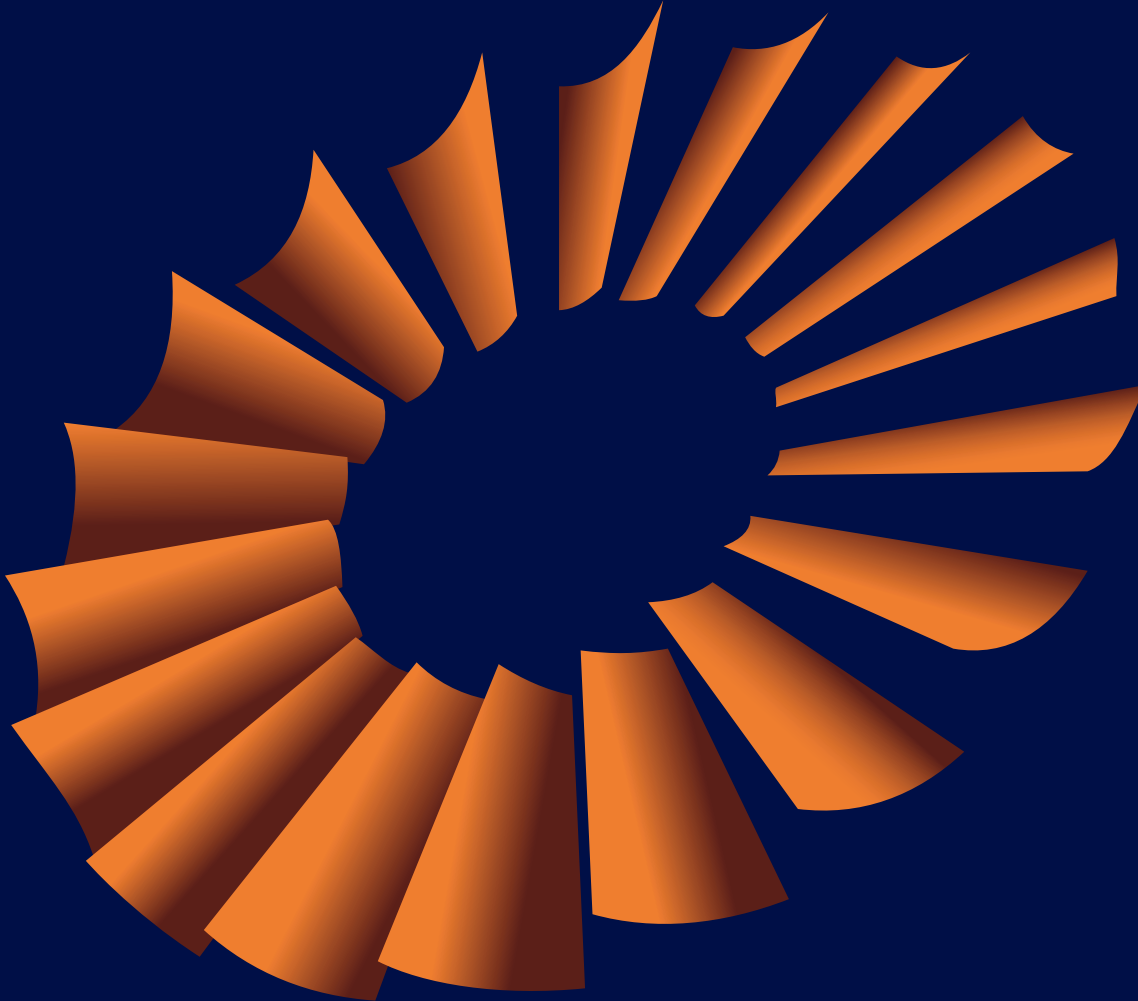


# VENTILATION ENGINEERING

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*The heartbeat of mining*



Sofitel Sydney Wentworth,  
NSW, Australia

11-15 August 2024

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## INTERNATIONAL MINE VENTILATION CONGRESS 2024

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Sponsorship  
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# Welcome from the Chairperson

The International Mine Ventilation Congress in collaboration with the University of New South Wales (UNSW), the Mine Ventilation Society of Australia (MVSA) and the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM), is pleased to announce the 12th Congress will be held in Sydney, Australia, from 11th to 15th August 2024.

The aim of the International Mine Ventilation Congress is to provide a platform for mine ventilation professionals to gather together as a community to promote improvements in mine ventilation engineering, and related aspects of safety and health. The focus of the 12th IMVC will be the sharing of knowledge that has been gained since the previous Congress and to discuss new and trending developments with a view to improving, developing and refining ventilation, refrigeration, cooling/heating, and safety and health in mines globally.

The experience gained at the Congress will enhance the professional capability, knowledge and understanding of delegates in their own countries as well as provide opportunities for sharing and

nurturing new members of the global mine ventilation fraternity. Future congresses in other countries will follow-up on how this interchange has assisted mines in improving ventilation, safety and health in those countries. Australia has a very strong underground mining industry producing a wide range of minerals from a wide range of mining methods. It has historically been a leading innovator in underground mining practices including underground mine ventilation. Its experience is often a unique blend of proven and emerging mining technologies.

The conference theme is “*Ventilation Engineering - The Heartbeat of Mining*”. This Congress series is the only truly global gathering of the mine ventilation engineering community and as such presents a unique opportunity to simultaneously promote safe ventilation practices and enhance the productivity and operational effectiveness of mines. It is also an essential opportunity for networking and making new contacts—and even new professional friends. By sharing and disseminating knowledge gained from mining operations and research around the

world, our profession contributes to the production of essential raw materials which improves the standard of living, health and well-being of individuals and societies. This international Congress builds upon the success of the previous eleven IMVCs as well as the very successful bi-annual Australian Mine Ventilation Conference series.

The opportunity to host this international Congress is a result of the commitment made by the industry, suppliers, academia, research partners and industry associations who are providing their generous support to ensure a successful event. The need to share ventilation engineering knowledge is ever growing with safety and health challenges faced by all miners. Therefore, we as the IMVC 2024 Leadership Team, invite your continued support by showcasing your services to the global ventilation engineering community in this very high quality, very well attended and uniquely positioned conference.

**Dr. Bharath Belle**

*IMVC 2024 Congress Chair, UNSW/  
UQ/UP*





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*UNSW*



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*UNSW*



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**Mr Michael Shearer,**  
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*Australasian  
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Mining &  
Metallurgy  
(AusIMM)*



# Congress partners



## AusIMM

AusIMM is the peak body for people working in the resources sector. We shape careers, develop leaders, create communities and uphold standards.

We have a global reputation for delivering world class technical conferences to the global mining industry, showcasing the latest technologies, innovations and industry best practice for more than 40 years.

AusIMM offers a captive audience, with more than 13,000 members and a conference database of 32,000 which reaches mining professionals across the globe.



## UNSW

The UNSW School of Minerals and Energy Resources Engineering has been a leading provider of industry-relevant Mining Engineering education and research for over 70 years. In the 2022 QS World University Rankings by Subject, we ranked 3rd in the world in the field of 'Minerals and Mining'.

Our school continues to thrive, offering highly sought-after undergraduate and postgraduate programs, and producing internationally acclaimed research output. Our aim is to develop fundamental insights that lead to technological advancements, facilitating the discovery and extraction of future minerals and energy resources with minimal environmental impact, increased safety, and improved productivity.

