



## Spectrum Space Symposium Program 3 & 4 November 2023

Please note days, timings and topics may change.

Day 1: Friday 3 November 2022			
Time	Event	Speaker	Topic
<b>10:30am – 3.00pm</b>	<b>Inclusive Education Masterclass with Elizabeth Salles, Nicole Torres and Matt Capp</b>		
8:15am	Registrations open		
9:00am	Welcome	Helene Hansen	
9:05am	Welcome to country	Olman Walley	
9:10am	Opening	Hon Don Punch – Minister for Disability Services	
9:20am	Plenary	Andrew Whitehouse	<b>The Autism Landscape in 2023: Where are we, how did we get here and where are we going?</b>
10:20am	Morning Tea		
11:00am	Keynote speech	Emma Goodall	<b>Office for Autism</b>
12:00pm	Breakout sessions:	<b>Option 1:</b> Emma Goodall	<b>Interception and Behaviour Management Tools</b>
		<b>Option 2:</b> Jess Rowlings	<b>Gaming – A positive learning experience</b>
		<b>Option 3:</b> Liz Baird	<b>Life Skills from a Neurodivergent Perspective</b>
1:00pm	Lunch		
2:00pm	Breakout sessions	<b>Option 1:</b> Theresa Kidd and Miriam Kirby	<b>School Can't: Reframing school refusal</b>
		<b>Option 2:</b> Harry Lovekin, Catherine Wright and Sharna Jarvis	<b>How to succeed in your Microenterprise</b>
3:00pm	Short break		
3:15pm	Breakout sessions	<b>Option 1:</b> Spectrum Space's Creative Arts Crew	<b>Arts As an Engagement Tool</b>
		<b>Option 2:</b> Positive Partnerships – Rebecca Wahlsten and Adam Howie	<b>Culturally appropriate services in education</b>
4:15pm	Plenary	Temple Grandin	<b>The Changes in Autism – A recorded interview</b>
5:00pm	Close & Networking		

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<b>Day 2: Saturday 4 November 2023</b>			
<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	
<b>8am – 12.30pm</b>	<b>Inclusive Education Masterclass with Elizabeth Salles, Nicole Torres and Matt Capp</b>		
7.45am	Registrations open		
8.00-8:45am	Plenary	Clare Gibellini	<b>An update on National Autism Strategy</b>
9:00am	Breakout sessions	<b>Option 1:</b> Monique Mitchelson	<b>Autistic Burnout: Signs, definitions, and strategies</b>
		<b>Option 2:</b> Sarah Bernard	<b>Interdependence: Relying on support can lead to great opportunities</b>
10:00am	Breakout sessions	<b>Option 1:</b> Theresa Kidd and Laura/Remus Short	<b>Supporting Neurodivergent and Gender Diverse Young People</b>
		<b>Option 2:</b> Raelene Dundon	<b>Understanding Autistic Play</b>
		<b>Option 3:</b> Ana Palacios	<b>Autistic Connection: Finding Belonging</b>
11:00am	Morning Tea		
11:30am	Breakout sessions	<b>Option 1:</b> Raelene Dundon	<b>Reframing Behaviour Management: A Low Arousal Approach</b>
		<b>Option 2:</b> Monique Mitchelson	<b>Chronic Pain: The neurodivergent experience</b>
12:30pm	Closing remarks	Silvana Gaglia	
1.15pm	Close		

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