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### Master the art of effective communication at MTC's Presentation Workshops

Need your top executives to shine under the spotlight? MTC offers exclusive presentation workshops hosted by experienced actors and theatre practitioners - the perfect option for your next corporate training or team-building day.

MTC understands that every business is different and will have varying needs when it comes to training, which is why Presentation Workshops can be customised to suit your company's needs.

#### OVERVIEW

Learn the art of effective communication at MTC's Presentation Workshops.

Hosted in the heart of Melbourne's Arts Precinct, our insightful program helps develop skills such as how to connect with an audience, present with relaxed confidence, and create a meaningful dialogue.

Participants learn skills that Australia's best live performers use every day to maximise audience engagement and create an inspirational atmosphere that will generate conversation.

Our one-day workshops provide an intimate opportunity to hear from an MTC actor, who will share their experiences and knowledge of how to connect with an audience.

Participants will work on a pre-prepared presentation, incorporating new skills as throughout the day, culminating in the unique opportunity to present on a professional stage at Southbank Theatre.





#### WORKSHOP BENEFITS

MTC's Presentation Workshops will provide your executive and sales teams with the skills needed to give passionate and inspirational presentations. Benefits include:

- Understanding of effective presentation skills
- Ability to create dialogue with your audience
- Tools to manage nerves
- An understanding of your vocal strengths and challenges
- Increased confidence in front of an audience

#### PACKAGE DETAILS:

- Full day workshop facilitated by an industry professional
- Intimate presentation and Q&A with an MTC actor
- Opportunity to present on a professional stage at Southbank Theatre
- Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea
- Take home course material

#### PRICE ON ENQUIRY

"It's not often that anyone can capture our attention for more than an hour, but that's how engaging this workshop was. [...] It was hugely beneficial for everyone in attendance and we're looking forward to undertaking another workshop soon." - Tanya Simpson, Integration & Marketing Director, Nova Entertainment





### Example Workshop Schedule

1. Introduction	Objectives of the day and using theatrical skills to enhance presentations.
2. Presentation 1	Pre-prepared 2 minutes "what is my role in my organisation?"
3. Presenting as Dialogue - Part I	"My speaking doesn't automatically imply your listening" - understanding that presenting is a dialogue not a monologue. Using space, energy and body to create engagement.
4. Managing Nerves	Fight, flight or freeze: the physiology of stress. Troubleshooting - on the day.
5. Inviting Being Seen	Inviting Being Seen. Three circles of energy.
BREAK - Morning tea	
6. Voice	Breath, Sound and Rhythm. Telling the Story of your voice.
7. Insight and Inspiration	MTC actor in conversation.
BREAK - Lunch	
8. Warm up	Get the blood flowing after lunch!
9. Presenting as Dialogue - Part II	Why do we present in person? Identifying what you want. - Factual objectives: What do I want them to do? - Emotional objectives: What do I want them to feel? Authenticity.
10. Identifying your Audience	What does the audience want from you? Preparation for future presentations - researching your audience.
BREAK - Afternoon tea	
11. Presentation 2 (On Southbank Theatre stage)	Coaching. Each person presents their reworked 2 minute presentation focusing on one skill element from the day. Feedback on the day.

#### Contact

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