

2008 STATE VOLUNTEER CONGRESS

Uncrossing The Wires

Friday 5th December 2008

The National Wine Centre of Australia
Cnr Botanic & Hackney Rds

Program

Master of Ceremonies: Mr Gary Edwards

08:30am Registration

09:10am Kaurna Welcome

09:20am Minister's Address

Minister for Volunteers Hon Paul Caica MP

Communicating with Government:

Volunteer Ministerial Advisory Group Introduction

Ms Gay Thompson MP, Member for Reynell, Chair Volunteer Ministerial Advisory Group

09:45am The Magic Of Collaborative Communication

Mr Gary Edwards, Communicator, Lawyer andMagician?

10:30am Morning tea

11:00am ***Can You Hear Me?***

The challenges of communication in volunteer organisations

*Live Radio Forum presented and recorded by Radio Adelaide
Hosted by Deborah Welch & Nikki Marcel*

As technology develops there are increasing ways for volunteer organisations to communicate with their volunteers, supporters and general public. With so many people doing different things, are we connecting more effectively or just spending more time and resources?



Broadcast on Radio Adelaide's *Public Domain* 14 December 10 -11am



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12:30pm Luncheon

1:30pm Interactive Sessions 1,2&3

1. *Challenging What We Do: New Approaches to Volunteering*
2. *Wikis, Websites, Blogs & Ouija Boards?: Make The Web Work For You*
3. *Send a Message: Reaching New Volunteers*

2:30pm Session Changeover

2:40pm Interactive Sessions 4,5&6

4. *Plugging in the Corporates: The Real Benefits of Corporate Volunteering?*
5. *Volunteering: A Pathway to Employment?*
6. *Surfing the Same Wave: New Arrivals & Volunteering*

3:40pm Afternoon Tea

4:00pm *Live Internet Cross from Germany!*

Live interview with Germany- based Virtual Volunteering guru



*Ms Jayne Cravens, Director Coyote Communications
& Former Head of United Nations Virtual
Volunteering Project*

The basics of online volunteering

4:45pm Summing Up: Session Reports and Close

5:00pm Light Refreshments and Music

Featuring the fantastic Outhouse Orchestra
3 girls who frock up to dress you down!

*they've ditched the rules of Chamber
Orchestra and simply put on a great show!*



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