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EVENT PROGRAM

DAY ONE | WEDNESDAY 27th November

10:30 19:00 REGISTRATION

Opal Cove Resort Foyer

12:15 12:45 TRADE AREA OPEN and LIGHT LUNCH SERVED

12:45 13:00 WELCOME TO COUNTRY

WELCOME FROM THE MAYOR City of Coffs Harbour

13:00 13:30 Digital Transformation Journey - Potholes, Bins, Lakes & Infrastructure

Presentation from Maitland City Council

13:30 14:45 What can Ai do today ?

► Julian Moore, Director - Strategic Membership Solutions

14:45 15:15 AFTERNOON TEA

15:15 16:30 HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Ai HOW - Your How to guide - Your questions answered live - BYOD

► Julian Moore, Director - Strategic Membership Solutions

17:00 18:55 WELCOME FUNCTION & trade exhibition at Opal Cove Resort

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18:55 19:00 WELCOME FUNCTION ADDRESS by Ethan Indigenous

19:00 21:30 WELCOME DINNER in Horizons Restaurant

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DAY TWO | THURSDAY 28th November

08:00 15:45 REGISTRATION

08:25 08:30 COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIR

08:30 09:00 From Insights to Impacts – Harnessing the Power of Data & Analytics in Local Government

► William Macpherson, Manager Business Improvement - Latrobe City Council

► Matt Buglisi, Director - GDATA

09:00 09:30 The 4 critical tipping points for a successful IT transformation

► Lou Markstrom, Author - Unleashing The Power of IT

09:30 09:35 DINNER SPONSOR ADDRESS Greg Yelas - ICT Networks

09:35 10:05 ★GOLD SPONSOR PRESENTATION: Enhancing Cyber Resilience in Local Government Councils

► Zlatko Hristov, CEO - ThreatDefence



10:05 10:45 MORNING TEA & TRADE EXHIBITION



DAY TWO | THURSDAY 28th November (*continued*)

10:45 11:30 ⌘ **KEYNOTE: The Evolving Threat Landscape**

Chris Mahon, Cyber Security Leader and Professional - Telstra

11:30 12:00 ★ **GOLD SPONSOR PRESENTATION: Local Government Transformation**

► Elias Attie, Managing Director - Cloud Context



12:00 12:45 **Fostering Synergy: Best Practices for Cultivating Effective Partnerships with Stakeholders Presentations and panel discussion**

► Sandra Cormack, CIO - Bundaberg Regional Council

12:45 13:45 **LUNCH & TRADE EXHIBITION**

13:45 14:45 ⌘ **KEYNOTE: How the ChatGPT revolution is changing work and business forever**

► Adam Spencer

14:45 15:15 **Modern Workplace Implementation**

► Danijel Andric, Chief Information Officer - Bayside Council

15:15 15:45 **AFTERNOON TEA & TRADE EXHIBITION**

STREAM ONE

15:45 16:15 **INNOVATION SHOWCASE: Presented by Wollongong City Council**

1. "Field of (Data) Dreams" Electronic Monitoring of Sports fields.

► Sam Single, Insights and Location Analytics Coordinator

16:15 16:45 **2. "From Application to the Grave" Digitally Visualising Memorial Gardens.**

► Matt Goganovski, Information Manager

3. Innovative Pool Management Solutions within TechnologyOne's OneCouncil ERP.

► Lillian Noyeaux, Service Partner Corporate (Acting)

STREAM TWO

Erp Implementation - Tech 1 Saas

► Jeff Jones, Manager Information System/ERP Project Manager - City of South Perth

Cybersecurity - where do you start when there's so much to do?

► Sharon Bowman, Manager, Technology & Transformation - Corporate Support Division - Hornsby Shire Council

16:45 **CLOSE OF DAY ONE**

18:30 22:00 **CONFERENCE DINNER FUNCTION** Sponsored by ICT Networks



**PACIFIC BAY RESORT SHUTTLE BUS, PLEASE MEET IN RECEPTION
DEPARTING AT 6.00PM AND 6.15PM - RETURN BUSES LEAVE FROM 9.30PM**



DAY THREE | FRIDAY 29th November

08:40 08:45 COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIR

08:45 09:15 NSW Planning portal

- ▶ Nerida Mooney, A/Executive Director Digital, Analytics & Insights - Corporate Services. NSW Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure

09:15 09:45 Transforming Local Government: Harnessing Generative AI through Human-Centered Design (and Town Planners!)

- ▶ Jan Spinder, Manager Information Services - Yarra Ranges Council

09:45 10:15 Cyber Security in the age of AI

- ▶ Abbas Kudrati, Customer Security Officer - Microsoft Australia

10:15 10:45 ★ GOLD SPONSOR PRESENTATION: Watershed Moment: Advancing Sustainability Through Digital Water Metrics

- ▶ Matthew Szymczak, CTO - Telstra
- ▶ David Peters, CEO - Taggle



10:45 11:15 MORNING TEA & TRADE EXHIBITION

11:15 11:30 PASSPORT DRAW

11:30 12:25 ⌘ KEYNOTE: Strategic Focus

- ▶ Alicia McKay - Local Government Strategy Expert

12:25 12:30 CLOSING COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIR

12:30 GRAB & GO LUNCH

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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Adam Spencer

Australian comedian and media personality

Adam Spencer was completing a PhD in Pure Mathematics when he happened to win the national Triple J Raw Comedy championship in 1996.

From there, a television and radio career beckoned and Adam completed 15 years as one of Australia's most respected, wittiest and most thought provoking breakfast radio commentators across Triple J and later ABC 702.

The author of the Little Book of Numbers, Adam explained his love of prime numbers and the magic of maths to an enraptured TED audience in early 2013. Since being posted online, his talk had had over a million views, and he has released two books, the Big Book of Numbers and the World of Numbers.



Alicia McKay

Straight-talking strategist. Writer, speaker and entrepreneur.

Alicia McKay is a leading authority on strategy, change, and leadership, empowering leaders to make better decisions, challenge unhelpful norms, and turn good intentions into meaningful action.

She's an expert facilitator and a celebrated author and speaker. Her books, 'From Strategy to Action' and 'You Don't Need An MBA,' challenge leadership myths and offer practical insights. Alicia also founded 'Not An MBA,' a program turning leaders into savvy strategists. She consults with primarily public sector clients in New Zealand and Australia, specialising in local government. Alicia lives in Wellington, New Zealand, with her three children.

Learn more at www.aliciamckay.co.nz or follow Alicia on LinkedIn.



Julian Moore

Director, Strategic Membership Solutions

Julian Moore is a skilled and entertaining speaker who provides practical and useful ideas through real-world examples and case studies. Julian is an unabashed technology geek who is thoroughly enjoying the process of adapting to an AI world. With extensive experience in Australia, New Zealand, and the United Kingdom, Julian is committed to helping organisations achieve their goals.

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