



International  
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# **IIC Australian Chapter Membership**

**For Australia's expert advisory firms and representatives  
supporting the ICT and digital ecosystem**

# OUR HISTORY & PURPOSE

The IIC is regarded as the world's leading neutral policy platform for the ICT and digital ecosystem.

IIC members believe that the impact of technological innovation on society should be evaluated and discussed openly and that policy and regulation should both maximise the public interest and promote innovation and investment.

The IIC was established in 1969, and the Australian Chapter was incorporated in 1995. The IIC, and the Australian Chapter, have facilitated open balanced discussions in an era of constant digital disruption.

IIC Australian Chapter members can play a role in shaping a future from which all of society can benefit.





Online Harms and the Evolving Role of the eSafety Commissioner



Merger Reform – What's Next for Australia's TMT Sector?



The Future of Connectivity and Universal Service in Australia

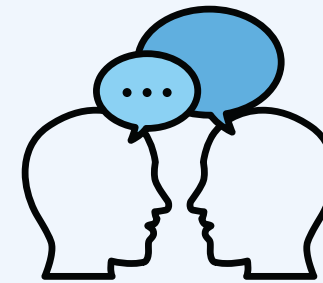


# BENEFITS OF IIC MEMBERSHIP



## **Insight: Opportunities to Learn and Educate**

The IIC is the only independent international forum where regulators, competition authorities, industry leaders, and end-user groups meet in a neutral setting to debate policy and exchange ideas.



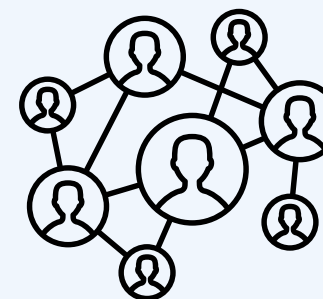
## **Exchange: Good Practice and Ideas**

The IIC's vision is a world where ICTs and the wider digital ecosystem are a positive driver of fair progress for people, the environment, the economy and cultures.



## **Impact: Opportunities to Build Trusted Relationships**

IIC members enjoy a unique opportunity to contribute to the debate on the central policy issues of today and in the future.



## **Networking: Connect with Peers at Local and International Events**

IIC events provide the opportunity to meet and mingle with senior decision makers in academia, regulation, government and digital media and communications companies.



# AUSTRALIAN ACTIVITIES

The IIC Australian Chapter holds events in Sydney, Melbourne, and Canberra.





# INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES

The IIC has a large number of local and international events throughout the year that Australian Chapter members can participate in. These events include our:

- **Communications Policy & Regulation Week (CPRW)**
- **International Regulators' Forum, Digital Communications and Media Forum (DCMF)** - *one DCMF event is held in Asia-Pacific each year*
- **Chapter events in Australia, Brussels, Canada, Caribbean, France, Italy, Middle East & North Africa, Singapore, Africa, Thailand, UK, USA**

● Digital Communications and Media Forum (DCMF) ● Chapter Meetings ● Virtual Meetings



11TH - 12TH FEBRUARY 2025

Annual Asia Digital Communications and Media Forum 2025

**Location:** Seoul, South Korea



11TH FEBRUARY 2025

IIC Australia Chapter meeting – Digital Technology and Productivity: Balancing Regulation and Innovation

**Location:** Canberra, Australia



19TH FEBRUARY 2025

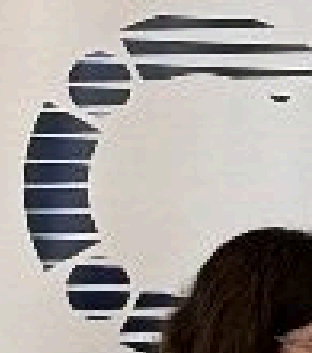
IIC Small Nations Regulators Forum – Dealing with Bad (but regulated) Actors

**Location:** Virtual



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- Express recognition of right to withdraw consent. Will not affect lawfulness of processing prior to withdrawal
- Privacy by default in online privacy settings
- General requirement that collection, use and disclosure be "fair and reasonable"
- Privacy impact assessment required prior to high privacy risk projects
- Updated policy requirements
- Privacy officer required
- Record to be kept of purposes for which it will collect, use and disclose PI prior to collection

Putting Australian Reforms in Context: Exploring  
Global Perspectives and Challenges of Digital  
Advertising Regulation



# IIC MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

## International Industry Member

IIC Industry members are commercial businesses serving national markets across the ICT and digital ecosystem. They serve national markets or work in highly specialised niche parts of the digital economy.

## International Associate Member

Associate members join to meet new clients, catch up with existing clients and exchange views with a wide network of peers and specialists in a relaxed collegiate environment.

## Australian Chapter Member

Australian Chapter members join to catch up, learn and exchange views about the local and global ICT and digital ecosystem.



# IIC MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

## International Strategic Partners

Strategic Partners are influential, innovative, forward-looking contributors to the digital economy. They operate worldwide, serve global markets or offer professional advice across many parts of the ICT and digital ecosystem

Members include:





# AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER MEMBERS

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# ANNUAL IIC AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP

**\$1,650**



## FREE EVENTS TICKETS

2 x free attendance at each IIC Australian Chapter event for one year (average 4 events per year).

