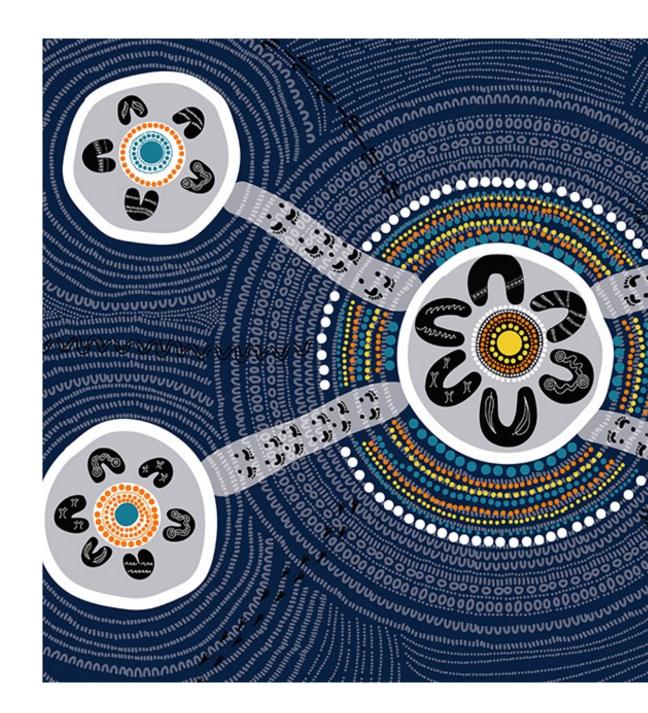


# **IS Update**

2 May 2024

## Acknowledgement of Country

The Infrastructure Sustainability Council would like to begin by acknowledging the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we meet today. I acknowledge their deep connection to land, water and culture, and pay my respects to their Elders past and present.



Age	nda	Infrastructure Sustainability Council
	1	Ratings & Delivery, Michel Colen, Acting GM Ratings & Delivery
	2	<b>Technical &amp; IS Essentials,</b> Tyrel Momberg, Technical Manager
	3	Water & Energy Advisory Groups, Monique Isenheim, Head of Market Development
	4	<b>Learning &amp; Capability,</b> Hayley Grieves, Head of Learning & Capability
-	5	Membership & Events, Andrea Makris Head of Business Engagement
3	6	<b>Q&amp;A</b> Please add any questions to the Q&A button



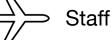
## Ratings & Delivery Update Michel Colen, GM Ratings & Delivery (acting)

## **Ratings and Technical – People**

### Stable Team at the start of 2024



- Recruitment
  - GM Ratings & Delivery (acting) Michel Colen
  - Promoted Chief Delivery Officer (acting) Owen Buckley



Staff Departures FY24

New Zealand PM (Saptarshi)



## **Ratings & Technical Team**



Michel





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Ben

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Adam



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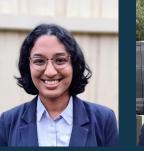


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Suzanne



Randini



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# **Ratings Delivery**

Impact through IS Ratings

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41 new registrations in FY2336 new registrations in H1 FY24



42 certifications in FY23 - 24



27 v2.1 Ratings underway 16 IS Essentials Pilots



underway 240 Active Projects



2x IS Essentials Verifications (1x Certification)

## **Key Dates**

**Registrations and Submission** 

**20 February 2024** – Final contracts for v1.2 registrations.



# **Technical & IS Essentials Update**

Tyrel Momberg, Technical Manager

## **ISC Technical Team**



IS Technical Director Dr Kerry Griffiths

IS Technical Manager Tyrel Momberg

Senior Technical Advisor Gabriela Echavarria Suarez

Senior Technical Advisor Amin Niazai

Sustainability Data Analyst Noel Johnson Vallavanatt

# **Technical Workplan – areas & priorities**

### **6 Technical Workplan Focus Areas**

Rating Tool – development & enhancement

Support Tools – development & enhancement

Data Analytics & Management

Technical Governance

General Technical Support & Management

Technical Team Development & Wellbeing

IS Essentials + digitalisation support

IS Operations (v2.1 scoping)\*

IS Materials Calculator developments + digitalisation support

Data Analytics Strategy & Work Plan

Theory of Change

Product/Tool maintenance structure (Benchmarks)\*

**Technical Working Groups** 

Continuous improvement & tool maintenance

Team Development & Wellbeing\*



## **IS Essentials - reminder**

IS Essentials is the newest tool in the IS Ratings Scheme

- Design & As Built Rating Tool for Projects \$5m- \$100m
- Developed with new users in mind: Local government, Water, Energy
- Built from IS v2.1 Design & As-Built Technical Manual but with reduced complexity and the ability to scale
- ISC's first digital rating
- Supported by the Westpac New Zealand Government Innovation Fund







## Materiality Assessment (automated process)

Capital Band	'Permanent' Credits Screened in	'Additional' Credits Screened in	Total Credits S	Screened in Upper Limit	'Elective' Credits Screened in
\$5 to < 20M	10	0 - 5	<sup>.</sup> 10	15	voluntary
\$20 to < 50M	10	5 - 10	15	20	voluntary
\$50 to 100M	10	10 - 15	20	25	voluntary

