

2025 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

21-22 OCTOBER | DOLTONE HOUSE, DARLING ISLAND

Overview

The Local Government Procurement (LGP) 2025 Annual Conference, themed Future Focused: 2026 and Beyond, will be held on 21-22 October 2025, at Doltone House Darling Island. It is a key event for procurement professionals and other buyers in NSW local government, offering strategic insights, networking opportunities, and exposure to emerging trends and technologies.

Link to event details: [Annual Conference – Local Government Procurement](#)

Strategic Allignment

Attendance supports organisational goals by:

- Enhancing future readiness of council's procurement function through sessions like "The Future of AI in Government" and "Global Research on the Future of Procurement".
- Promoting ethical and inclusive practices via talks and case studies on topics such as Economic Inclusion, and Modern Slavery.
- Strengthening organisational leadership through "Embedding Empathy into Culture to Drive Performance".
- Addressing risk and resilience in "Geopolitical Disruption to Local Government Supply Chains".

Professional Development

Delegates will gain:

- Access to cutting-edge research and practical case studies.
- Opportunities to engage with suppliers, sponsors, and peers.
- Insights from roundtables and panels that foster collaborative learning.
- Speaker slide decks will be provided post-event, enabling delegates to revisit content and share insights with colleagues.

ROI, and Cost Per Delegate tables can be found on the next page.

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Return on Investment

Benefit	Expected Impact
Knowledge Transfer Delegates will share insights and best practices with the broader team.	Improved procurement outcomes and strategic alignment.
Supplier Engagement Networking with exhibitors and sponsors may lead to enhanced supplier relationships.	Potential cost savings and service improvements.
Capability Building Exposure to modern tools and approaches (e.g., AI, data use in modern slavery) will enhance team capability.	Increased efficiency and compliance.
Policy Influence Participation in discussions around economic inclusion and ethical procurement may inform future policy development.	Stronger alignment with social and sustainability goals.

Cost Per Delegate

Item	Estimated Cost
Conference Registration: \$1,050 (until 31/08/25) \$1,300 (from 01/09/2025)	\$
Travel: Travel to Sydney, travel to venue	\$
Accommodation: 1 - 2 nights accommodation in Sydney	\$
Meals & Incidentals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, Snacks, Refreshments.	\$
Total Estimated Cost Per Delegate	\$

Note: Executive members attend free, and first-time attendees receive 50% off, when attending with a paying delegate.