

SAGe 2009

With close to 200 delegates attending, the **10th annual SA Gerontology Conference** will be presented by the SA/NT Division of the Australian Association of Gerontology and supported by Domiciliary Care SA, ECH Inc, Helping Hand Aged Care and Geriacton , at the Stamford Grand, Glenelg on Friday 28th August 2009. This conference will bring together a wide range of people with an interest in Ageing, and offers a great opportunity to share innovative work and recent knowledge in this field.

Keynote speakers include

- **Professor Robert Newton**, Exercise and Sports Science, Edith Cowan University WA
- **Dr Lynn Arnold AO**, Chief Executive, Anglicare SA
- **Professor Jennifer Abbey**, Consultant ACH Group
- **Robbi Williams**, CEO Julia Farr Group
- **Professor Esther May**, Head, School of Health Sciences, University of South Australia
- **Dr Mandy Stanley and Megan Corlis**, ARC Linkage Project: Alone in a Crowd - Supporting older Australians managing loneliness

Email SAGe@dfc.sa.gov.au for further information

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FINAL PROGRAM BOOKLET

The program booklet that delegates will receive on the day is now finalised . To view or download a copy of the program booklet [click here](#)

Themes for the concurrent sessions include:

- Re-examining Clinical Approaches
- It's my Life! Clients in Control
- Changing Service Delivery Models
- Matching Services to Real Life

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

An online registration form has been developed.

Costs for the conference are:

- \$150.00 AAG member(individual/corporate)
- \$200.00 Non member
- \$75.00 student/concession

To register online for the 2009 SA Gerontology Conference [CLICK HERE](#)

Hard copy registrations are also available email sage@dfc.sa.gov.au if you'd like us to send you a copy

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The Great Flamingo



So why did we pick the Adelaide Zoo's Greater Flamingo as the logo for the SAGe 2009 Conference?

It has an age related visual impairment, meaning it can not see well. However it is very familiar with its exhibit so can move around the grotto with ease. Most mornings it will stand on the edge of the pond, stretch its wings and then walk around the outside of the pond to the furthest point in the enclosure. It will then stand on the grass and groom its feathers.

Earlier in 2009 this 80 plus year old flamingo was brutally attacked in its enclosure (causing outrage in Adelaide). The Flamingo has since made a remarkable recovery and has been reunited with its Chilean mate. Resilience, long life and the wonderful caring relationship between these two graceful birds are amongst the reasons we chose

the Greater flamingo as the 'logo' for SAGe2009.