



IPAA ACT NEWS AND EVENTS

FEBRUARY 2020



Good morning

Welcome to IPAA's first newsletter for 2020.

It's been quite a start to the year between the disasterous fires over Christmas, the Canberra hail and the current fires to our south. It's left many of us with a feeling of unease, hoping for some better months ahead. Many of you are also impacted by the current departmental consolidation, the most sizeable change to the APS for many years.

We have a few good events over the coming months, including our flagship [International Women's Day Breakfast](#), where we are pleased to welcome Senator the Hon Linda Reynolds CSC, the Minister for Defence, to provide the keynote address. We're also looking forward to welcoming Rosemary Huxtable PSM for our first Secretary Series address for 2020.

Our IPAA ACT Conference is on Tuesday 31 March and we have recently opened ticket sales. Click here to view the [conference website](#) for the program and speaker line-up.

On a general note, we're currently recruiting with two roles to fill, see below if you or anyone you know might be interested!

Drew Baker
Chief Executive Officer
IPAA ACT

UPCOMING EVENTS



IPAA NATIONAL 40TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION TUESDAY 18 FEBRUARY - OLD PARLIAMENT HOUSE

IPAA is pleased to host the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, His Excellency General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd), at an event to commemorate the 40th anniversary of IPAA National. Please note this [event](#) is by invitation only.



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY BREAKFAST TUESDAY 25 FEBRUARY - GREAT HALL, PARLIAMENT HOUSE

IPAA is pleased to host an *International Women's Day* breakfast event featuring a keynote presentation by Senator the Hon Linda Reynolds CSC, Minister for Defence, followed by a conversation with Greg Moriarty, Secretary of the Department of Defence. More information on our [website](#).



SECRETARY SERIES | ROSEMARY HUXTABLE PSM FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY - NATIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY

The first *Secretary Series* address for 2020 will see a keynote address by Rosemary Huxtable PSM, Secretary of the Department of Finance. More information on our [website](#).



THE PROMISE OF DATA IN GOVERNMENT WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH - NATIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY

Join IPAA and Dr David Gruen, the recently appointed Australian Statistician, for a discussion on the future of data in the public service. Further details on our [website](#).

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31 MARCH | HOTEL REALM, BARTON

DELIVERING FOR ALL AUSTRALIANS THE EVOLVING PUBLIC SERVICE



Andrew Penn
CEO, Telstra



Emma Hogan
NSW Secretary of
Customer Service



Dr Steven Kennedy PSM
IPAA ACT President and
Secretary, The Treasury



Maile Carnegie
ANZ Group Executive, Digital &
Australia Transformation



Martin Hoffman
CEO, National Insurance
Disability Scheme



Peter Woolcott AO
Australian Public Service
Commissioner

Registrations for the IPAA ACT 2020 Conference are now open!

The Conference, *Delivering for all Australians | The Evolving Public Service*, will offer discussions that reflect the appetite for broader public sector reform, and the spirit of service to evolve and adapt amidst constant change. More information on the [conference website](#).

NEWS AND INITIATIVES



JOIN THE IPAA TEAM!

SECONDMENT OR CONTRACT OPPORTUNITIES

Up for a new challenge for the new year? We are looking for two experienced and enthusiastic people to join our team in the 'Capability and Awards Manager' and the 'Reception and Office Administrator' roles. More information on our [website](#).



IPAA NEWS

40 YEARS OF IPAA NATIONAL

On 1 January 2020, the Institute of Public Administration Australia quietly reached a historic milestone — its 40th Anniversary as an independent national organisation. Read a news article on the milestone on the National [website](#).



RESOURCES | IPAA IN BRIEF

MACHINERY OF GOVERNMENT

In late 2019 there were some organisational and functional changes announced within the Commonwealth. Changing the way the public sector is organised provides both opportunities and challenges. Read more on our website [here](#).

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IPAA EVENT RESOURCES


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