



Rights Resource Network SA

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Rights Resource Network SA Media Contact List

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The [Rights Resource Network SA](#) is a volunteer-run collaboration that shares information and research among academics, community organisations and individuals who have a shared interest in protecting the human rights of South Australians. The Network has an inclusive membership structure. Over 350 members subscribe to our newsletters and communications, including peak community organisations, academics and legal experts.

The Rights Resource Network SA has a strong focus on information sharing and is keen to assist anyone in the South Australian community to better understand their human rights, whether and how they are protected and promoted in South Australia, and how individuals or communities can access their human rights, or advocate for improved rights protection.

The following individuals and organisations are part of the Rights Resource Network SA and would be pleased to assist with any media enquiries about the following rights issues.

Rights Resource Network SA Director, Dr Sarah Moulds, can also be contacted on 0401132544 and can help field general enquiries and make referrals.

Please note: We strongly encourage journalists to contact organisations representing those with lived experience and will endeavour to refer matters to such organisations wherever possible. We also acknowledge the authority of First Nations peoples and their representative bodies and will refer any enquiries related to Aboriginal rights to Aboriginal-led organisations wherever possible.

Rights Issue	Media Contact	Phone
Human Rights Act/Charter of Rights for SA	Dr Sarah Moulds or Recommend Natalie Wade, ALHR	Sarah 0401132544 Natalie 0413 174 195
Age of criminal responsibility (right to be treated as a child)	Recommend Shona Reid, Guardian for Children and Young People	<u>08 8226 8570</u>
Youth crime/crime prevention/sentencing issues	Emeritus Professor Rick Sarre	0407 431 077
Rights of adopted persons	Recommend Sharyn White	0438880635
Right to remove online content	Recommend Dr Collette Snowden	08 302 4474
Protection of journalist sources	Recommend Dr Collette Snowden	08 302 4474
Right for information to be corrected in media reporting	Recommend Dr Collette Snowden	08 302 4474
Right to anonymity in media reporting (when no crime is involved)	Recommend Dr Collette Snowden	08 302 4474
Uses and abuses of generative AI	Recommend Dr Collette Snowden	08 302 4474
Rights of Persons with Disabilities	Recommend Natalie Wade, ALHR SA and Disability Rights Expert	0413 174 195
Fair trial rights	Emeritus Professor Rick Sarre	0407 431 077
Right to die with dignity	Emeritus Professor Rick Sarre	0407 431 077



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Right to peaceful assembly/ protest/civil disobedience	Dr Sarah Moulds or Professor Jennifer McKay UniSA	Sarah 0401132544 Jennifer 08 8302 0887
Freedom of speech	Dr Sarah Moulds or Professor Jennifer McKay UniSA	Sarah 0401132544 Jennifer 08 8302 0887
Freedom of thought, conscience and religious belief	Emeritus Professor Rick Sarre	0407 431 077
Right to equality (LGBTIQA+ rights)	Recommend SARAA	info@saraa.org.au
Rights of older persons	Recommend COTA	0402 358 000
Right not to be abused in a correctional or police setting	Emeritus Professor Rick Sarre	0407 431 077
Freedom from torture /right to humane treatment in closed facilities	Recommend Dr Laura Grenfell	<u>08 8313 5777</u>
Right to privacy /protection of personal information	Recommend Emeritus Professor Rick Sarre	0407 431 077
Right to an interpreter	Recommend ALRM / Chris Charles	<u>(08) 8113 3777</u>
Right to Housing	Recommend Dr Alice Clark, Shelter SA	0425 0606 49
Right to Social Security	Recommend Sue Tilley SACOSS	08 8305 4222
Right to Water	Recommend: Professor Jennifer McKay UniSA	08 8302 0887
Right to equal access to health care/mental health care	Recommend LELAN	<u>0431 953 526</u>
Children's Rights	Recommend Children's Commissioner Helen Connolly or YACSA	Commissioner <u>08 8226 3355</u> YACSA 08 8211 7546
Women's Rights	Recommend Zonta SA	Jennifer Foreman 0409 693 182.
Gender-based violence	Recommend Zonta SA	Jennifer Foreman 0409 693 182.
Work rights/equal pay	Recommend Working Women's Centre	<u>(08) 8410 6499</u>
Right to Clean and Healthy Environment	Recommend: Professor Jennifer McKay UniSA	08 8302 0887