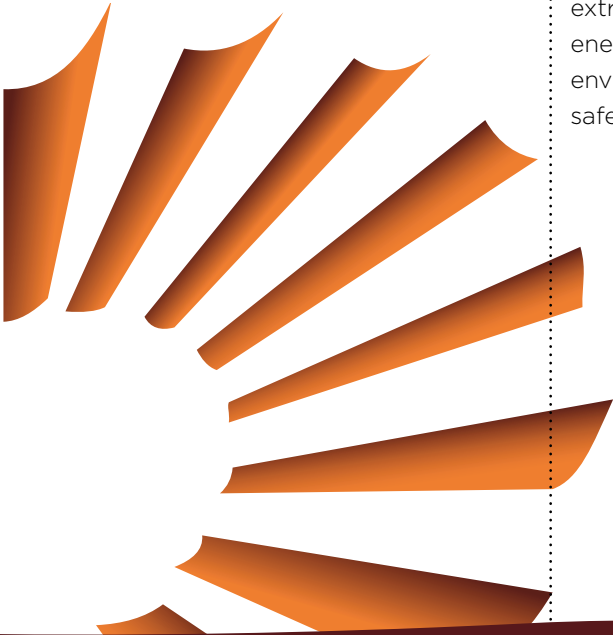


## MVSA

The Mine Ventilation Society of Australia (MVSA) was founded in 2012 by Australian mine ventilation practitioners, who share a common passion, dedication, and commitment to ensure a safe and healthy work environment for fellow Underground mine workers.

The Mine Ventilation Society plays a crucial role in ensuring the health, safety, efficiency, and sustainability of the underground mining industry.

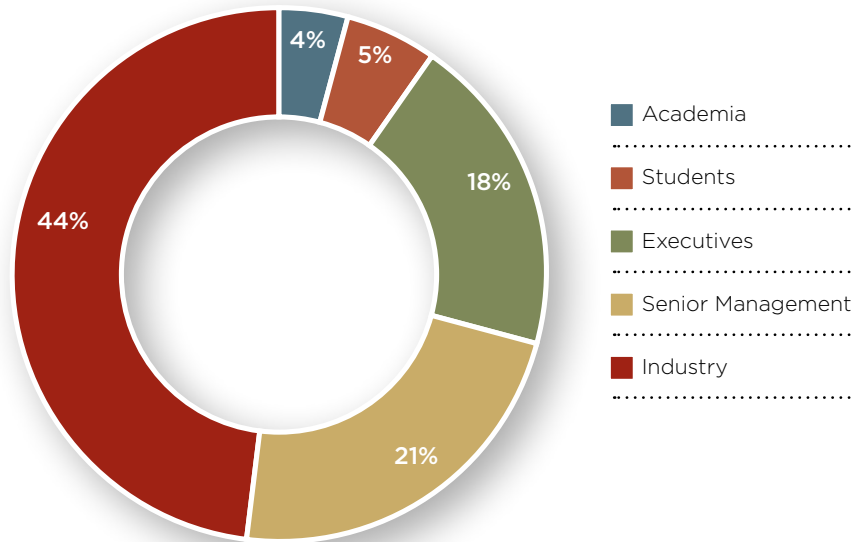
The primary objective of the society is to promote and advance the field of mine ventilation engineering. It brings together a diverse community of professionals, including engineers, researchers, regulators, and industry experts, who are dedicated to addressing the complex ventilation needs of underground mines.



# Access brand exposure to a targeted audience

The International Mine Ventilation Congress 2024 is the opportunity to promote safe ventilation practices to improve the productivity and safety of mines. By sharing and disseminating the knowledge gained from operations in Australia and around the world, the profession contributes to the production of essential raw materials which improves the standard of living, health and wellbeing of individuals and societies.

A recent World Bank Group report stated that the production of minerals, such as graphite, lithium and cobalt, could increase by nearly **500%** by 2050, to meet the growing demand for clean energy technologies.



## Global audience

The International Mine Ventilation Congress 2024 is expected to attract 400+ delegates from across the globe. This Congress will reach more international delegates and regional Australians than any of the previous eleven IMVC Congresses.



# Why get involved?



## Premium brand exposure

Increase your brand visibility by showcasing your organisation to a captive and targeted audience either at exhibition booths or other tailored sponsorship opportunities.



## Build strategic connections

Connect with key decision-makers in mining organisations as well as resources professionals and industry stakeholders.



## Capitalise for future investment

Generate new leads and business opportunities securing your sales pipeline in 2024 and beyond



## Showcase your unique offering

Demonstrate your unique offering through our exhibition and content opportunities to engaged audiences

**Communicate, through sponsorship, your dedicated support of the mine ventilation operations.**



# Our promotional reach



**13,000**

Active AusIMM members globally across 100 countries.



**4,000+**

Delegates attending AusIMM conferences annually.



**25,000+**

Followers across AusIMM's social media platforms.



**100+**

Countries represented showcasing our international reach.



**32,000+**

Subscribers to AusIMM's conference database for email marketing.



**12,000+**

Average new users to AusIMM's conference websites annually.



# Event experience

## Dates

Sunday 11 - Thursday 15 August 2024

## Program

IMVC 2024 will be a peer-reviewed international Congress with published Proceedings. Paper presentations are scheduled to run for 3 days with 2 additional days allocated for workshops and site tours. The Congress will include full-day technical presentations, technical workshops, exhibitor booths, networking and social activities and is expected to attract more than 400 delegates. An accompanying partners' program is also planned.

## Networking Opportunities

A number of networking opportunities are available to delegates during the Congress:

Sunday 11 August 2024:	<b>Welcome Reception</b>
Monday 12 August 2024:	<b>Networking Function</b>
Tuesday 13 August 2024:	<b>Congress Dinner</b>
Wednesday 14 August 2024:	<b>Networking Function</b>

## Venue

SOFITEL SYDNEY WENTWORTH



Located in the heart of Sydney CBD, Sofitel Sydney Wentworth is a heritage listed 5-star hotel offering warm personal service, luxurious rooms, a French inspired restaurant and a fashionable lounge, perfect for entertaining friends or work colleagues.

The hotel is only a 20-minute drive from Sydney airport, and only a short stroll to the Sydney Opera House & Sydney Harbour Bridge.

Sofitel Sydney Wentworth is close to a variety of public transport options, as well as many of the city's major attractions, finest restaurants, bars and shops. Providing the ideal base for exploration. Sydney is a city that's just waiting to be explored!



# Sponsorship opportunities at a glance

## CONGRESS PACKAGES

<b>PLATINUM SPONSOR</b> <del>\$12,400</del> Exclusive opportunity	<b>GOLD SPONSOR</b> \$16,100 Limited opportunities	<b>SILVER SPONSOR</b> \$11,600 Limited opportunities	
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## NETWORKING

<b>CONGRESS DINNER</b> \$14,500 Exclusive opportunity	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION</b> \$10,500 Exclusive opportunity	<b>NETWORKING FUNCTION</b> \$10,500 Two (2) opportunities	<b>EXHIBITION LOUNGE</b> \$10,000 Exclusive opportunity
<b>COFFEE CART AND BREAKS</b> \$7,500 Exclusive opportunity	<b>LUNCH SPONSOR (SINGLE)</b> \$4,000 Three (3) opportunities	<b>LUNCH SPONSOR</b> \$10,000 All three (3), exclusive opportunity	

## CONTENT

<b>KEYNOTE SPEAKER</b> \$7,490 Limited opportunities	<b>TECHNICAL SESSION</b> \$7,490 Limited opportunities	<b>POSTER SESSION</b> \$7,490 Exclusive opportunity	
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## CONGRESS MATERIALS

<b>CONGRESS PROCEEDINGS</b> \$11,500 Exclusive opportunity	<b>CONGRESS APP</b> \$7,000 Exclusive opportunity	<b>NAME BADGE AND LANYARD</b> \$8,025 Exclusive opportunity	<b>NOTE PADS AND PENS</b> \$5,000 Exclusive opportunity
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## MARKETING ENGAGEMENT

<b>PREMIER CONTENT SPONSOR</b> \$11,000 Limited opportunities	<b>PRINT ADVERTISING</b> \$2,500 Limited opportunities		
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## EXHIBITION

<b>EXHIBITION BOOTH (SINGLE 3M X 2M)</b> \$4,815 Twenty six (26) available	<b>MEETING HUB (SHARED SPACE)</b> \$2,408 Ten (10) opportunities		
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All prices are quoted in Australian dollars and are inclusive of the Australian Goods and Services (GST) tax.

