

## **Mining Industry Skills Centre Inc.**

### **Adult Learners' Week 2009 DVD**

In June this year, the Mining Industry Skills Centre received funding from the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations to create a DVD for national Adult Learners' Week 2009 (1-8 September).

The DVD, **Skilling For The Future: Securing Australia's Resources Industry**, highlights the benefits and career-enhancing potential of adult learning, through showcasing the available pathways for progression within the resources industry. It is aimed at adults looking for a career change or wanting to re-enter the workforce.

During the first two weeks of August, our interviewer and cameraperson travelled to ten different sites throughout Queensland to interview fourteen adult learning success stories. From this, we have created an inspirational DVD that is 15 minutes in length, and features interviews with eight people currently working in the industry, from Operator and Trainee roles through to Superintendent and Senior Site Executive roles. We have also created a 90-second promotional clip of the DVD, which is currently available on the internet.

The DVD will be distributed to a wide range of people, including industry groups and Registered Training Organisations. For more information and to order a free copy of **Skilling for the Future: Securing Australia's Resources Industry**, please visit the Mining Industry Skills Centre website at [www.miskillscentre.com.au](http://www.miskillscentre.com.au) and click on Workforce Planning initiatives.