



Preliminary Program*

All sessions and functions will be held at Sydney Novotel Brighton Beach.

Tuesday 29 October

2:00pm – 6:00pm	<p>Elective Workshops and Masterclasses</p> <p>A selection of workshops and masterclasses, each 100 minutes in duration, will be available to FULL conference delegates. Watch this space for updates.</p> <p>MASTERCLASS 1: Engaging in Indigenous and Culturally Diverse Environments (100 minutes) <i>Presented by IAP2 Australasia Trainer, Michelle Feenan</i></p>
5:30pm – 6:30pm	Young and Emerging Professionals Mixer
6:00pm – 8:00pm	Welcome Reception

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Wednesday 30 October

8:40am-10:30am	Conference Opening With special guest keynote presenter, Julia Suh from Small Shift.			
10:30am – 11:15am	Morning Tea			
11:15-12:30pm	Young people don't give a sh1t, why should we? <i>Melissa Yee, Janine Lyon and Siobhan Butler (Capire), Sam Champion (Youth Affairs Council Victoria)</i>	Unlocking the Value of Local Connections- Relationship Based Engagement <i>Carolyn Wallace, (Swinburne University)</i>	Going Deeper Together Joel Levin, IAP2 Trainer and Aha Consulting	PLAYZONE SESSION: Gamification: Expanding your digital engagement toolkit to enable greater participation <i>Melissa Cordy, Alicia Pickering (Melbourne Water)</i>
12:30pm – 1:30pm	Lunch			
1:30pm – 2:45pm	Cross Cultural Engagement - The Aboriginal Males Healing Centre Development <i>Geoffrey Barker, Devon Cuimara (Aboriginal Males Healing Centre)</i>	Youth Engagement <i>Phoebe Schumacher, Sarah Fabian (RPS)</i>		PLAYZONE SESSION: Public space engagement: Keeping place with civic participation <i>Catherine Atoms (Element)</i>
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Afternoon Tea			
3:00pm - 4:00pm	International Keynote Panel with UNESCAP “IAP2, United Nations and the Asia and the Pacific regions: unlocking engagement for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”			
4:00pm-5:00pm	IAP2 Australasia Annual General Meeting		Open Space Session – details to be advised	
7:00pm – 11:30pm	Core Values Awards Dinner			

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Thursday 31 October

8:00am – 9:00am	Open Space Session – details to be advised			
9:15am – 10:15am	Special guest Keynote Presenter			
10:15am – 10:45am	Morning Tea			
10:45am – 12noon	What do purpose and vulnerability have in common? <i>Nicole Walton (Aurecon)</i>	Mingle: Creating vibrant communities, building genuine neighbourhood connections & the tips to get you there <i>Jody Gleeson, Suburban Land Agency, ACT</i>	Best Practice Community Engagement: How do we know what "best" really means? <i>Dr Kirsty Jones, Assoc Prof Sara Bice, Alicia Pickering (Melbourne Water)</i>	PLAYZONE SESSION: Empowering the community through art - workshop <i>Leesa Merrett, Mark Haynes (Lower Murray Water)</i>
12:00 -1:00pm	Lunch			
1:00pm – 2:15pm	Walking together: a journey of sharing, learning and building trust <i>Lauren Harding and Joel Steller, GHD; and Jo Anne Rey, Julie Bukari Jones and Michelle Locke from the Dharug Strategic Management Group (DSMG)</i>	Selling a Dream <i>Julie Boucher, Aimee Brock (Just Add Lime), Ashlie Carlyle (Beca)</i>	Feel the burn! Managing burnout as a community engagement practitioner <i>Rebecca Spencer</i>	PLAYZONE SESSION: Collaborative techniques for crowdsourcing innovation <i>Richard Davies & team at NSW Office of Environment and Heritage</i>
2:15pm - 2:30pm	Afternoon Tea			
2:30pm – 3:45pm	Data security and ditching the spreadsheet <i>Sarah-Jane Dabarera (Cannings Purple), Allison Hendricks, (Darzin & Simply Stakeholders)</i>	Let's Talk Local: a place-based engagement approach <i>Alison Chisholm, Central Coast Council</i>	Planning for future engagement techniques <i>Julie Spencer, Kate Thomas (Infrastructure Advisory Group)</i>	
3:45pm – 4:00pm	Conference Energiser and Close			

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