# Congress Packages

## Platinum Sponsor

**\$22,400**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

The Platinum Sponsor for the International Mine Ventilation Congress 2024 receives invaluable premium brand exposure which reaches more than 750,000 people via an extensive multichannel marketing campaign. Onsite, access exclusive opportunities to make a name for your company by sharing your organisational message to an engaged audience with aligned interests, and generate new leads via the Congress app.

### REGISTRATION

- » Five (5) complimentary delegate registrations including tickets to all networking functions and the Congress dinner.

### EXHIBITION

- » One (1) complimentary exhibition stand (6m wide, 2m deep, with exhibition entitlements) in a premier position in the exhibition hall.

### PROGRAMME PROMOTION

- » Sponsor a technical session, including a company representative to chair the session (subject to approval by the organising committee).
- » Your company logo on the sponsored technical session recording. Available to delegates post-Congress and accessible to AusIMM members via our digital library (subject to speaker approval of public release).
- » Opportunity to provide a 30 second pre-roll video to play at the start of your sponsored technical session (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Your company logo featured on all versions of the Congress program in alignment with your sponsored technical session.
- » Your company logo on opening slide of your sponsored technical session.
- » Your logo or image featured on stage for the sponsored technical session.

### COMPANY BRAND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on signage onsite.
- » Two (2) social media posts on AusIMM social media platform (reach of 25,000+) for sponsor to be tagged. Includes (1) announcement of sponsor involvement and one (1) opportunity for sponsor to provide content subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Opportunity to provide a written news article related to conference content to be displayed on the Congress website and incorporated into the Congress marketing campaign (content to be developed in consultation with AusIMM).
- » Receive verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship from the Congress Chair throughout the Congress.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured on the printed Congress proceedings.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » Full page, full colour ad in the onsite printed program (sponsor to provide artwork to specifications).
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.
- » Two (2) promotional push notifications via the Congress app. This provides an exclusive opportunity to share your message with delegates and drive traffic to your exhibition stand (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).

### DELEGATE LIST - EXCLUSIVE TO MAJOR AND PLATINUM SPONSORS

- » A copy of the conference delegate list (name, position, organisation, and state/country) no less than two (2) weeks prior to conference start. *Subject to delegate consent\**

*\*Registrants may withhold consent for inclusion of their details on the list by opting out via the online registration form at the time of registration.*

## Gold Sponsor

\$16,100

### LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

Showcase your company to a targeted audience through various marketing channels pre-event and onsite. Access excellent brand exposure and connect with key decision makers in mining organisations. Capitalise for future investment through our exhibition with the opportunity to generate new leads and business opportunities.

### REGISTRATION

- » Four (4) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions and the Congress dinner.

### EXHIBITION

- » One (1) single complimentary shell scheme exhibition stand (3m wide x 2m deep, with exhibition entitlements) in the exhibition area.

### PROGRAM INVOLVEMENT

- » Sponsorship of one (1) technical session, including a company representative to chair the session (subject to approval by the organising committee).
- » Your company logo on the sponsored technical session recording. Available to delegates post- Congress and accessible to AusIMM members via our digital library (subject to speaker approval of public release).
- » Opportunity to provide a 30 second pre-roll video to play at the start of your sponsored technical session (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Your company logo featured on all versions of the Congress program in alignment with your sponsored technical session.
- » Your company logo on opening slide of your sponsored technical session.
- » Your logo or image featured on stage for the sponsored technical session.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on all major signage onsite.
- » One (1) social media post via AusIMM social media platforms (reach of 25,000+) Sponsor to be tagged. Includes one (1) announcement post of sponsor involvement (subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Receive verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship by the Congress Chair throughout the Congress.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Full page, full colour ad in the onsite printed program (sponsor to provide artwork to specifications).
- » Your company logo featured on the printed Congress proceedings.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.
- » One (1) promotional push notification via the Congress app. This provides an exclusive opportunity to share your message with delegates and drive traffic to your exhibition stand (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).

### DELEGATE LIST - EXCLUSIVE TO MAJOR AND PLATINUM SPONSORS

- » A copy of the conference delegate list (name, position, organisation, and state/country) no less than two (2) weeks prior to conference start. *Subject to delegate consent\**

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## Silver Sponsor

\$11,600

### LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

The Silver Sponsor for the International Mine Ventilation Congress 2024 receives brand exposure via the Congress website, and onsite connect with a captive audience to generate new leads and business opportunities via the Congress app.

### REGISTRATION

- » Three (3) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions and the Congress dinner.

### EXHIBITION

- » One (1) single complimentary shell scheme exhibition stand (3m wide x 2m deep, with exhibition entitlements) in the exhibition area.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on all major signage onsite.
- » Receive verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship by the Congress Chair throughout the Congress.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured on the printed Congress proceedings.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.



# Networking Opportunities

## Congress Dinner Sponsor

**\$14,500**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

The Congress Dinner gives all attendees a chance to unwind and enjoy some hospitality. The Dinner will be hosted on the beautiful Sydney Harbour aboard a premium cruise ship. This is your opportunity to make a statement and do something a little bit different. The AusIMM Event Manager can assist in upgrading your package to include additional theming options to make your event stand out (at the sponsors expense).

### REGISTRATION

- » Four (4) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions and the Congress dinner.
- » Six (6) additional tickets to the Congress dinner.
- » A reserved table of ten (10) at the Congress dinner in a premier position for your delegates and invited guests.

### CONGRESS DINNER

- » Co-branding of the Congress dinner.
- » Your company logo on Congress dinner signage and menus.
- » Opportunity to provide a 30 second video or rolling PowerPoint presentation to display during the Congress dinner (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Opportunity for a company representative to deliver a brief welcome to dinner guests.
- » Opportunity to present a gift to dinner guests (at sponsor's expense and subject to approval by AusIMM prior to the Congress).

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on all major signage onsite.
- » Receive verbal acknowledgement of your sponsorship by the Congress Chair throughout the Congress.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured in the Congress program against the dinner listing.
- » Your company logo featured on the printed Congress proceedings.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.

### ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- » Access additional opportunities to elevate your company presence at the Congress dinner. This could include premium branding, signage or dinner entertainment. (Sponsor to collaborate with AusIMM)

## Welcome Reception Sponsor

**\$10,500**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

First impressions count! Access the exclusive opportunity to welcome delegates to the first social event of the Congress on Sunday evening, following the pre-Congress workshops, and gain outstanding brand exposure.