## MEMBER PROFILE & LOGO

Featured on the [IIC website](#) and the [IIC Australian Chapter website](#).

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Discounted attendance at annual conference.

## ROUNDTABLE EVENTS

Invitation to roundtable events when held.

## INTERMEDIA

Complimentary subscription to InterMedia, the IIC's quarterly journal.

## DCMF ASIA PACIFIC

Discounted attendance for DCMF in the Asia Pacific region. (2 free tickets then discounted tickets).

## INPUT

Opportunity to join the Australian Chapter committee to suggest speakers and host events.

## ACCESS TO LOCAL AND GLOBAL NETWORKS

Connect with international experts, industry and academia.



# OUR EVENTS

 **Bird & Bird**

## Online harms and the evolving role of the eSafety Commissioner

 **5TH MARCH 2024**

 **11.00 AM – 1.00 PM**  
REGISTER: 10.30 AM

 **BIRD & BIRD, LEVEL 22, 25 MARTIN PLACE, SYDNEY**

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER & PANELLIST**



**Julie Inman Grant**  
eSafety Commissioner

**PRE-RECORDED ADDRESS**




**Jenna Omassi**  
United Kingdom  
International Policy Manager,  
Online Safety Ofcom

**PANEL SPEAKERS**



**Jennifer Duxbury**  
Director of Regulatory  
Affairs, Policy & Research  
Digital Industry Group Inc.  
(DIGI)



**Ben Au**  
Manager of Public  
Policy, ANZ, Snap Inc.

Moderated by Julie Cheeseman & James Hoy,  
Partner & Special Counsel, Bird & Bird

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## MERGER REFORM: WHAT NEXT FOR AUSTRALIA'S TMT SECTOR?

 **17TH APRIL 2024**

 **12:30 – 2:30 PM**  
Includes light lunch after speakers

 **DEUTSCHE BANK PLACE, LEVEL 28, 126 PHILLIP ST, SYDNEY**

**CONFIRMED SPEAKERS**



**Michelle Lim**  
Telecommunications  
Industry Expert



**Rod Sims**  
Member of the Competition  
Review Expert Advisory Panel



**Marcus Bezzi**  
Chief Advisor, Competition  
Taskforce, Commonwealth Treasury



**Stephen Ridgeway**  
Commissioner, ACCC

Moderated by Carolyn Oddie, Partner, Allens

 **QLP**  
QUAY LAW PARTNERS

## DP-REG UPDATE

*A conversation with members of the Digital Platform Regulators Forum*

**Confirmed Speakers**



**Gina Cass-Gottlieb**  
Chair, ACCC



**Nerida O'Loughlin**  
Chair, ACMA



**Julie Inman Grant**  
eSafety Commissioner



**Carly Kind**  
Privacy Commissioner, OAIC

 **4 October 2024**  
1.30pm-3.00pm AEST  
Light lunch served

 **Dexus Place**  
Level 15, 1 Farrer Place, Sydney

Moderated by  
**Dave Poddar**  
Partner, Quay Law Partners

 **CLAYTON UTZ**

## The Future of Connectivity and Universal Service in Australia

 **5TH SEPT 2024**  
Thursday

 **12:30 – 2:30 PM**  
Includes light lunch

 **CLAYTON UTZ**  
Level 15, 1 Bligh St, Sydney

**Confirmed Speakers**

**Keynote**



**Hon Alannah MacTiernan**  
Chair, 2024 Regional  
Telecommunications  
Review



**Chris Woolford**  
Director of International  
Spectrum Policy, Ofcom  
Via pre-recorded video



**Luke Coleman**  
Head of Government &  
Corporate Affairs, Vocus  
Incoming CEO, Comms  
Alliance



**Gareth Downing**  
Deputy Chief Executive  
Officer, ACCAN

Moderated by Kirsten Webb  
Partner, Clayton Utz

 **JOHNSON WINTER SLATTERY**

## Putting Australian Reforms in Context: Exploring Global Perspectives and Challenges of Digital Advertising Regulation



**Anthony Katsur**  
CEO of IAB Tech Lab



**Daniel Knapp**  
Chief Economist, IAB Europe



**Alexander Smith**  
Head of Corporate Affairs,  
Knowledge & Information, Google



**Sophie Dawson**  
Partner, Johnson Winter Slattery



**Sarah Waladan**  
Director of Legal & Policy, IAB  
Australia

**Tuesday, 19 November 2024 | 12.00pm – 2.00pm**  
Light lunch served from 12pm – 12:30pm  
**Johnson Winter Slattery, Quay Quarter Tower, Level 14/50 Bridge St, Sydney**



# OUR COMMITTEE

## EXECUTIVE



**Angela Flannery**  
President



**Michael Coonan**  
Vice President




**Debra Richards**  
Treasurer



**Jo Ryan**  
Secretary


## COMMITTEE

- **Rebecca Dunn** – Gilbert + Tobin
- **Sarah Mackie** – Australian Communications and Media Authority
- **James Konidaris** – Squire Patton Boggs
- **Jane Mulligan** – Screen Producers Australia
- **Sarah Alderson** – nbn™, Australia
- **Tim Webb** – Clayton Utz
- **Ian Robertson AO** – Holding Redlich



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