

World Congress for People who Stutter



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The Image of Success



View of Perth and a natural rock bridge near Albany

Highlights:

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Everyone who participated in the conference had a chance to get on their feet and speak publicly in front of an audience, often for the first time. It allowed people to face their fears and achieve something that many of them thought impossible

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A magical mix of ideas, enthusiasm and commitment to making the world a better place for people who stutter

The World Congress for People Who Stutter is held every 3 years. In February 2004 it was held in Australia. The world congress brought together people from all around the world, allowing them to share their experiences, their knowledge and their enthusiasm for helping overcome or live successfully with their stutter.

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The World Congress ran like clockwork with everything as it should be. It had a mix of concurrent sessions, keynote speakers and workshops that offered something for everyone. The feedback overwhelmingly praised the organizer for the quality and variety of the program.

Delegates enjoyed Australia immensely, finding it had a mixture of history, multiculturalism, numerous restaurants and cafes and very affordable accommodation. The beach and the fishing harbour were seen as an added bonus to the congress.

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