### REGISTRATION

- » Three (3) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### WELCOME RECEPTION

- » Receive co-branding of the welcome reception.
- » Four (4) additional complimentary tickets to the welcome reception.
- » Your company logo on welcome reception signage.
- » Opportunity to present a gift to welcome reception guests (at sponsor's expense and subject to approval by AusIMM prior to the Congress).

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured in the Congress program against your sponsored function.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.

## Networking Function Sponsor

**\$10,500 each**

### TWO AVAILABLE

There will be two (2) networking functions; one on the Monday night and the second one on the Tuesday night. Both will be key social activities and provide your company with attractive brand exposure opportunities.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### NETWORKING FUNCTION

- » Co-branding of the networking function.
- » Two (2) additional complimentary tickets to the networking function.
- » Your company logo on networking function signage.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured in the Congress program against your sponsored function.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.

## Exhibition Lounge Sponsor

**\$10,000**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

The exhibition lounge will be one of the focal points of the Congress exhibition area and located in the Canberra Room of the Sofitel Wentworth. A great place for delegates to network or relax, it provides a unique space to facilitate strategic business connections, with a coffee cart just outside.

The package includes basic furniture, a charging area for attendees to sit and work, and sponsor branded signage (additional requirements are available at sponsor's expense and subject to approval by AusIMM).

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » One (1) branded charging station featuring your company logo located in the networking lounge room.
- » Furniture within Canberra Room to facilitate guests.
- » Signage within the Exhibition Lounge to recognize your sponsorship.
- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.

## Coffee Cart and Break Sponsor

**\$7,500**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

Everyone loves a caffeine hit and if you love coffee as much as we do this package will give you access to fantastic branding opportunities. This package includes all morning and afternoon tea breaks throughout the conference. The coffee cart will run all day and will be prominently positioned so you will maximise impact with its signage.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company branding displayed on or near the coffee machines.
- » Opportunity to supply branded cups (sponsor to provide).
- » Your company logo featured in the printed Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured in the Congress program against all morning and afternoon tea breaks.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.

## Lunch Sponsor

\$4,000 each or

\$10,000 for all three

THREE (3) SINGLE OPPORTUNITIES OR  
ONE (1) PACKAGE

Opportunity to showcase your brand during an essential Congress activity that brings all delegates together. A sponsor can opt to take all three days of the Congress or sponsor one day:

Day 1 - Monday

Day 2 - Tuesday

Day 3 - Wednesday

### REGISTRATION

- » One (1) complimentary delegate registration for each day sponsored, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Company signage to be displayed during your sponsored lunch break.
- » One (1) push notification during lunch to acknowledge your support. This will be sent via the Congress app.
- » Your company logo featured on all versions of the Congress program.
- » Your company logo featured in the Congress program against your sponsored lunch.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.





# Content Packages

## Keynote Speaker Sponsor

**\$7,490**

### LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

Align your brand with a keynote speaker to have the opportunity to speak to the whole audience at a key point in the program.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### PROGRAM INVOLVEMENT

- » Sponsorship of the keynote session in the program, including a company representative to chair the session (subject to approval by the organising committee).
- » Your company logo on the sponsored keynote session recording. Available to delegates post-Congress and accessible to AusIMM members via our digital library (subject to speaker approval of public release).
- » Opportunity to provide a 30 second pre-roll video to play at the start of the keynote (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Your company logo featured on all versions of the Congress program in alignment with the keynote session listing in the program outline.
- » Your company logo on opening slide of the keynote.
- » Your logo or image featured on stage for the keynote.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.

## Poster Session Sponsor

**\$7,490**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

During the Congress a session will be dedicated for the presentation of posters. By sponsoring this session your organisation is showing its support for our future workforce.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### PROGRAM INVOLVEMENT

- » Sponsorship of the poster session in the program, including a company representative to chair the session (subject to approval by the organising committee).
- » Your company logo on the sponsored poster session recording. Available to delegates post-Congress and accessible to AusIMM members via our digital library (subject to speaker approval of public release).
- » Opportunity to provide a 30 second pre-roll video to play at the start of the poster session (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Your company logo featured on all versions of the Congress program in alignment with the poster session.
- » Your company logo on opening slide of the poster session.
- » Your logo or image featured on stage for the poster session.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.

## Technical Session Sponsor

\$7,490

### LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

Strategically align your core business objectives with a program session. Showcase your company's expertise and industry leadership via our renowned technical program. This unique opportunity provides your company with a platform to address Congress delegates. The attractiveness of this package is about longevity. The recordings of the event will ensure brand exposure for the entire Congress life cycle.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### PROGRAM INVOLVEMENT

- » Sponsorship of one (1) technical session, including a company representative to chair the session (subject to approval by the organising committee).
- » Your company logo on the sponsored technical session recording. Available to delegates post-Congress and accessible to AusIMM members via our digital library (subject to speaker approval of public release).
- » Opportunity to provide a 30 second pre-roll video to play at the start of your sponsored technical session (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by AusIMM).
- » Your company logo featured on all versions of the Congress program in alignment with your sponsored technical session.
- » Your company logo on opening slide of your sponsored technical session.
- » Your logo or image featured on stage for the sponsored technical session.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.

*\*Sessions will be allocated in order of confirmation once the program has been finalised.*



# Congress Materials

## Congress Proceedings Sponsor

**\$11,500**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

A printed and digital collection of technical submissions, the Congress proceedings are a valuable reference document for delegates. Your branding will be featured on the cover of the printed and downloadable book supplied to delegates onsite, pre- and post-Congress.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, including the Congress dinner.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo displayed on the proceedings front cover.
- » One (1) full page advertisement in the proceedings.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.

## Congress App Sponsor

**\$7,000**

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

The Congress app is a valuable communication and engagement tool for delegates, speakers, sponsors and exhibitors throughout the Congress. It is used for connecting with attendees; viewing the Congress program, speaker profiles and proceedings; and keeping up to date with important announcements. Your brand will be featured on the app throughout the Congress.

### REGISTRATION

- » One (1) complimentary delegate registration, including tickets to all networking functions not including the Congress dinner.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo displayed alongside the host logo in a prominent position on the Congress app.
- » One (1) push notification acknowledging your support, sent via the Congress app.
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.



## Name Badge and Lanyard Sponsor

\$8,025

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

Name badges and lanyards are worn by delegates for the duration of the Congress, providing your company with fantastic brand exposure.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### CONGRESS NAME BADGE AND LANYARD

- » Your company logo alternated with AusIMM logo on the Congress name badge and lanyards.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.

## Note Pads & Pens

\$5,000

### EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY

Great brand exposure and awareness onsite at the Congress. Your organization can provide the note pads & pens to all attendees which will be give out at registration. A keepsake for everyone to take away and remember you.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Note pads & pens with your branding displayed on the registration desk (sponsor to provide pads & pens, quantity to be advised closer to the date of the Congress, estimate 500).
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Your company logo on PowerPoint slides throughout the Congress.
- » One (1) promotional PDF flyer in the eSatchel on the Congress app.



# Marketing Engagement

## Premier Content Sponsor

\$11,000

LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

Opportunity to provide engaging and thought-provoking content relevant to the Congress audience which will be distributed via AusIMM's marketing channels. Amplify your message on a global platform to reach a targeted market.

### REGISTRATION

- » Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions and the Congress dinner.

