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# IIC Australian Chapter Membership

Membership is open to expert advisory firms and representatives like industry groups supporting Australia's digital ecosystem.

# OUR HISTORY & PURPOSE

The IIC is the only independent international forum that brings together national regulators, competition authorities, global commercial operators and end-user representatives in a collegiate, neutral environment to debate policy issues.

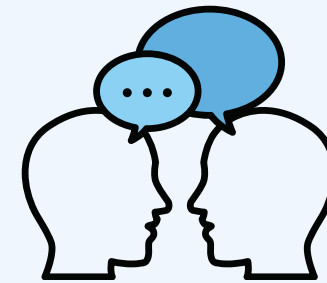
The Australian Chapter is intent on facilitating informed Australian choices in the face of these global realities.

# 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.



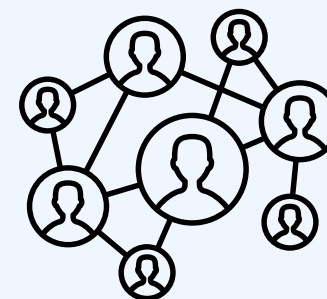
## Exchange: Good Practice and Ideas

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.



**Stopping Scams at the Source: Australia's World-Leading Prevention Framework in Action**



**Securing the Sustainability of News and Journalism in Australia**



**Roundtable Discussion: Harnessing Data & Digital Technology**



**Digital Technology and Productivity: Balancing Regulation and Innovation**



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# DP REG UPDATE 2025

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# IIC CHAPTERS

IIC Chapters play a vital role for the IIC, they are an extension of the IIC (and its mission) and provide an important function with the engagement of members by offering a domestic programme of meetings and events.

The Chapter programme allows for discussion about local or regional insights, issues, distinctions to global challenges and international comparatives.

<https://www.iicom.org/chapters>

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# IIC MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

## IIC STRATEGIC PARTNERS

IIC Partners are influential, innovative, forward-looking contributors to the digital economy. These members operate worldwide, serve global markets, or offer professional advice across many parts of the digital ecosystem. [Learn more.](#)

## IIC INDUSTRY MEMBER

IIC Industry Members are commercial businesses serving national and/or international markets across the digital ecosystem. They range from fintech specialists to content providers or telcos serving national markets or other businesses working in highly specialised parts of the digital economy. [Learn more.](#)

## IIC ASSOCIATE MEMBER

This level of corporate membership is for lawyers, economists, other consultants and professional service providers specialising in communications technology. [Learn more.](#)

## AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER MEMBER

Australian Chapter members come together to connect, learn, and exchange views on local and global ICT and digital developments. Membership is open to expert advisory firms and representatives like industry groups supporting Australia's digital ecosystem. [Learn more.](#)

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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.

## DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA FORUM 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

**Digital Technology and Productivity: Balancing Regulation and Innovation**

11 February, 2025 | 6.30 pm to 8.30 pm AEDT  
 Dame Enid Lyons Alcove, Parliament House Canberra

**Dr Adam Triggs**  
Partner, Mandala Partners

**Prof Johanna Weaver**  
Tech Policy Design Centre, ANU

**Alex Robson**  
Commissioner & Deputy Chair, Productivity Commission

**Luke Coleman**  
Chief Executive Officer, Communications Alliance

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**Securing the Sustainability of News and Journalism in Australia**

Moderated by **Ian Robertson AO**  
Partner and Chair, Holding Redlich

**Tuesday, 18 March 2025**  
**12.00pm - 1.45pm**  
 Light lunch served from 12pm - 12:30pm

**Holding Redlich**  
 Level 65/25 Martin Pl, Sydney

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**Julie Eisenberg**  
Author, Finding a way forward for Australian News

**Lenore Taylor**  
Editor, Guardian Australia

**Professor Allan Fels AO**  
Chair, PLJ

**George Siolis**  
Partner, RBB Economics

**DP-REG UPDATE 2025**

Wednesday **6 August 2025** | 12pm-2pm  
 Light lunch will be served

Gilbert + Tobin, Level 35, Tower Two, International Towers, 200 Barangaroo Avenue, Barangaroo

**Gina Cass-Gottlieb**  
Chair, ACCC

**Nerida O'Loughlin**  
Chair, ACMA

**Julie Inman Grant**  
eSafety Commissioner

**Carly Kind**  
Privacy Commissioner, OAIC

Moderated by **Rebecca Dunn**, Partner, Gilbert + Tobin

**Stopping Scams at the Source: Australia's World-Leading Prevention Framework in Action**

**11 November 2025 | 5:30pm to 8.00pm**  
 Allens, Deutsche Bank Place, Level 28, 126 Phillip St, Sydney

Includes networking, drinks & canapes

**JEREMY FENTON**  
Executive Manager, Unsolicited Communications and Scams Branch, ACMA

**CHRISTIANE GILLESPIE-JONES**  
Deputy CEO, ATA

**SUNITA BOSE**  
Managing Director, DIGI

**CAROL BENNETT**  
CEO, ACCAN

Moderated by **Isabelle Guyot**, Partner, Allens

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