



AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF
**Social and Ethical
Accountability**

As the number of organisations in Australia choosing to account for their social, environmental and economic performance grows, there are precious few places where the wide range of practitioners and stakeholders can debate, critique, share ideas, and just talk about the experiences, including the benefits and challenges.

The Australian Institute of Social and Ethical Accountability presents the Practitioners Talk Series as a forum to address this need. Each Talk features a range of panellists who lead the discussion by telling their stories. This interactive world café event allows participants to engage and discuss with fellow participants as well as panellists working in the area.

Upcoming AISEA events

BRISBANE 21-22 August

Triple Bottom Line
Accounting Workshop
(Cost \$970 + GST)
Enquiries and registration:
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SYDNEY

Thursday 23 August
Practitioners' Talk (Cost \$35)
Social Accountability
– Accountable for what and
to who? What does it mean
for the not for profit sector?
Enquiries and registration:
info@accountability.org.au

The Australian Institute of Social and Ethical Accountability presents

The Practitioners Talk Series

**ACCOUNTABILITY AND GOVERNANCE WHEN
COMMUNITY ENTERPRISE PARTNERS WITH BUSINESS**

The Practitioners Talk

Thursday 16 August 2007, 11.00am – 12.30pm

Venue: The Auditorium, Ground Floor, National Australia Bank,
800 Bourke Street, Melbourne (opposite Telstra Dome).

Cost: Complimentary

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

John Pearce

John is a pioneer in social accounting and audit and has been working in community development since the 1970s. He managed Strathclyde Community Business and was a founding member of Community Business Scotland. John is a key author of the Social Audit Network's Social Accounting and Audit Manual used as a guide by many organizations. Although aimed primarily at social economy practitioners and social enterprises, it does in fact "provide a straightforward and accessible starting point for all" (Jane Gibbon, University of Northumbria). John is also engaged in running a social audit program in Scotland, and has managed social audit initiatives in the UK and internationally.

Michelle Sainsbery

Michelle Sainsbery has been in the role of National Microfinance Manager with Good Shepherd Youth and Family Service for the past 6 months. Prior to this, she worked within the employment/education environment and for the past 16 years has had a focus on national contract management working primarily with the federal government, service delivery development, advocacy and support for the development of local responses that meet the needs of individuals and their communities. A career highlight was working and living in New York for 12 months. She has a mix of community and corporate experience and holds an undergraduate degree in Business and post graduate qualifications in Adult Education and Social Science.

Corinne Proske

For the last four years Corinne Proske has been the Corporate Social Responsibility Manager for the National Australia Bank. In this role Corinne is responsible for defining how to best interpret and implement social responsibility within the Australian context. This involves coordinating stakeholder engagement, developing and managing the NAB's microcredit programs, managing employee volunteering and the community program in addition to contributing to the NAB's Global Corporate Social Responsibility report.

Corinne has over 10 years experience in the area of sustainability consulting. She has also worked for the Department of Family and Community Services where she was responsible for developing a guide on social performance reporting. Corinne is a CPA with postgraduate studies in environmental management.

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