



## ***Security Management Master Class***

Since the 1990's Edith Cowan University has set the benchmark against which Security Science education at both the undergraduate and postgraduate level has been measured. In 2008, ECU is set to raise the bar with the introduction of its Security Management Master Class (SMMC).

The SMMC is a five day intensive live-in program specifically designed for Security Middle Managers who demonstrate potential for Senior Management roles and or Senior Security Managers. This is a highly competitive program requiring all applicants to present a case for their inclusion in the program.

Participants completing the program will demonstrate advanced leadership and professional knowledge of physical security systems, risk, crisis management and the human factors aspects of security all within an ethical framework. Learning will be through exposure to international security experts, relevant case studies and participation in complex security problem solving exercise. Assessment will be continuous throughout the program and will focus on; research and analytical skills, written and oral presentations, and interpersonal and leadership skills.

At the conclusion of the program each participant will be provided a certificate of completion and a detailed independent assessment and evaluation of their performance. A copy of the assessment and evaluation will also be provided to the participants sponsor.

If participants choose, they can complete a series of post program writing tasks which will lead to the award of Graduate Certificate in Security Management.

The combination of our international facilitators together with ECU staff will provide a unique cross-section of experience and expertise, resulting in a security program of the highest standing. Each evening a guest speaker invited from the ranks of senior government and private sector institutions will recap and contextualise lessons learnt whilst providing an opportunity for networking and self reflection.

The international facilitators selected for this program include;

**Mary-Lynn Garcia CPP** of Sandia National Laboratories, USA. Mary-Lynn is an internationally acclaimed expert in the development and testing of physical security systems. She is also the author of a variety of leading texts on designing physical security systems her most recent being, "The Design and Evaluation of Physical Protection Systems, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed", 2008, published by Butterworth-Heinemann.

**Professor Edward Borodzicz**, Professor of Risk and Crisis Management at Portsmouth University, UK. Professor Borodzicz is an expert in the areas of risk and crisis management and business continuity and has published extensively in this field. His most recent book is, "Risk, Crisis and Security Management", 2005, published by John Wiley and Sons.

**Dr Craig Donald** from South Africa is an industrial psychologist with a specialist involvement in human factors in the security industry and in particular CCTV. He consults internationally in security management, is a specialist trainer in body language and incident behaviour in security applications, and is consulting editor for Hi-Tech Security Magazine on human factor issues.

**Dr Denis Osborne CMG** is an internationally renowned expert on governance and corruption. A former British High Commissioner to Malawi, he has published widely and is regularly appointed as a consultant to both governments and major NGO's to advise on issues of governance best practice, corruption and ethics.

The program will run from the **29<sup>th</sup> September through to the 3<sup>rd</sup> October** and places on the program will be strictly limited. The cost of the program is \$15,000 per participant, excluding GST and is fully inclusive of accommodation, catering and all tutoring costs.

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