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IN THE 21ST CENTURY**

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The Australian Institute of Professional Intelligence Officers takes great pleasure in inviting you to participate in the 29th AIPIO intelligence conference and exhibition, Intelligence 2020, to be held as a virtual event for the first time on 24-25 November 2020. The conference and exhibition will bring together intelligence professionals from around Australia, the region and further afield. The AIPIO annual conference and exhibition has been conducted continuously since our establishment in 1991.

AIPIO ([www.aipio.asn.au](http://www.aipio.asn.au)) is the peak representative body for intelligence practitioners in Australia. Our vision, "Integrated Intelligence: People and Practice", is reflected in this year's theme 'Intelligence Professionals In The 21st Century'.

## INTELLIGENCE PROFESSIONALS IN THE 21ST CENTURY

The theme for Intelligence 2020 is 'Intelligence Professionals in the 21st Century', and within that theme we will explore the sub-themes of People; Technology and Practice.

We believe the job of intelligence professionals will be transformed in the 21st Century by an operating environment marked by the unexpected and the unpredictable. In anticipating and responding to continuously evolving security risks, intelligence professionals will likely be tracking new combinations of non-state and state-sponsored actors who threaten to disrupt civil society. Shifting strategic alliances amongst these hostile actors, military conflicts, the presence of terrorist factions and street gangs, and deteriorating local economies will add to the complexity of intelligence work. At the same time, hostile actors will have access to new resources, including computing technologies and cyberspace operations, as well as chemical and biological agents that will amplify their power to inflict harm and disrupt daily life and commerce. We must prepare the intelligence enterprise for these rapid changes ahead by shaping agile intelligence professionals, assimilating new technologies and building practices that can anticipate and respond at will.



### PEOPLE

The intelligence enterprise depends on the combined skills of its workforce to achieve effective results. Every member of the workforce must have an equal opportunity to excel in their career through learning and performance improvement, mentoring and access to engaging work opportunities. A results-focused workforce, possessing diverse global perspectives and a broad range of skills and capabilities is required to respond to the threats of the 21st Century. Crafting this workforce will require thoughtful recruitment, development and retention activities, as well as fostering an environment where all members of the workforce can maximize their contribution to the goals of the intelligence enterprise.

### TECHNOLOGY

Intelligence professionals will have new resources based on advances in data processing and other technologies. Technologies including artificial intelligence (AI), large dataset analytics, dynamic search tools and interactive technologies are already allowing intelligence officers to process and integrate multiple sources of data and intelligence far more quickly and efficiently than ever before. These technologies are also expanding opportunities for collaboration involving personnel and technology and integration of new types of data. New knowledge, tools and technologies with applications for understanding, forecasting and mitigating security risks are continually emerging.

### PRACTICE

Advances in related fields offer promising ways to glean answers to intelligence questions from the vast streams of information to which analysts potentially have access. New developments in such fields as cognitive and behavioural science, linguistics, psychology and communication are providing the basis for more deeply understanding the social phenomena important to national security. We must seize opportunities to apply new and familiar tools and methods into our practices, including collaborative computing ecosystems, in which autonomous computer agents augment the work of the human analyst, developing a collaborative intelligence team with far greater capacity than would be possible with either humans or machines alone.

# FEATURED SPEAKERS



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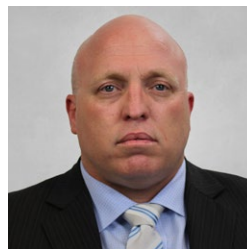
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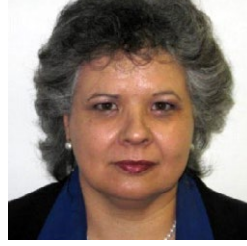
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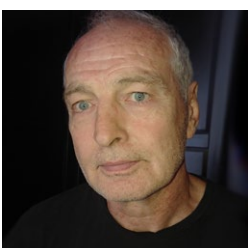
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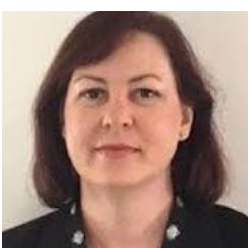
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Historian & Curator,  
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All prices are in Australian Dollars and are inclusive of GST.

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| Member Registration .....                                | <b>\$499.00</b> |
| International Affiliated Organisation Registration ..... | <b>\$499.00</b> |
| Non-Member Registration .....                            | <b>\$699.00</b> |
| Student* .....   | <b>\$299.00</b> |

\*Appropriate evidence must be provided of enrolment in a relevant course (Statement of Enrolments) along with a signed declaration that your primary occupation is a student and you are only employed on a limited casual basis. Registration is subject to board approval.

### FULL REGISTRATION INCLUDES

- ✓ Access to the Conference Platform
- ✓ Live Stream of Conference Sessions on Tuesday & Wednesday
- ✓ Access to the Digital Exhibition on Tuesday & Wednesday
- ✓ Access to online Networking Events including Tuesday Trivia & Awards
- ✓ On-demand Access to all Conference Sessions
- ✓ Access to Specialised Student & Young Intelligence Professional Sessions

Please refer to the conference website for Terms and Conditions and Privacy Policy at [www.aipionationalevents.asn.au/registration](http://www.aipionationalevents.asn.au/registration)

### PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS\*

- ✓ Two Days of Conference Sessions
- ✓ Industry Expert Australian and International Speakers
- ✓ Fun Networking at the Tuesday Trivia & Awards
- ✓ The Great AIPIO Annual Debate
- ✓ Digital Exhibition to meet with industry leading exhibitors and view the latest in intelligence products and technology
- ✓ Targeted Early Career Kick Start Content for Students & Young Intelligence Professionals

\*Program subject to change

## CONFERENCE PLATFORM

For the first time, the Intelligence 2020 conference, networking and exhibition will be delivered using a fully online virtual event platform, allowing you to access the event anywhere, anytime. This platform will provide live streaming of all conference sessions along with opportunities to interact with delegates and exhibitors using a range of interactive tools and innovative event formats, all hosted within a convenient web browser application.

For the best networking experience we recommend that all delegates have access to a webcam and microphone for live video conferencing. This exciting new format will provide delegates with the ability to watch sessions on-demand post event for the first time, ensuring that you do not miss out on any presentation taking place in parallel sessions and have the opportunity to re-watch sessions that were of particular interest.

We will provide further instructions on how to access the online platform in the weeks prior to the conference.

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