

AUSTRALIAN LOCAL GOVERNMENT WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION (ALGWA) QLD BRANCH ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE BRISBANE 2016



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BRISBANE

An aerial night view of Brisbane, Australia, showing a dense urban landscape with numerous illuminated skyscrapers and buildings. The Brisbane River is visible in the upper portion of the image, winding through the city. The overall scene is vibrant with city lights against a dark sky.

POPULATION 2.1 M

\$135B ECONOMY

**HOSTED THE G20 LEADERS SUMMIT IN
NOVEMBER 2014**

HOSTED THE 2015 ASIA PACIFIC CITY SUMMIT

LARGEST LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN AUSTRALIA

PROPOSED GALA DINNER VENUE



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BRISBANE CITY HALL

ONE OF QUEENSLAND'S MOST SIGNIFICANT CULTURAL ICONS



- The heritage listed Brisbane City Hall was erected in 1930 and is located in the heart of the city adjacent to King George Square.
- Reopened in April 2013 after undergoing a three-year restoration project valued at \$215M to conserve this iconic building.
- Brisbane City Hall boasts sweeping marble staircases, vaulted ceilings, chandeliers, and mosaic-tiled floors, making it a truly unique venue option.
- 12 event spaces available for groups of 20 to 1,600 delegates.





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PREPARATIONS FOR 2016 ALGWA CONFERENCE



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Brisbane has the expertise, capacity and capability of hosting major international summits and events. Some of these events include:

- G20
- 2011 and 2015 Asia Pacific Cities Summit and
- Asia Pacific Film Festival

In 2011 Brisbane hosted the biennial Asia Pacific Cities Summit and attracted as keynote speakers Sir Richard Branson, Founder Virgin Group and Rudy Giuliani, Former Mayor of New York City.

Last year Brisbane hosted the 2015 Asia Pacific Cities Summit which attracted 95 Mayors, 135 cities, over 1300 delegates and 126 international speakers.



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The key note speakers included:

Lord Sebastian Coe – Former Chairman of the 2012 London Olympics Organising Committee for the Olympic and Paralympic Games.

SY Lau – Senior Executive Vice President of Tencent, President of its Online Media Group.

Randi Zuckerberg – Founder and CEO of Zuckerberg Media.

The 2015 Summit attracted local, national and international media coverage, reaching an audience of more than 6.6 million.



A VARIETY OF UNIQUE SOCIAL EVENT VENUES



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A WIDE RANGE OF ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS



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ACCOMMODATION

A VARIETY OF CONVENIENTLY LOCATED OPTIONS



- Brisbane offers over 230 hotels and 12,000 accommodation rooms.
- A variety of accommodation options are located within a short walking distance of Brisbane City Hall including the Pullman & Mercure King George Square, Hilton Brisbane, Sofitel Brisbane Central, NEXT Hotel, and the Ibis Brisbane.



TRAVEL OPTIONS THROUGHOUT BRISBANE



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LOCAL TRANSPORT

A COMPACT & WALKABLE CITY

- The compact and walkable city centre makes on-the-ground navigation easy and cost-effective for delegates.
- Fully integrated public transport ticketing system including bus, train and CityCat (high speed catamaran) services.
- CityCycle program provides bikes for hire throughout the city centre.
- 2016 ALGWA State Conference delegates will have access to free transport services on the CityLoop, a CBD bus service, and the CityHopper, a ferry service stopping at inner-city locations along the Brisbane River.



BRISBANE CITYCAT HIGH SPEED CATAMARAN SERVICES



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CITYCYCLE BRISBANE

150 STATIONS AVAILABLE ACROSS BRISBANE'S CITY CENTRE,
STRETCHING FROM NEWSTEAD TO WEST END AND TOOWONG.



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GREEN CABS

Brisbane's clean, green and carbon-free inner city transport alternative – a unique and comfortable way to see the city and take in the sights



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IDEAL LEISURE DESTINATION



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LEISURE TOURISM OPTIONS

A WEALTH OF ACTIVITIES AND EXPERIENCES



- Brisbane offers an abundance of leisure and cultural activities, as well as pre and post touring options, that delegates and their families can enjoy.
- From activities on the river or in the city's inner-city beach, to world-class exhibitions, major sporting and performance events, and an emerging live music scene.
- Add a couple of days onto your stay in Brisbane and visit some of the following attractions.





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SPEND A DAY AT SOUTH BANK PARKLANDS



RIDE THE WHEEL OF BRISBANE





KAYAK ON THE BRISBANE RIVER

ENJOY ALFRESCO DINING



SHOP 'TIL YOU DROP



TAKE A BRISBANE GREETERS TOUR

**THANK YOU AND SEE YOU IN
BRISBANE IN JULY 2016.**



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