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## **New @ ACSA**

### **NEW AIDS Council President**

Craig Sargent is the new President of the AIDS Council of SA (ACSA). Craig became the new president after the recent resignation of Peter Coombes.

Before becoming President, Craig was ACSA Vice President. Craig brings a business background to his new role: his relevant professional experience includes implementing change in organisational policies and procedures, particularly focussing on accountability at the board and management level.

Craig has been a member of the ACSA Board since January 2007, and involved in ACSA activities (particularly fund-raising) since 2005.

### **NEW Fundraising and Events Co-Ordinator**

Peter Coombes is ACSA's new Fundraising and Events Co-Ordinator.

Peter was, until recently, President of ACSA, serving almost two terms in that role.

Peter brings with him almost two years experience as Project Manager for Bennier Fundraising Management, where he raised upwards of \$2 million for not for profit and other charitable organisations such as the Botanic Gardens, 150 Appeal and St Hilarion Aged Care Building Appeal.

Peter's duties also entailed organising events from pledging lunches for 30 to a gala dinner for 700 guests.