# ABOUT IPAA ACT

IPAA ACT is focused on the promotion of excellence and professionalism in public administration. It is a non-profit and non-partisan organisation that works in partnership with the public sector, the private sector, academia and other institutions, to provide a platform for debate and discussion about improving and striving for excellence in public administration in Australia.

Our members include all current Commonwealth Departments, the ACT Public Service, a range of other public and private corporate members and individual members. Collectively, our membership base represents over 150,000 professionals in public administration.

Our organisation offers a series of events, programs, awards and development initiatives to promote public administration and the professionalism of the sector and its employees.

IPAA ACT is governed by a Council consisting of senior leaders from across our membership, led by a current departmental secretary.

# ENGAGEMENT & EVENTS

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#### **CONFERENCE HOST**

Glenys Beauchamp PSM President, IPAA ACT and Secretary, Department of Industry and Science

## 9.00AM

### **CONFERENCE COMMENCES**

### 9.30AM-10.45AM

### **SESSION 1: MAKING THE PUBLIC SERVICE GREAT**

How can the public service continue to improve and deliver big reforms? This conversation will seek perspectives from the heads of both the Australian Public Service and the ACT Public Service, and from commercial and private sector representatives.



Chair:

George Megalogenis

Iournalist.

Commentator & Author



Michael Thawley AO Secretary, Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet



Kathy Leigh Kate Carnell AO Head of Service and CEO, Australian Chamber of Director-General, ACT Government Commerce and Industry

### 10.45AM-11.15AM MORNING TEA

### 11.15AM-12.30PM

#### **SESSION 2: COLLABORATING FOR PERFORMANCE**

This conversation will explore how government, private, community sectors and the public can all work together to improve excellence in service delivery. Our panellists will share their experience and insights on how we might collaborate to deliver outstanding outcomes to our clients.



Chair: Mark Evans Director. Institute for Governance and Policy Analysis



Renée Leon PSM Secretary. Department of Employment

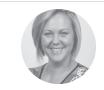


Emma Thomas

Project Director.

Capital Metro,

ACT Government



Michelle Melbourne Co-Founder and Executive Director, Intelledox Australia



**CONFERENCE CHAIR** Carmel McGregor PSM FIPAA

Deputy President, IPAA ACT

# 12.30PM-1.30PM

# LUNCH

## 1.30PM-2.45PM

#### SESSION 3: CAPABILITY AND CAPACITY FOR REFORM

The public sector has a proud tradition of delivering major reforms in an ever-changing landscape. This conversation will discuss how to build on this tradition of success while learning from mistakes, learning from others, and embracing new ideas and technology.



Cath Ingram FIPAA

Office Chairman,

KPMG Canberra







The Hon. John Lloyd PSM Australian Public Service Commissioner

Graeme Head NSW Public Service Commissioner

Penny Armytage FIPAA President Elect. IPAA National

### 2.45PM-3.15PM AFTERNOON TEA

# 3.15PM-3.45PM

## REFLECTIONS

George Megalogenis, Mark Evans and Cath Ingram reflect on the conversations held throughout the IPAA ACT 2015 Conference.

### 3.45PM-3.50PM

#### **SUMMATION**

George Megalogenis

### 3.50PM-4.00PM

**CLOSE OF CONFERENCE** 

Glenys Beauchamp PSM, President, IPAA ACT