



Clear Horizon

Most Significant Change Technique

Two day workshop
Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th of September 2005



Monitoring without indicators is here!!

Purpose the workshop:

- To understand what MSC is
- To design an MSC Process for your project

Who should attend

Anyone wanting to know more about this emerging technique. It is for both beginners and those more experienced in monitoring and evaluation. MSC has been successfully applied in development contexts as well as the Australian public sector. MSC works particularly well for complex, participatory, social change interventions.

Course description:

MSC is a powerful tool for monitoring, evaluation and organisation learning. MSC goes beyond merely capturing and documenting beneficiary stories. Each story is accompanied by the storyteller's interpretation, and after review, the stories are also accompanied by the reviewers' interpretation. This technique is a great way for project teams and organisations to capture evidence of impact and make sense of it. The first day of this workshop is aimed at helping participants to understand how the technique works, its strengths and weaknesses and how it complements other monitoring and evaluation tools. The second day focuses on implementation, and participants will be invited to develop a plan for how they can implement MSC for their project.

About the facilitator:

Dr Jess Dart will facilitate this workshop. Jess heads a consulting group 'Clear Horizon', and is one of only two consultants (worldwide) who provide workshops and consultancy on MSC. As well as holding a PhD on this topic, Jess has extensive experience in implementing and training others in MSC. Jess has coached several diverse groups in MSC; these include development projects in PNG, Bougainville, Samoa, Vanuatu and Fiji, and community development projects in Victoria, Australia. In addition to this, Jess has run MSC workshops for diverse range of sectors including; research and development education, international health, overseas development, women's leadership, and natural resource management.

About the venue:

IDSS, Melbourne
32 Lincoln Square, North Carlton
The venue is wheelchair accessible and has toilets for people with disabilities.

Dates and fee:

Dates: Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th September 2005
Fee: \$800 for the two day course. This includes the MSC manual and other course materials, lunch, morning and afternoon tea.

Bursaries - If you would benefit from our training but can not make the full financial commitment, please contact [Jo Leddy](mailto:JoLeddy@clearhorizon.com.au) to arrange for a bursary application.

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