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**Taronga Zoo
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Saturday 22 February 2014

8:00am - 9:15am	Registration	
9:20am - 9:30am	Welcome to Country <i>Lloyd McDermott</i>	
	Welcome by Mark Ierace SC <i>Senior Public Defender</i>	
9:30am - 10:30am	Official Opening by the Attorney General and Sentencing <i>The Hon. Greg Smith SC MP.....</i> <i>Attorney General & Minister for Justice</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
10:30am - 11:30am	Impact of drugs on brain function & the formation of intent <i>Professor MacDonald James Christie.....</i> <i>Professor of Pharmacology: NHMRC Senior Principal Research Fellow</i> <i>Associate Dean Research, Sydney Medical School</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
11:30am - 12:00pm	<i>Morning Tea</i>	
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Stress at the Bar: Psychological Strategies for Building Resilience <i>Dr Sarah Edelman PhD</i> <i>Clinical Psychologist</i>	1 point - Management
1:00pm - 2:00pm	<i>Lunch</i>	
2:00pm - 3:00pm	The importance of the pre-trial application and the vagaries in the subsequent appeal process <i>David Dalton SC</i> <i>Counsel, Maurice Byers Chambers</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Emergency medicine practice : head & other injuries seen in the Emergency Department <i>Professor Gordian Fulde</i> <i>Director, Emergency Department at St Vincent's & Sydney Hospitals</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
4:00pm	<i>Close</i>	

Sunday 23 February 2014

9:20am - 9:30am	Welcome by Mark Ierace SC <i>Senior Public Defender</i>	
9:30am - 10:30am	Recent High Court Cases <i>Gabrielle Bashir</i> <i>Counsel, Forbes Chambers</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
10:30am - 11:30am	The Ethics of Prosecuting <i>Lloyd Babb SC BA MA LLB</i> <i>Director, Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions</i>	1 point - Ethics and Regulation of the Profession
11:30am - 12:00pm	<i>Morning Tea</i>	
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Advocacy : A view from both sides of the Bench <i>Judge Stephen Hanley SC</i> <i>Judge of the District Court of NSW</i>	1 point - Advocacy, Mediation, and other Barristers' Skills
1:00pm - 2:00pm	<i>Lunch</i>	
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Psychiatric Defences in the Criminal Law <i>Dr Richard Furst</i> <i>Consultant Forensic Psychiatrist</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Sexual Assault Communications Privilege (Div 2, Part 5 Criminal Procedure Act) <i>Ian Nash</i> <i>Public Defender</i>	1 point - Substantive Law, Practice & Procedure, & Evidence
4:00pm	<i>Close</i>	