his career progression, including in Six Sigma, and Procurement and Supply.



SONJA DUNCAN, DIRECTOR - SD STRATEGIES

Sonja has worked for 25 years to encourage, empower and support organisations to become sustainability leaders. With experience in environmental, WHS and social impact auditing, gap analysis, training, risk management and strategy development, Sonja is a sought-after sustainability consultant.

But what gets her out of bed in the morning is her desire to make a difference to the lives of vulnerable and exploited people. She focuses on helping businesses operationalise the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights and meet or exceed the requirements of modern slavery legislation. She cares deeply about the ‘unseen’ people in supply chains. Sonja is currently working with a number of large Australian businesses to assist them in setting up systems and processes to identify and manage modern slavery risks across their operations and supply chain.

Sonja is enrolled in a Master of Human Rights Law & Policy at UNSW, is a Research Associate with the Australian Human Rights Institute, a Senior Researcher with the Migrant Worker Justice Initiative and in her spare time teaches yoga to homeless people at the Wayside Chapel in King’s Cross, Sydney.

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