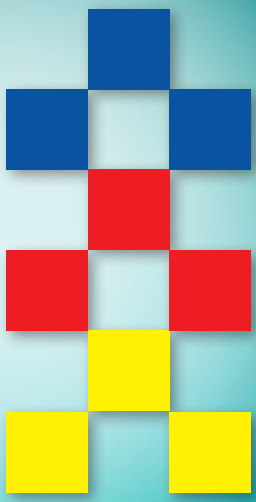


Saturday 28th – Sunday 29th April 2018:
Novotel Hotel, St Kilda



EMERGENCY
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8th Volunteer Leaders Forum 2018

The ESF Volunteer Leaders Forum will expose volunteer leaders of the future to a range of initiatives and developments in emergency management.

The event will deliver insights into emergency management in Victoria which will better prepare them when responding to emergencies and will result in better outcomes for the community.

Are you a future leader?

- Meet Industry Leaders and Agency Chiefs
- Meet your peers from many other response and recovery agencies
- Leadership Ideas Workshop
- Emergency Management News
- Personal Development Sessions
- Site tours
- Networking



Program

The event will include:

- Keynote speakers at Novotel on Saturday morning.
- Visit by the Minister
- Chief Officers' Q & A panel.
- Bus tours to key EM sites on Saturday afternoon.
 - Air Ambulance
 - DELWP State Logistics Centre
 - MFB Marine/Water Police
 - MFB Training Centre, Burnley
- Networking BBQ dinner + HART and equipment demos at MFB Training Centre, Burnley.
- Formal conference sessions and Leadership workshops on Sunday until mid-afternoon.

Site Tours

Bus groups will each visit two of the 3 sites, and all finish at MFB Burnley for the BBQ and displays. Applicants may nominate their preferences, and we will try to accommodate them. Nomination forms will be sent to all successful applicants.

Who will attend

If you are a Volunteer with any Victorian emergency service organisations and related NGOs, this is your best opportunity to learn more and see more of the inner workings of Emergency Management.

Bring your questions for the Chief Officers' Panel and be a part of the discussion.

You will see and hear what other industry leaders are doing and will take back to your unit/brigade information and experiences that will inspire you, and which will help you to inspire your colleagues.

Municipal councils are invited too.

Invited organisations include:

- Ambulance Victoria
- Australian Red Cross
- Australian Ski Patrol Assoc.
- Australian Volunteer Coast Guard
- Bush Search & Rescue, VIC
- CFA Rescue Association
- Country Fire Authority
- Echuca Moama Search & Rescue Squad
- Emergency Services Foundation
- Life Saving Victoria
- Shepparton Search & Rescue Squad
- St John Ambulance
- Victoria State Emergency Service
- Victorian Council of Churches Emergencies Ministry



Non-volunteer organisations also attending:

- Department of Justice
- Emergency Management Victoria
- Dept. of Environment Land Water & Planning
- Victoria Police
- Metropolitan Fire Brigade
- Parks Victoria

Venue

Novotel Hotel, St Kilda

Timing

It will take place over the weekend, 28th-29th April 2018, commencing with Welcome Drinks at 7pm Friday 27th April. The program commences Saturday morning and finishes mid-afternoon Sunday.

Free accommodation

Delegates will be accommodated at the Novotel St Kilda on the evenings of Friday 27th and Saturday 28th April.

Delegate inclusions

'No-Charge' Delegate package includes:

- Attendance at all sessions and workshops
- Bus tours (Sat)
- Welcome drinks at Novotel (Fri)
- Delegates' networking BBQ (Sat)
- Hotel accommodation (Fri/Sat)
- All meals (Sat/Sun)

How to Apply

Go to www.esf.com.au/services/conference/ and click on the link to the VLF web page. Select Online Application Form.

OR

If preferred, you may select 'Download Application Form PDF' and fax or email as indicated. All Application Forms to be submitted by Friday 2nd March 2018.

Places are extremely limited.

Successful applicants will be advised in early April 2018.

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