# Stalking Risk Profile Training Workshop

An intensive two-day workshop that provides an introduction to understanding stalking and accredited training on using the Stalking Risk Profile: Guidelines for the Assessment and Management of Stalkers.

Amersfoort, The Netherlands 17 – 18 June, 2013

**Presented by authors of the SRP:** 

**Dr Rachel MacKenzie** 

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Venue

**Golden Tulip Amersfoort** Stichtse Rotonde 11 Amersfoort

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## Using the Stalking Risk Profile: Guidelines for the assessment and management of stalkers.

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## Workshop Outline

The intensive workshop will provide participants with accredited training in the administration and use of the Stalking Risk Profile: Guidelines for the assessment and management of stalkers (SRP). The SRP is a structured professional judgement tool specific to risk assessment of stalkers. It has been developed by a group of internationally recognised experts in the field who combine their research interest in stalking with extensive clinical practice with both stalkers and their victims. Participants will gain a comprehensive understanding of the various motivations for stalking behaviour, the different types of risk present in stalking situations and how to identify and implement appropriate management strategies. They will be trained in the administration of the SRP and using these guidelines to provide advice regarding sentencing and treatment and management options. The widespread nature of stalking and stalking victimisation make this, the first comprehensive stalking risk assessment tool, a highly useful addition to any clinician or risk assessor's library.

#### Day One

Day 1 will provide an overview of stalking research and theory, its prevalence, impact and the various reasons for stalking behaviour. Participants will complete practical tasks to enable them to recognise different types of stalkers, and be provided with information about the most recent research on risk factors for stalking violence, persistence and recurrence.

#### Day Two

Day 2 will provide training and practice in the administration, scoring, interpretation and presentation of the SRP. It includes information and practice in formulating stalking behaviour and a full application of the SRP in a case study exercise. Day 2 also provides guidance on how to conduct an assessment with a stalker, including a video of an interview conducted by Professor Paul Mullen, information about recognising and prioritising targets for intervention to reduce risk and how to use the SRP as an outcome measure.

#### Ongoing support

Completion of the workshop entitles participants to membership at www.stalkingriskprofile.com. The members' section of the website includes SRP rating forms for free download, additional practice vignettes with completed SRPs by the authors for comparison, and secure forums for discussion of stalking cases and ongoing support from the authors in the administration of the SRP.

#### Dr Rachel MacKenzie

Dr Rachel MacKenzie is a senior Clinical psychologist who has extensive clinical and research experience in the assessment and management of stalkers. She currently works at Forensicare's community-based Problem Behaviour Program in Melbourne, Australia, as well as operating a private clinical and forensic practice specialising in assessment and treatment of both stalkers and stalking victims. She established the specialist stalkers clinic at Forensicare in 2002, with Professors Paul Mullen and James Ogloff, and conducts education sessions in the public and private sectors. Dr MacKenzie has presented on risk assessment and the management and treatment of stalkers at international conferences and has published on these topics in academic iournals and in books.

#### Dr Troy McEwan

Dr Troy McEwan is a Clinical and Forensic Psychologist working at Forensicare's Problem Behaviour Program. and a Research Fellow at the Centre for Forensic Behavioural Science, Monash University. She has published extensively on risk assessment of stalkers and is currently leading an Australian Research Council funded clinical trial of the SRP and an associated psychological treatment for stalkers. In addition to clinical work, she lectures in undergraduate and postgraduate courses at Monash University and provides training in stalking and threat management to external services. Her research interests include stalking, arson and threat assessment.

## **General Information**

#### PLEASE NOTE: Places are limited and will be allocated on a first-come basis.

#### **To Register**

Registration and payment can be made online at <u>http://www.stalkingriskprofile.com/stalking-risk-profile/workshops/upcoming-workshops</u>. Delegates must be registered individually. If you would like to register a large number of delegates, please contact <u>admin@stalkingriskprofile.com</u>. The workshop runs from 0900 to 1700 both days.

#### **Registration fees**

An early-bird rate of €590 is available for payments received up to  $13^{th}$  May, 2013. Thereafter, the full rate of €690 applies. SRP manuals can be purchased with the workshop place for an additional €71 (a 30% discount on the usual European cost). Manuals will be delivered at the workshop.

The registration fee includes a file of workshop materials, morning and afternoon tea and a hot buffet lunch on both workshop days.

#### Cancellations

Cancellations of workshop registration must be advised two weeks prior to commencement of the workshop; there is a €145 cancellation fee per registration. After that date, refunds will only be issued in exceptional circumstances. Substitute delegates will be accepted.

#### **Payment options**

Direct bank transfer of funds (follow registration using the website) Cheque (follow registration using the website) Credit Card (using PayPal's secure portal following registration on the website)

#### Venue

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#### Accommodation

Accommodation is available at the Golden Tulip, in Amersfoort (3 km from the venue) or Utrecht.

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