### CONTENT OPPORTUNITIES

- » Opportunity to provide a written article that will showcase your industry leadership and expertise. The article will be published via the following marketing channels:
- » Congress website under the latest news (12,000+ reach).
- » AusIMM website as a featured news article (190,000+ reach) - [ausimm.com/news-and-media/](https://ausimm.com/news-and-media/).
- » AusIMM Bulletin website (subject to approval by the Editor) - [www.ausimmbulletin.com/](https://www.ausimmbulletin.com/).
- » AusIMM social media platforms including LinkedIn, Facebook and Twitter (25,000+ reach).
- » Feature article in AusIMM's fortnightly conferences and events e-newsletter (13,000 subscribers).

*\*All content to be developed in consultation with AusIMM and subject to availability and publication deadlines.*

### COMPANY BRANDING AND PROMOTION

- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.
- » Full page, full colour ad in the onsite printed program (sponsor to provide artwork to specifications).

*\*For opportunities to tailor this package, please contact AusIMM.*

## Print Advertising

\$2,500

LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

Advertising in the printed program for the Congress will be available in limited numbers.

- » Half page, full colour ad in the onsite printed program (sponsor to provide artwork to specifications).

# Exhibition

The Congress program maximises the opportunity for delegates to visit the exhibition during the tea breaks and lunch. The onsite networking functions will also be held in the exhibition space, the Congress dinner will be held offsite. Please note that there are only twenty six (26) booths available and sponsors will have first option for choice, so we suggest you book early as they will sell out.

As well as the standard exhibition booths, a new opportunity to share in the Meeting Hub onsite will take away the stress of manning a standalone booth for three days. The meeting hub will be a place for a limited number of exhibitors to showcase their collateral and meet with delegates in a relaxed environment.

SPECIFICATION	FULL REGISTRATIONS	PRICE
<b>Exhibition Booth (3m x 2m)</b>  Twenty six (26) available	Two (2) complimentary delegate registrations, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.	<b>\$4,815</b>
<b>Meeting Hub</b>  Ten (10) opportunities	One (1) complimentary delegate registration, including tickets to all networking functions, not including the Congress dinner.	<b>\$2,408</b>

## ONSITE EXHIBITION BOOTH (3MX2M)

Your exhibition booth includes the following features:

- » Walls: polished aluminium frame with white melamine infill panels.
- » Fascia: all open aisle frontages include a fascia sign consisting of your company name and stand number. Computer cut vinyl and standard lettering (maximum 30 characters).

- » Lighting: two (2) track spotlights per 6 sqm (lights are mounted on the inside of the front fascia).
- » Power: one (1) single power point per stand (regardless of booth dimensions). Power point is positioned in the rear corner of the stand.

## SHARED MEETING HUB

The meeting hub will consist of a collective of organisations who wish to share their products and services at the Congress but are not able to facilitate manning a separate booth for three days. The meeting hub will consist of:

- » Signage: Back wall signage with logos of all Meeting Hub participants.
- » Furniture: Lounge areas and bar tables for one to one meetings with attendees.
- » Collateral: Space for Meeting Hub participants to leave collateral for attendees to collect.

## FOR ALL EXHIBITORS:

- Company branding and promotion for all exhibitors
- » Your company logo on the Congress website, including a link to your company homepage.

## BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- » Access to the delegate contact exchange via the Congress app – scan the QR code to obtain a delegate's digital business card. Contacts can be exported into your database.
- » Opportunity to create a lead capture questionnaire available both onsite through the AusIMM Congress app and the virtual exhibition booth.

## ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT

Additional equipment can be ordered through the exhibition contractor. Upon booking, your details will be forwarded to the exhibition company and they will contact you directly.

## FLOOR PLAN

Booths will be allocated in order of sponsorship then receipt by AusIMM. Payment must be received in full before the conference to secure your booth placement.

# Sponsor and exhibitor terms and conditions

These terms and conditions (Terms) together with any Commercial Terms, (together the Agreement) establishes the terms and conditions on which the sponsor set out in the Commercial Terms (Sponsor, You and Your) agrees to pay the Sponsorship Fees and perform other duties in exchange for the Sponsor Benefits granted by Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (ABN 59 836 002 949) of 204 Lygon Street, Carlton VIC 3053 (AusIMM) in respect of the relevant event or conference set out in the Commercial Terms (Event).

The Terms alone without acceptance by AusIMM under clause 1.1, do not constitute a binding Agreement. By applying to be a Sponsor, the Sponsor acknowledges that the Sponsor has read, understands and accepts the Terms and all terms, rights and obligations in the Commercial Terms. The Sponsor acknowledges and agrees that these Terms apply to it whether the Event is delivered online, in-person, a combination of in-person and online or any other format.

## 1. COMMERCIAL TERMS AND AGREEMENT FORMATION

### 1.1 This Agreement applies to You if:

(a) You have received or otherwise accessed a Sponsorship Prospectus and submitted a Booking Form to AusIMM (whether in person, by post, by email, through AusIMM's website or any other means made available by AusIMM) and AusIMM has confirmed in writing (including electronically) to:

(a) accept You as a Sponsor for the Event; or

(b) You have contacted AusIMM to sponsor an Event and AusIMM have confirmed in writing (including electronically) Your acceptance as a Sponsor and provided You with these Terms.

### 1.2 The commercial details of the Event will be set out in the Commercial Terms and the Commercial Terms are taken to be incorporated into this Agreement.

### 1.3 To the extent of any conflict or inconsistency between these Terms and any Commercial Terms, these Terms prevail over any Commercial Terms to the extent of the conflict or inconsistency, unless under the Commercial Terms the parties expressly agree in writing that a specific conflicting or inconsistent term or condition in these Terms is to be replaced by a specific term or condition in the Commercial Term.

## 2. EXCLUSIVITY AND TERM

- 2.1** This Agreement commences on the date that AusIMM accepts You as a Sponsor under clause 1 and continues until completion of the Event or post Event if a Sponsor agreement specifies continuing works, unless terminated earlier in accordance with this Agreement.
- 2.2** Unless expressly stated in the Commercial Terms, the Sponsor will not be the exclusive Sponsor (of their industry, sector or otherwise) at an Event and all Sponsorship Benefits are provided on a non-exclusive basis.

## 3. SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS AND SPONSOR OBLIGATIONS

### 3.1 Subject to payment of the Sponsorship Fee and the Sponsor complying with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, AusIMM will provide the Sponsor with the Sponsorship Benefits.

### 3.2 The Sponsor must comply with all applicable laws, conditions, rules, regulations and standards as well as any reasonable procedure, direction or instruction provided by AusIMM, the Health Department, the Metropolitan Fire Brigade, any other relevant Government department, the manager or owner of the venue where the Event is being held (Venue Operator) and/or the online provider hosting the Event (Online Operator).

### 3.3 Insurances

The Sponsor must:

(a) for the duration of the Term, insure against losses and damages which are the result of the act, fault or negligence of the Sponsor and which relate to this Agreement, including, public liability, personal injury, and property damage up to a minimum level of (twenty million dollars) \$20,000,000 (such insurance to cover the full replacement value of the contents of the Sponsor's and all associated equipment and materials); and

(b) on request from AusIMM, provide AusIMM with a certificate of currency evidencing the insurances referred to in this clause.

### 3.4 The Sponsor must:

(a) not erect any sign, stand, wall or obstruction, which in the opinion of AusIMM or its representative, interferes with an adjoining sponsor;

(b) not damage any walls or floors or ceiling of the exhibition area in which her/his stand is located or by nails, screws, oil, paint or any other cause whatsoever; and

(c) ensure all of its property, materials and packaging is promptly removed from the venue at the end of the Event (and the Sponsor acknowledges that AusIMM is not responsible for providing storage space at the venue).

