

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
*Journalist,
Commentator & Author*



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



Kathy Leigh
*Head of Service and
Director-General,
ACT Government*



Kate Carnell AO
*CEO,
Australian Chamber of
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.



Chair:
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