

On behalf of Deafness Forum, the Libby Harricks Memorial Oration Committee invites you to a special event



Libby Harricks Memorial Oration 2003 & Hearing Access Seminar

Multifaceted Aspects of Discrimination: Hearing Disability and Hearing Access Needs

Date: Monday 14 April 2003 **Time:** 9.00am – 5.00pm

Venue: X5B Theatre, Macquarie University, North Ryde, NSW

PROGRAM

Libby Harricks Memorial Oration 2003

“Disability Law and People with Hearing Loss: We’ve come a long way (but we’re not there yet).”

Orator: Donna Lee Sorkin

Ms Sorkin is based in Virginia USA. She was Executive Director of SHHH (Self Help for Hard of Hearing People) in Bethesda, Md for several years and since 1994 has represented hearing disability on the Access Board advising the US Congress on revision of the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act.

Symposium – Practical issues of hearing disability and hearing access.

Audiologist Ric Osborn will present an innovative workshop. Graeme Innes, Deputy Commissioner of the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission, will summarise the present legislative situation in Australia. He will be followed by expert panelists addressing hearing access issues in areas such as education, employment, courtrooms, public transport and tourism.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Audiologists and other Health Professionals, Local Government Agencies, State and Federal Government representatives, Employers, Equal Employment Opportunity officers, Educators, Church leaders, People with Hearing Loss and their families.

WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

- Learn about hearing access regulations, requirements and progress in a number of industries.
 - Exchange views with industry experts about hearing access needs and issues.
 - Audiological Society of Australia members can earn premium CPD points by attending this Program.
- Communications access will be provided. Exchange of views between audience and panelists will be timetabled, facilitated and encouraged

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I require Ticket/s at \$95 each* includes the Oration, Symposium, morning and afternoon tea, lunch and support materials (*Concessions are available, conditions apply. Contact Deafness Forum for details)

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