- 3.5** The Sponsor is responsible for the safety of the Sponsor's products, displays, stands and other materials at all times. During the move-in or move-out period of the Event the Sponsor's products, displays, stands and other material should be not left unattended or ensured they are secured at all times.
- 3.6** The Sponsor may only conduct competitions, run trade promotions or offer prizes with the prior written consent of AusIMM. If AusIMM does provide consent for the Sponsor to run a competition or conduct a trade promotion in connection with the Event, the Sponsor must:
- (a) provide competition terms and conditions;
  - (b) comply with all applicable laws including the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth);
  - (c) ensure that all applicable permits are obtained; and
  - (d) provide the prizes.
- 3.7** The Sponsor must not conduct any workshops, social functions, online chat groups or the like during the Event, without written consent from AusIMM.
- 3.8** The Sponsors' nametags and online registration details (as applicable) will be issued to the Sponsor and the relevant number of staff as set out in the Commercial Details. These are transferable, subject to notice to AusIMM. Nametags must be worn at all times during the Event.
- 3.9** AusIMM will not provide delegate contact information or personal information to the Sponsor prior to, during or post the Event. If the Sponsor separately and independently collects any personal information directly from a delegate, the Sponsor must:
- (a) only collect such personal information with the knowledge and consent of the delegate; and
  - (b) must handle such personal information in accordance with the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth).
- 3.10** The Sponsor must ensure that any materials or content submitted or otherwise published or displayed as part of the Event (in person, online or in any other format):
- (a) is submitted by the relevant deadline for publication, display or broadcast and complies with any format or design guidelines communicated by AusIMM or its representatives;
  - (b) does not infringe the Intellectual Property Rights or other rights of a third party;
  - (c) is truthful and accurate and does not include any false or misleading statements;
  - (d) is not defamatory, obscene, discriminatory, unlawful and does not bring AusIMM into disrepute; and
  - (e) complies with all applicable laws, including:
  - (i) the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth);

(ii) the Advertiser Code of Ethics of the Australian Association of National Advertisers Standards of The Advertising Standards Council, all other relevant regulatory bodies; and

(iii) any terms or conditions of the Online Operator.

#### **4. SPONSORSHIP FEES AND GST**

- 4.1** In consideration of the rights granted to the Sponsor under this Agreement, the Sponsor must pay to AusIMM the Sponsor Fee.
- 4.2** AusIMM will provide the Sponsor with a tax invoice in respect of a Sponsorship Fee prior to an Event to which a Sponsorship Fee relates.
- 4.3** The Sponsor must pay AusIMM the total Sponsorship Fee for the relevant Event, and GST payable with respect of the Sponsorship Fee, within 14 days of the date of the invoice.

#### **5. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS**

- 5.1** A party's Intellectual Property Rights (First Party) will remain the property of the First Party and the other party (Other Party) acknowledges that nothing in the Agreement will be construed as transferring title in, or ownership of, any First Party's Intellectual Property Rights to the Other Party.
- 5.2** The Sponsor grants to AusIMM an exclusive, worldwide and revocable licence to use the Sponsor's logo, trademarks and other materials and Intellectual Property Rights provided or otherwise made available to AusIMM for the purpose of:
- (a) providing the Sponsorship Benefits to the Sponsor; and
  - (b) marketing, promoting and conducting the Event, in a manner consistent with this Agreement. AusIMM must stop using or otherwise referring to the Sponsor's Intellectual Property Rights (including its name, logo or trademarks) on expiration or mutually agreed termination of the Agreement.
- 5.3** AusIMM grants to the Sponsor an exclusive, worldwide and revocable licence to use the AusIMM's logo, trademarks and other materials and Intellectual Property Rights provided or otherwise made available to the Sponsor for the purpose of:
- (a) obtaining the Sponsorship Benefits; and
  - (b) marketing and promoting its attendance at and attending the Event, in a manner consistent with this Agreement. The Sponsor must stop using or otherwise referring to AusIMM's Intellectual Property Rights (including its name, logo or trademarks) on expiration or mutually agreed termination of the Agreement.

#### **6. WARRANTIES AND INDEMNITIES**

- 6.1** Each party to this Agreement warrants that:
- (a) it has full power and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement;
  - (b) it has obtained all necessary approvals, consents and authorisations to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement;
  - (c) this Agreement imposes binding obligations on the party in accordance with its terms; and
  - (d) it is not the subject of an Insolvent Event.



- 6.2** Both parties indemnifies the other (including its directors, officers, employees and personnel) against any damage, liability (whether actual, contingent or prospective), action, loss, charge, cost or expense. incurred in connection with:
- (a) any breach of any obligation under this Agreement;
  - (b) any wilful, negligent or wrongful act or omission of one of the parties (or its employees, servants, agents and representatives);
  - (c) any Claims that the materials, consent, logos or trademarks provided by each party infringe the Intellectual Property Rights or other rights of a third party.

## **7. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY**

- 7.1** Nothing in this Agreement is to be read as excluding, restricting or modifying the application of any legislation which by law cannot be excluded, restricted or modified.
- 7.2** The liability of AusIMM for breach of a guarantee implied by the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (other than a guarantee under sections 51, 52 or 53 of the Australian Consumer Law) in relation to the supply of goods or services not of a kind ordinarily acquired for personal domestic or household use or consumption, is limited, at AusIMM's option, to:
- (a) in the case of goods – the replacement of the goods, the supply of equivalent goods, the payment of the cost of replacing the goods or the payment of the cost of acquiring equivalent goods; or
  - (b) in the case of services – the supply of the services again or the payment of the cost of having the services supplied again.
- 7.3** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, and to the fullest extent permitted by law, neither party will be liable to the other party for any:
- (a) consequential, indirect or special losses or damages of any kind (including loss or damage which arises naturally, according to the usual course of things, from the relevant breach of contract or tortious duty or other relevant act or omission); or
  - (b) loss of profit or revenue, loss of goodwill, loss or corruption of data, business interruption or indirect costs, suffered by the other party as a result of any act or omission whatsoever of the party, its employees, agents or sub-contractors (including negligence) connected with this Agreement.
- 7.4** To the fullest extent permitted by law, a party's total maximum liability to the other party for any Claims sustained, incurred or suffered by the other party arising under or in connection with this Agreement, the provision of the Sponsorship Benefits or the delivery of the Event, whether in contract, tort (including negligence), breach of statutory duty, or otherwise, shall be limited for all Claims in aggregate to an amount equal to the Sponsorship Fees.

## **8. CONFIDENTIALITY**

The parties must keep confidential and secure all confidential information belonging to the other party (disclosing party), including (without limitation) the terms of this Agreement, and all business and financial information relating to the other party, except with the prior written consent of the disclosing party or where disclosure is required by law, in which case disclosure must be only to the extent required by law. This clause will survive the expiry of termination of this Agreement.

## **9. TERMINATION**

### **Termination for convenience**

- 9.1** AusIMM may without cause terminate this Agreement upon 45 days' notice to the Sponsor. If this Agreement is terminated by AusIMM pursuant to this clause 1, then AusIMM will promptly refund to the Sponsor the full amount of the relevant Sponsorship Fee received. The Sponsor will not be entitled to any further moneys from AusIMM or have any other claim against AusIMM in respect of the termination.

### **Cancellation**

- 9.2** Subject to clause 10, AusIMM may cancel an Event upon 45 days' notice to the Sponsor prior to the relevant Event Commencement Date.

