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The Black Saturday Post-traumatic Growth Project

Post-traumatic Growth: What's the Story?

Invitation

Rhonda Abotomey and the team warmly invite you to join us for this presentation of research exploring post-traumatic growth, informed by people involved with the 2009 Black Saturday bushfires.

Our response to trauma can be complex, including negative and positive change, and frequently both. The positive change is formally termed 'post-traumatic growth'.

Through exposure to stories of positive transformation, we can come to understand the welcome, and sometimes surprising, ways that people may develop from direct or vicarious trauma.

Relevant to all hazards, this capacity building event supports individual and community trauma recovery and preparedness.

The Research Team: A/Prof Louise Harms, Rhonda Abotomey, A/Prof Barbara Bolt, A/Prof Robyn Woodward-Kron, Dr David Rose, Dr Jenny Waycott.

Details

1.45 - 3.00pm
Thursday 5 November
Room 704, Level 7
Alan Gilbert Building
University of Melbourne
161 Barry Street, Carlton

Light refreshments will be provided.

Please RSVP by Wednesday 28 October

Enquiries / RSVP

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