



# Professional Development Event

## Conversion Therapy and LGBTI People of Faith

The mental health challenges of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex (LGBTI) people have been well documented. LGBTI people from faith backgrounds often experience these with greater intensity and have additional issues to deal with including attempts to change their sexual orientation or block gender transitioning. Understanding the LGBTI faith person's world view as well as the unique personal and psychological obstacles they face, enables therapists to work more effectively with clients.

**Wednesday 13 February 2019**

**Time:**

7:30pm -9:00pm (NSW, ACT, VIC, TAS)

7:00pm -8:30pm (SA)

6:30pm -8:00pm (QLD)

6:00pm - 7:30pm (NT)

4:30pm -6:00pm (WA)



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PACFA Members \$35 (incl. GST)

Student Members \$20 (incl. GST)

Non-Members \$50 (incl. GST)

Online webinar (register for link)

*This event counts as 1.5 hours of category A CPD for PACFA's membership renewal requirements*

## Anthony Venn-Brown



Anthony Venn-Brown was once a popular preacher in Australia's mega-churches. His bestselling autobiography, *A Life of Unlearning*, details his 22-year struggle coming to terms with his homosexuality. Since 2000, Anthony's worked extensively with individuals seeking resolution of faith and/or their sexuality, conversion therapy survivors and gay and lesbian people in heterosexual marriages. As founder of Ambassadors & Bridge Builders International, Anthony has provided training and been a conference speaker for organisations both in Australia and overseas.

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