

## IPAA ACT NEWS AND EVENTS DECEMBER 2016



Hi First Name

Welcome to our final newsletter of the year - a bumper edition featuring content from the [IPAA ACT Conference](#), two Secretary Series addresses with [Heather Smith PSM](#) and [Dennis Richardson AO](#), the [BETA panel](#) and the [Annual Address to the APS](#) with Dr Martin Parkinson PSM.

Next week will be our last event for the year, when we welcome Alastair MacGibbon, the Special Adviser to the Prime Minister on Cyber Security, and David W Kalisch, the Australian Statistician, to present [reflections on the lessons learned from the Census 2016](#).

It's been a great year for IPAA with strong growth - including record engagement of 7,500+ people attending programs and events this year.

Looking ahead, we have opened bookings for the first three events for 2017, which will include an address from the [AFP Commissioner](#), a partnered event with the APSC to [announce the BRANDit winner](#) and our [International Women's Day](#) event.

The team here at IPAA all wish you a safe, enjoyable and relaxing festive season. Thanks for your support throughout 2016 and we look forward to seeing you at an IPAA program or event next year.

Regards

[Drew Baker](#)

CEO, IPAA ACT

### FEATURE EVENT AND VIDEO



#### [Annual Address to the APS](#)

Tuesday 6 December, National Portrait Gallery

Dr Martin Parkinson PSM, Secretary of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, provided the 'Annual Address to the APS' to a capacity crowd earlier this week.

[Transcript of the address - PM&C website](#)

[Video package of address and Q&A - 47 minutes](#)



2016 Annual Address to the APS



## RECENT EVENT VIDEOS



### [Secretary Series: Dennis Richardson AO](#)

Monday 21 November, National Portrait Gallery

Dennis Richardson AO, Secretary of the Department of Defence, provided a public address to IPAA at a Secretary Series event in November.

[Video package of address and Q&A - duration 58 minutes](#)



### [Secretary Series: Dr Heather Smith PSM](#)

Thursday 27 October, National Portrait Gallery

Dr Heather Smith PSM, Secretary of the Department of Communications and the Arts, provided a public address on digital disruption to IPAA at a Secretary Series event in October.

[Video package of address - duration 27 minutes](#)



### [Behavioural Economics by Default](#)

Thursday 24 November, Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia

IPAA partnered with the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet to present a panel on Behavioural Economics in the public sector.

[Video highlights package - duration 3 minutes](#)

[Video package of entire event - duration 1 hour 9 minutes](#)

## IPAA ACT 2016 CONFERENCE



### [Prime Minister's Awards for Excellence](#)

Wednesday 9 November, National Portrait Gallery

An evening function recognised the winners for the [2016 Prime Minister's Awards for Excellence in Public Sector Management](#), presented by Senator the Hon Arthur Sinodinos AO, the Cabinet Secretary.

[Video highlights package - 2 minutes](#)



### [IPAA ACT Conference](#)

Thursday 10 November, Hotel Realm

A resource page is available on the IPAA ACT web site that includes video highlight packages from all four panels, along with full length videos and transcripts for each conference panel session.

[IPAA conference resources page](#)

## 2017 EVENTS



### [Commissioner of the AFP](#)

Thursday 9 February, National Portrait Gallery

IPAA ACT will host Andrew Colvin APM OAM, the Commissioner of the Australian Federal Police, to present an address and conversation about diversity in the AFP, following the report [Cultural Change: Gender Diversity and Inclusion in the Australian Federal Police](#).



### [Unlocking Potential and BRANDit](#)

Thursday 23 February, National Gallery of Australia

In partnership with the APSC, IPAA will discuss the '[Unlocking Potential](#)' report and announce the winner of the [BRANDit competition](#). This event will focus on progress in the year since the release of the report, with three departments pitching their success to the audience.



## [Women in Leadership, Championing the Change](#)

Friday 3 March, National Gallery of Australia

In celebration of International Women's Day in 2017, we are pleased to welcome two speakers to this event, Senator the Hon Michaelia Cash, Minister for Women, and Lieutenant General Angus John Campbell DSC AM, Chief of Army and a Male Champion of Change.

### PHOTOS - BEHAVIOURAL ECONOMICS BY DEFAULT

IPAA and the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet partnered to deliver a discussion on [Behavioural Economics by Default](#). Speakers included (left to right, top photo) Professor Michael Hiscox, Renée Leon PSM, Mary Ann O'Loughlin AM and Dr Rory Gallagher. The event included a keynote by Professor Hiscox followed by a panel discussion, in front of a capacity crowd.



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