### **Termination for cause**

- 9.3** Either party may terminate this Agreement in whole or in part by written notice to the other party if:
- (a) the other party breaches any of the provisions of this Agreement and fails to rectify such breach, if capable of remedy, within 30 days of being required in writing to do so;
  - (b) the other party commits a material breach of this Agreement which is not capable of being remedied;
  - (c) the other party commits repeated breaches of any of the provisions of this Agreement;
  - (d) the other party is undergoing an Insolvency Event; and/or
  - (e) the other party suffers a Force Majeure Event for 60 days in succession or longer.

### **Termination by AusIMM**

- 9.4** AusIMM may terminate this Agreement (in whole or in part) immediately upon written notice to the Sponsor if, in its sole discretion, it determines that there is an ethical or reputational concern in respect of the Sponsor which may have, or has had, a negative impact upon AusIMM or any Event the subject of this Agreement. In such event, AusIMM agrees to reimburse any monies paid by the Sponsor towards Sponsorship Fees for an Event which has not yet occurred. AusIMM will not be liable for reimbursing the Sponsor for any other costs incurred by the Sponsor in respect of any Event the subject of this Agreement, including, but not limited to, the costs of any advertising or promotional material produced by the Sponsor for any such Event.

#### Effect of termination

- 9.5** Termination of this Agreement for any reason shall not affect any rights and obligations of the Sponsor or AusIMM which have accrued as the date of the termination.
- 9.6** On termination of this Agreement, each party (Receiving Party) must hand over to the other party (Disclosing Party) all materials produced by the Disclosing Party and any other property of the Disclosing Party that are or ought to be in the Receiving Party's possession, custody or control or destroy such materials if requested by the Disclosing Party and subject to applicable laws.
- 9.7** The following clauses survive the expiry or termination of this Agreement: clause 5 (Intellectual Property) 6 (Warranties and Indemnities) 7 (Limitation of Liability), 8 (Confidentially) and 12 (General).

## 10. CANCELLATION, POSTPONEMENT AND FORMAT CHANGE

### Cancellation of an Event

- 10.1** If an Event is cancelled by AusIMM, in whole or in part, including as a result of a Force Majeure Event, then AusIMM will promptly notify the Sponsor and will refund to the Sponsor the full amount of the relevant Sponsorship Fee received if the whole Event is cancelled, or a pro rata amount of the Sponsorship Fee received in the event of part cancellation. The Sponsor will not be entitled to any further moneys from AusIMM or have any other claim against AusIMM in respect of any cancellation.

### Postponement of an Event or Format Change

- 10.2** If an Event, in whole or in part, is postponed or the format of the Event is changed from an in-person Event to an online Event or partial online Event, AusIMM will promptly notify the Sponsor of the details of the postponement or format change. The Sponsor will be entitled to a full refund of the Sponsorship Fees, unless such are held in credit by AusIMM to be used towards another AusIMM activity, at the Sponsor's option. The Sponsor will not be entitled to payment of any other moneys or have any other claim against AusIMM in respect of any postponement or format change required to protect AusIMM's legitimate business interests.

### No refunds

- 10.3** If the Sponsor does not take advantage of all or any of the Sponsorship Benefits specified in the Commercial Terms Schedule, it will not be entitled to a refund of, or to withhold payment of, any of the moneys payable by the Sponsor under this Agreement.

## 11. CANCELLATION BY SPONSOR AND REFUNDS

- 11.1** If the Sponsor wishes to cancel its sponsorship such cancellations of sponsorship must be received in writing by email only to [conference@ausimm.com](mailto:conference@ausimm.com) and a partial refund will only be provided by AusIMM as set out in clause 11.2.

- 11.2** Subject to receiving written notice in accordance with clause 11.1, AusIMM will issue a partial refunds of the Sponsorship Fee as follows:

- (a) where the Sponsor provides more than six (6) months prior written notice of the cancellation before the Event Commencement Date - 75% refund of the Sponsorship Fee (less 25% administration fee);
- (b) where the Sponsor provides between (6) months and three (3) prior written notice of the cancellation before the Event Commencement Date - 50% refund of the Sponsorship Fee (less 50% administration fee); and
- (c) where the Sponsor provides less than three (3) months prior written notice of the cancellation before the Event Commencement Date - No refund of the Sponsorship Fee will be issued by AusIMM.

## 12. GENERAL

- 12.1** This Agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria, Australia. The parties submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.
- 12.2** AusIMM may engage such sub-contractors as AusIMM considers necessary for the performance of its obligations under this Agreement. Subject to the terms of this Agreement, AusIMM will not be held responsible for the acts and omissions of any sub-contractor.
- 12.3** Except where expressly provided, no party to this Agreement has the power to obligate or bind any other party.
- 12.4** Nothing in this Agreement will be construed or deemed to constitute a partnership, joint venture, agency or employee, employer or representative relationship between the Sponsor and AusIMM.
- 12.5** AusIMM may cancel or suspend the performance of the Sponsorship Benefits and/or the delivery of the Event caused by or arisen from any event or circumstances beyond AusIMM's reasonable control, including any acts of God, severe storm, flood, fire, earthquake or other natural occurrences, war, terrorism, civil commotion and riots, strikes and industrial action, epidemic, pandemic or public health emergency, or any resulting governmental action including work stoppages, mandatory business, service or workplace closures, full or partial lockdowns of affected areas, quarantines, border closures and travel restrictions or acts or omissions of governments and regulatory authorities (**Force Majeure Event**), and the time for performance of any impacted Event will be extended accordingly. If AusIMM's performance of the Event is delayed or prevented by a Force Majeure Event, AusIMM will notify You of the nature, extent, affect and likely duration of the circumstances constituting the Force Majeure Event as soon as reasonably practicable and, as soon as reasonably practicable after cessation of the Force Majeure Event, will reschedule and provide the relevant Event. AusIMM will refund any Fees paid in connection with an Event that is subject of a Force

Majeure Event, minus any reasonable administration costs (provided such administration fees are validly incurred by AusIMM in connection with the Event). For the avoidance of doubt, the Sponsor is not entitled to make any further Claims against AusIMM, and AusIMM will not be liable to the Sponsor, in connection with a Force Majeure Event.

- 12.6** These Terms are governed by and are to be construed in accordance with the laws of Victoria, Australia. Each party submits to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.
- 12.7** If a court determines that any provision of these Terms is invalid or not enforceable, that provision shall be read down or severed to the extent of the invalidity or unenforceability only, without affecting the remaining provisions of these Terms.
- 12.8** This Agreement may only be varied by a document executed by the parties.
- 12.9** This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties about the subject matter contained in it; and supersedes and cancels any contract, deed, arrangement, related condition, collateral arrangement, condition, warranty, indemnity or representation relating to the subject matter contained in it, that was imposed, given or made by a party (or an agent of the party) prior to entering into this Agreement.
- 12.10** All notices to be given to or demands to be made upon any party to the Agreement must be in writing and may be delivered in person or sent by email to the current business address of the party.

### 13. DEFINITIONS

In this Agreement, unless expressed or implied to the contrary:

**Booking Form** means a sponsor booking form attached to a Sponsorship Prospectus, provided to the Sponsor by AusIMM or available on AusIMM's website.

**Claims** includes actions, proceedings, suits, causes of action, arbitrations, verdicts and judgements either at law or in equity or arising under a statute, debts, dues, demands, claims of any nature, costs and expenses.

**Commercial Terms** means any commercial terms applicable to the sponsorship of the Event, set out in a Booking Form, a Sponsorship Prospectus or as otherwise agreed by the parties.

**Event** means an AusIMM event, conference or course which may be delivered in person, online or a hybrid format as further described in the Commercial Terms.

