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WHAT'S ON AT IPAA



IPAA ACT | 20 JULY

STATES OF MIND | MENTAL HEALTH IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR

Hear distinguished panellists Dr Steven Kennedy PSM, Professor Patrick McGorry AO and Professor Pat Dudgeon, share their mental health experiences and work on improving and strengthening the public sector and the outcomes for the Australian community. [More >>>](#)



IPAA ACT | 5 AUGUST

SECRETARY SERIES WITH DAVID FREDERICKS PSM

David Fredericks PSM, Secretary of the Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources, will deliver his first *Secretary Series* keynote address. [More >>>](#)



IPAA ACT | 31 AUGUST

WHO WANTS TO BE THE NEXT OMBUDSMAN? HINTS FOR POTENTIAL APPLICANTS

IPAA ACT is pleased to host a Valedictory Address by Michael Manthorpe PSM, the Commonwealth Ombudsman, who will be retiring from his role at the end of July. [More >>>](#)



IPAA VICTORIA | 2 JULY

THE FUTURE OF WORK, WORKER AND WORKPLACE

This workshop explores hybrid work models that build a culture of adaptability and deliver outcomes for people and communities. Participants experience Deloitte's five phase Innovation by Design approach on fostering innovation within the public sector. [More >>>](#)



IPAA NEW SOUTH WALES | 14 JULY

DAILY BRIEFING: SECRETARY AND MINISTER

The first in a series of discussions, The Hon Victor Dominello MP, Minister for Customer Service, and Emma Hogan, Secretary, NSW Department of Customer Service, will discuss how the unique working relationship between a Minister and Secretary functions in practice. [More >>>](#)



22-23 JULY | HYATT HOTEL, CANBERRA

Join the Hon Ben Morton MP, Assistant Minister to the Prime Minister and Cabinet, and an exceptional line-up of industry leaders, academics, State and Commonwealth regulators and policy makers, for the inaugural *Regulatory Reform: Supporting Business Investment and Growth* conference. Speakers will cover topics on regulator culture and collaboration, stewardship and designing best practice regulation, RegTech, and business perspectives on improving Australia's regulatory environment. The conference is a must for policy makers and regulators across the public sector. [Program now available >>>](#)

WORK WITH PURPOSE



UPCOMING EPISODES

NAIDOC WEEK SPECIAL

MONDAY 5 JULY

Ray Griggs AO CSC | Chief Executive Officer, National Indigenous Australians Agency

Letitia Hope | Deputy Chief Executive Officer, National Indigenous Australians Agency

Justine O'Brien | President, International Association of Business Communicators

LEADING THROUGH A CRISIS

MONDAY 19 JULY

Dr Ken Henry AC | Former Secretary, The Treasury

Dr David Gruen | Australian Statistician, Australian Bureau of Statistics

REFLECTIONS FROM THE CHIEF ACT HEALTH OFFICER

MONDAY 2 AUGUST

Dr Kerryn Coleman | Chief Health Officer, ACT Health

LATEST EPISODE

PUTTING A STOP TO INTERNATIONAL COUNTERFRAUD

This episode brings unique perspectives and approaches to international counter fraud, with a focus on UK, New Zealand and Australia. Guests include Julie Read, Director and Chief Executive at the Serious Fraud Office in New Zealand, Mark Cheeseman OBE, Director of the UK Government Counter Fraud Function, and Andrew Walter, First Assistant Secretary at the Integrity and Security Division at the Attorney-General's Department [Listen to the podcast or read the transcript >>>](#)

NEWS AND RESOURCES



2021 INTERGENERATIONAL REPORT

The Treasurer has just released the 2021 Intergenerational Report, which projects an outlook for the economy and the Australian Government's budget over the next 40 years. It examines the long-term sustainability of current policies and how demographic, technological and other structural trends may affect the economy and the budget. [More >>>](#)



HEAL COUNTRY! | NAIDOC WEEK RESOURCES NOW AVAILABLE

NAIDOC Week celebrations are held across Australia each July to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. Online resources are now available for this year's [National NAIDOC Week](#), from 4-11 July. [More >>>](#)



SIMON ATKINSON PRESENTATION NOW AVAILABLE

Last week IPAA ACT hosted a *Secretary Series* event with Simon Atkinson, Secretary of the Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications. Watch the video and read the transcript of his presentation, titled *On Service, Professional Development, Systems Leadership and Global Reopening*. [More >>>](#)



THE HAZARDS OF A 'NICE' ORGANISATIONAL CULTURE

The intention behind cultivating a nice culture is often genuine. Leaders believe they're doing a good thing that will motivate people and create inclusion, but often it results in a lack of honest communication, intellectual bravery, innovation, and accountability. This HBR article offers four tactics to combat a culture of toxic niceness. [More >>>](#)

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We acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of country throughout Australia, and their continuing connection to land, sea and community. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.