

# AiBEC

Association of Insurance Building & Engineering Consultants

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2026

# DELIVERING BEST PRACTICE

*through Expertise in Claims Consulting*

### DATE:

Wednesday, 22 July 2026

### VENUE:

Swissotel Sydney

### EARLY BIRD:

**CLOSING 30 JUNE 2026**



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# ABOUT THE EVENT

## **Welcome to AiBEC's 2026 Conference.**

This is AiBEC's 2nd National Conference, the leading annual event for building, engineering, and other consulting professionals in insurance.

Delegates will benefit from face-to-face networking with professionals from across the claims industry, and the event is an ideal opportunity for sponsors to interact with engineers, builders, claims specialists, loss adjusters, brokers and insurers.

Themed **Delivering Best Practice Through Expertise in Claims Consulting**, the 2026 AiBEC Conference provides professionals with essential insights to address key insurance sector challenges, now and in the future, particularly as insurance reporting comes under increasing scrutiny.

## **WHO SHOULD ATTEND**

Professionals engaged in the insurance industry, particularly in the area of claims including senior insurance company managers, brokers, re-insurers, loss adjusters, professional consultants, insurance lawyers, suppliers and service providers.

## **CONFERENCE & COCKTAIL FUNCTION**

The format for the conference will be a full-day Conference followed immediately by a two-hour cocktail function. This format provides an unparalleled opportunity to connect with colleagues, develop new business relationships and exchange ideas with like-minded professionals.

**Date:** Wednesday, 22 July 2026  
**Venue:** Swissotel Sydney  
**Time:** 8:15am – 7:30pm  
**Dress Code:** Business Attire

## **REGISTRATION**

The conference ticket includes **all conference sessions**, access to the exhibition, conference app, handouts, lunch, morning and afternoon tea, **plus cocktail function**.

Attractive discounts are available for early registrations and for three or more from one organisation.

## **VENUE & ACCOMMODATION**

The conference venue is the highly rated **Swissotel Sydney**, 68 Market Street, Sydney.

Competitive accommodation rates have been negotiated and bookings can be made by clicking the Swissotel Sydney logo.



The logo for Swissotel Sydney, featuring the word "swissôtel" in black lowercase letters with a red hat over the 'o', and "SYDNEY" in red uppercase letters below it.

To access the competitive rates when booking accommodation, please use the Client and Access Codes below:

**CLIENT CODE:** SCP4576096

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Accommodation bookings should be made as soon as possible as numbers are limited.

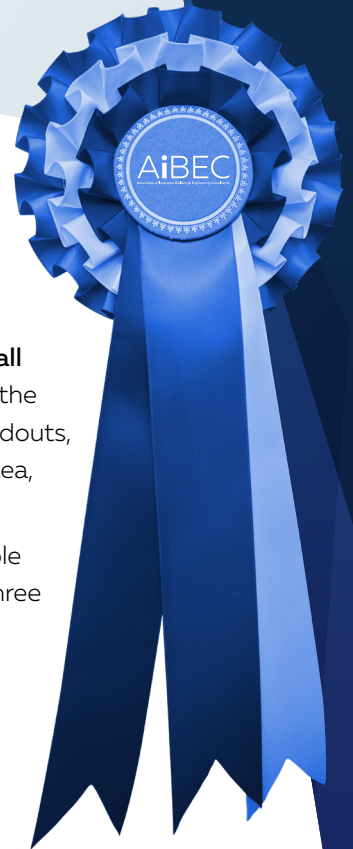
## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

**AIBEC:** 6 CPE Points

## **SPONSORSHIP**

Attractive sponsorship opportunities are available.

Please contact Tony Libke, AiBEC Chief Executive at [admin@aibec.co](mailto:admin@aibec.co) for a copy of the offerings.





# TOPICS AND SPEAKERS

TOPIC	SPEAKER	COMPANY	POSITION
<i>Review of General Insurance COP: Development and Industry Consultation</i>	Alexandra Hordern	ICA	General Manager – Regulatory and Consumer Policy
<i>Insurance Repair Works Guide for Class 2 Strata Buildings in NSW</i>	Matt Press	Building Commission NSW	Assistant Building Commissioner
<b>PANEL:</b> <i>The Role of Experts in Elevating Customer Experience</i>	James McIntosh	Sedgwick/AiBEC	Senior Manager/Director
	Penny Allanson	Hutch Underwriting	Claims Supply Chain Manager
	Natalie Major	Suncorp	Head of Supply Chain
	Emma Curtis	Australian Financial Complaints Authority	Lead Ombudsman – Insurance
<i>Research Study – Escape of Liquid</i>	Prof. Yixiang Gan	The University of Sydney	Associate Head of School (External Engagement)
<b>PANEL:</b> <i>Vulnerability and the Responsibilities of Experts</i>	Grant McIntosh	Suncorp/AiBEC	Business Development Manager/Director
	Julia Davis	Financial Rights Legal Centre	Senior Policy and Communications Officer
	Kerrie Arrow	Suncorp	Customer Solutions Manager
	Veronica Turner	RCC National	General Manager Performance Optimisations
<i>Understanding Council Approval Requirements for Insurance Repairs</i>	Greg Towle	Sedgwick	Manager Building Approval and Certification
<i>CGC’s Expectations for Expert Reports</i>	Prue Momument	General Insurance Code Governance Committee	General Manager
<i>Flooring Failures and Risks</i>	Don Considine	ATTAR	Senior Flooring Consultant
<b>OPEN FORUM:</b> <i>Interactive Session &amp; Drinks with Deniz Bekir – Chair, AiBEC and Tony Libke – CEO, AiBEC</i>			

## ORGANISING COMMITTEE

**Frank Mamasioulas** – Riverwall Constructions

**James McIntosh** – Sedgwick

**Paul Elliott** – RCC National

**Kate Middleton** – ARC Projects

**Andrew Morse** – Morse Building Consultancy

**Deniz Bekir** – Silver Wolf Projects

**Matthew Bartlett** – Silver Wolf Projects

**Tony Libke** – AiBEC

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# CONFERENCE TICKET PRICES

## CONFERENCE AND COCKTAIL FUNCTION

(price includes Conference materials, lunch and refreshments)

	Member & Allied Supporter	Non-Member
<b>Early Bird</b> (paid by 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2026)	AUD\$ (inc GST)	AUD\$ (inc GST)
Individual registration	\$517	\$572
Multiple registration (3 or more from one company)	\$495	\$550
<b>Standard</b> (paid after 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2026)		
Individual registration	\$627	\$660
Multiple registration (3 or more from one company)	\$572	\$625

## REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

**TO REGISTER ONLINE VISIT:  
[WWW.AIBEC.CO/CONFERENCE2026](http://WWW.AIBEC.CO/CONFERENCE2026)**

If you have difficulty with the online registration, please email the AiBEC Office at [admin@AiBEC.co](mailto:admin@AiBEC.co) or phone +61 418 760 007

### Cancellation & Substitution Policy

In the event of a registrant's inability to attend, a substitute delegate is welcome. Substitutions can be made up to seven (7) days prior to the event.

Alternatively a full refund, less 25% service charge will be made for cancellations advised by email up to twenty one (21) days prior to the event. Regrettably, no refunds can be made after this time.

### Program Changes

If necessary the organising committee reserve the right to alter the program without prior notification to delegates.

## CONTACT DETAILS

For all conference, speaker and sponsorship enquiries contact us at:

**Email:** [admin@AiBEC.co](mailto:admin@AiBEC.co)

**Phone:** +61 418 760 007

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