



On behalf of Micah Australia, I would like to extend an invitation to your Student Leadership to be a part of the Voices for Justice Conference 2018, from 1-4 December in Canberra.

Voices for Justice is the flagship event of Micah Australia, bringing together hundreds of people from across the nation, for four powerful days of advocacy, worship, prayer, workshops and lobbying.

The event aims to creatively and lovingly engage with politicians at Parliament House to bring God's heart for justice for the poor to their attention, while at the same time inspiring and equipping Christians to lobby and advocate.

This year we will be offering an exclusive schools stream, tailored for young student leaders from around the nation. While students will be a part of the main conference sessions, during workshop breakouts, we will be running specialised workshops for the students, focusing on topics such as leadership, influence and vision.

We are pleased to announce these workshops will be facilitated by Kieran Bridger who specialises in leadership development of Generation Z. Kieran is a passionate motivator who has presented inspiring seminars to over 60,000 young Australians. He has worked with over 400 schools, churches and organisations across Australia, New Zealand and Singapore.

Tim Costello, Micah Australia's Executive Director, will also be there to welcome the students and will spend time directly mentoring and supporting them through their experience.

This is an unrivalled opportunity for young student leaders to gather with like-minded people and be trained and equipped to meet their MP and state Senators, while at the same time receiving specialised training on the topic of leadership.

I would love to discuss with you further how you may wish to engage your student leadership in this significant event.



Matt Darvas
Campaign Director

THE PROGRAM

Across 1-4 December 2018, the program includes:

1 – 2 DECEMBER (SATURDAY – SUNDAY)

A two-day conference held at the Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture in Canberra including: worship, training for politician meetings, and being built up in the Word by our guest speakers.

3 – 4 DECEMBER (MONDAY – TUESDAY)

These two days are focused on action in Parliament House including lobbying meetings with politicians, and a creative media stunt on the lawns of Parliament House to bring attention to the world's poor.

STUDENT LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS



SESSION 1 WHAT IS LEADERSHIP?

This session will explore key definitions of leadership and their implications for school leaders. The main outcome for this session is for the students to realise their influence and feel empowered in their own ability to lead.

- **Leadership and influence (Christian focus)**
- **Qualities of a leader**
- **Leading in contemporary society**



SESSION 2 WHAT MAKES A GREAT LEADER?

This session will explore the key qualities required to lead well, as well as exploring each student's individual strengths, leadership style, and contribution to the team.

- **Key qualities: Servant leadership, relational, vision**
- **Exploring personal strengths and leadership styles**
- **Building teams**



SESSION 3 DEVELOPING VISION

This session will help students to consider a missional vision that they can take back to their school community. This practical workshop will help students assess the plausibility of their vision, and its contribution to school society.

- **Developing vision – what it is and how we get it**
- **Analysis of your school community – where are the needs?**
- **How does your vision fit your school values and culture?**

TICKET PRICE

We are offering a special student and teacher discount of \$160 per ticket (or \$150 each for a group of 5 or more).

Ticket price covers entry into the four-day conference which will include two days of training, and then two days of workshops and lobbying in Parliament House. The price includes some meals but does not include accommodation.

Tickets can be purchased until midnight 2 November at micahaustralia.org/voices

ABOUT KIERAN BRIDGER



Kieran is a passionate motivator who has presented inspiring seminars to over 60,000 young Australians.

He has worked with over 400 schools, churches and organisations across Australia, New Zealand and Singapore. Kieran is an honest and engaging communicator with a genuine passion for helping young people to realise their goals, their worth and their ability to impact the world around them. He has vast experience in leadership development with Prefect teams, Student Leadership Councils, and individual leaders.

Kieran's current work includes consulting for Christian schools, churches, and NFPs on leadership development for Generation Z.

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