**Event Commencement Date** means the date the Event is to commence as set out in the Commercial Terms.

**Insolvency Event** means when either party is unable to pay its debts when they fall due.

**Intellectual Property Rights** means all and any patents, patent applications, trademarks, service marks, trade names, domain names, registered designs, unregistered design rights, copyrights, know how, trade secrets and rights in confidential information, URLs and all and any other intellectual property rights, whether registered or unregistered, and including all applications and rights to apply for any of the same.

**Force Majeure Event** includes any:

- (a) lightning strike, severe storm, earthquake, natural disaster, landslide, bushfire, mudslide or tsunami;
- (b) sabotage, vandalism, malicious damage, riot or a 'terrorist act' as defined in the Terrorism Insurance Act 2003 (Cth);
- (c) explosion, flood or fire;
- (d) war (declared or undeclared), civil war, insurrection, invasion, rebellion, revolution, military action or usurped power, martial law, act of public enemy or embargo;
- (e) ionising radiation, radioactive contamination, nuclear contamination or toxic, chemical or biological contamination; and
- (f) epidemic, pandemic or public health emergency, or any resulting governmental action including work stoppages, mandatory business, service or workplace closures, full or partial lockdowns of affected areas, quarantines, border closures and travel restrictions, and any other event that is beyond the reasonable control of a party, was not caused by an act or omission of the party, and could not have been prevented, avoided, mitigated, remedied or overcome by the party taking steps a prudent and reasonable person would have taken in the circumstances.

**Loss** means any damage, liability (whether actual, contingent or prospective), action, loss, charge, cost or expense.

**Sponsorship Benefits** means the sponsorship benefits set out in the Commercial Terms.

**Sponsorship Fee** means the fee for the Sponsorship and/or Exhibition Benefits set out in Commercial Terms.

**Sponsorship Prospectus** means a sponsorship prospectus for an Event.

*These Terms were last updated on 10 May 2023.*

# Booking Form

## CONTACT DETAILS — Person/s responsible for sponsorship liaison

Title - Please circle (Prof / Dr / Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms)

First Name		Last Name	
Organisation		Position	
Address			
City	State	Postcode	Country
Telephone	Mobile	Email	Website

## SPONSORSHIP — Please select level of sponsorship: (Please indicate)

Platinum Sponsor \$22,400	Congress App \$7,000	Lunch (Three) \$10,000
Silver Sponsor \$11,600	Note Pads & Pens \$5,000	Technical Session \$7,490
Welcome Reception \$10,500	Printed Advertising \$2,500	Congress Proceedings \$11,500
Exhibitor Lounge \$10,000	Gold Sponsor \$16,100	Name Badge & Lanyard \$8,025
Lunch (Single) \$4,000	Congress Dinner \$14,500	Premier Content Sponsor \$11,000
Keynote Speaker \$7,490	Networking Function \$10,500	
Poster Session \$7,490	Coffee Cart & Breaks \$7,500	

## EXHIBITION

Exhibition Booth (single 3mx2m) \$4,815

Meeting Hub (shared) \$2,408

EXHIBITION BOOTH NUMBER PREFERENCE 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in this prospectus.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT AND COMPANY LOGO (IN HIGH RESOLUTION JPG & EPS PRINT FORMAT) MUST BE RECEIVED WITH YOUR COMPLETED FORM**

Sponsorship Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**METHOD OF PAYMENT:** PLEASE SELECT YOUR METHOD OF PAYMENT AND EVENT MANAGEMENT WILL SEND YOU AN INVOICE FOR EFT TRANSFER OR A CREDIT CARD PAYMENT LINK

Credit Card

Invoice

**SPONSORSHIP AND EXHIBITION BOOKINGS ARE NOT CONFIRMED UNTIL PAYMENT HAS BEEN MADE IN FULL PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO EVENT MANAGEMENT:**

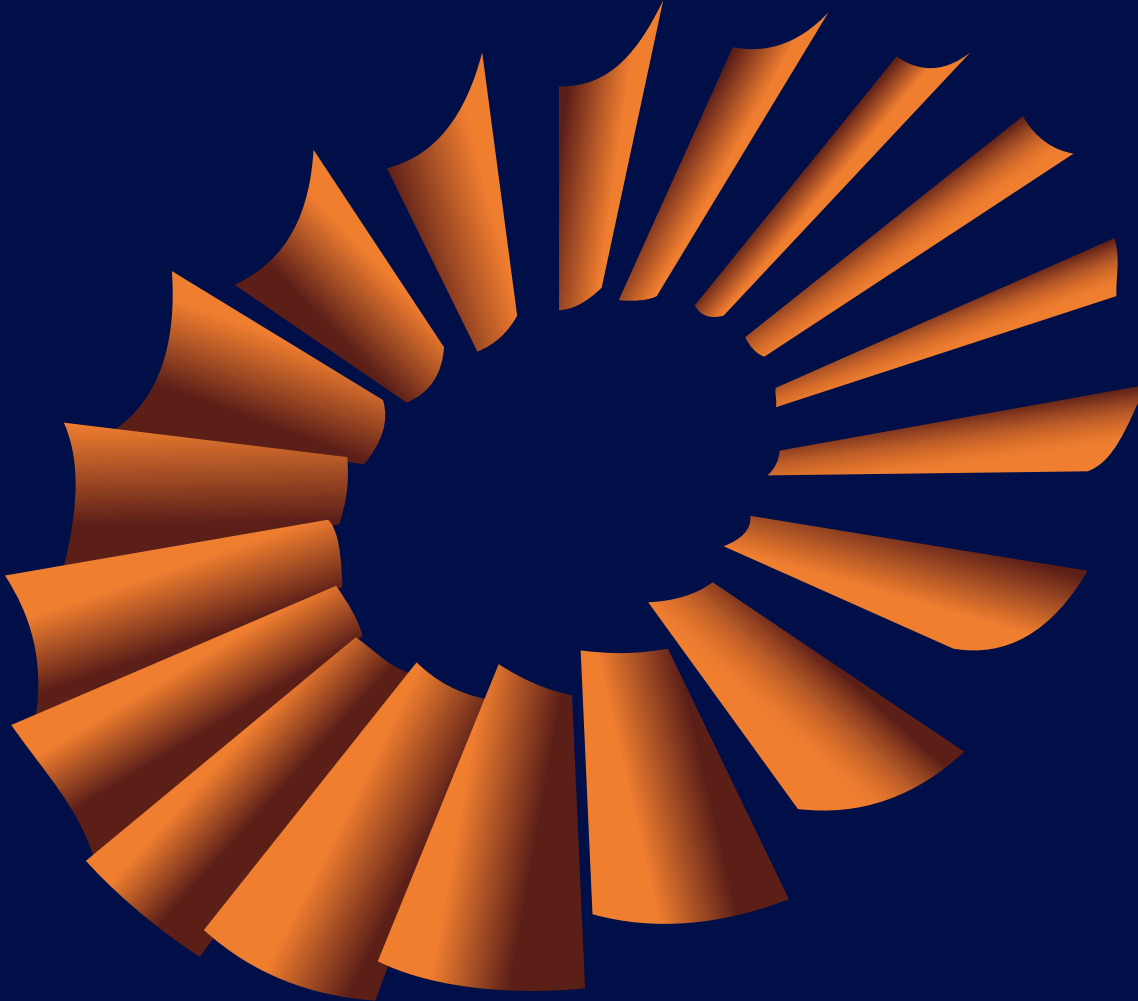
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