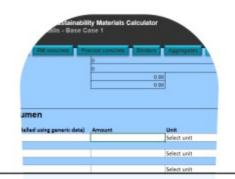
### Possible scenario:

 Small project <\$20M (with fewer High Materiality items)
 10 credits Screened in
 Project targets 3 credits (at L2/L3)
 Towards Bronze Rating



# **IS Materials Calculator developments**



### SINGLE COMPREHENSIVE ISMC - MODIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

DRAFT REPORT

## EN 15804+A1

Impact category	Unit
Global warming	kg CO2 eq
Ozone depletion	kg CFC-11 eq
Acidification	kg SO2 eq
Eutrophication	kg PO4eq
Photochemical oxidation	kg C2H4 eq
Abiotic depletion (minerals)	kg Sbeq
Abiotic depletion (fossil fuels)	MJ

START2SEE LIFE CYCLE ASSESSMENT

### EN 15804+A2

	Environmental impact category	Unit
SIVE.	Climate change - total	kg CO2-eq.
	Climate change - fossil	kg C O2-eq.
	Climate change - biogenic	kg CO2-eq.
	Climate change - land us e and land us e change	kg C O2-eq.
	Ozone Depletion	kg CFC11-eq.
	Acidification	mol H+ eq.
	Eutrophication aquatic fres hwater	kg P eq.
BILIT	Eutrophication aquatic marine	kg N eq.
	Eutrophication terres trial	mol N eq.
	Photochemical azone formation	kg NM/OC eq.
	Depletion of abiotic resources - minerals and metals	kg Sb eq.
	Depletion of abiotic resources - fossil fuels	MU (NCV)
	Water use	m <sup>3</sup> world eq. deprived
ansport mode ansport mode ansport mode	Additional impact categories	Unit
rt mode(s)	Particulate Matter em is sions	Dis eas e incidence
amport mode	lonizing radiation, human health	kBq U235 eq.
arsport mode	Eco-toxicity (fres hwater)	CTUe
	Human toxicity, cancer effects	CTUh
	Human toxicity, non-cancer effects	CTUh
	Land us e related impacts / Soil quality	-

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#### AECOM

## NZ Data in IS Materials Calculator

18-Aug-2023 NZ data in IS Materials Calculator



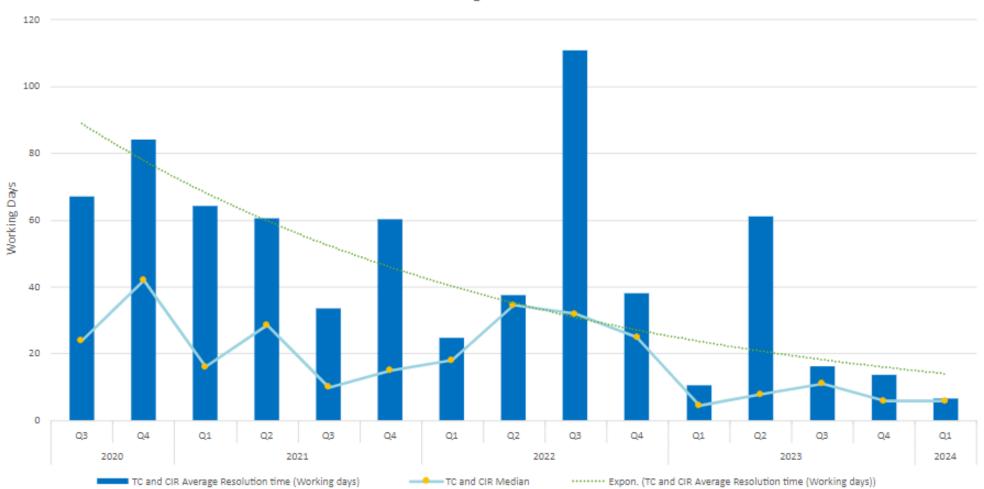
## **Technical Working Groups #Leadership**

TWG	May 2024 updates
Proponent*	Completed paper on 'How to Contractualise an IS Rating' (by Proponents for Proponents); now with ISC to review and publish
IS Planning Scheme*	Closed out contributions on Planning Rating Review; progressing work on impacting project governance
IS Design and As-Built Scheme*	Progressing 'User Notes' (by Industry for Industry) – focus on Energy & Ecology (Energy User Note nearly complete)
IS Essentials Scheme*	Closed out contributions on Essentials Rating tool; progressing Templates
IS Operation Scheme*	Assisting strategize the initial scoping for the v2.1 Tool update
Sustainable Materials*	Closed out contributions on proposal for +A2 EPDs in IS Materials Calculator; progressing work on Recycled content definition



\*All TWGs have provided new Workplan suggestions

## TCs / CIRS



TC & CIR Average resolution times

## **Rulings** (since Jan 2024)

Revision 51: Addition of the following rulings:

-(v1.2 D&AB) - Cli-1.05, Cli-2.02, Dis-2.11, Dis-3.05 -(v1.2 Ops) - Dis-2.11, Dis-3.05, Lan-3.07, Lan-3.08, Man-3.02 -(v2.0 D & AB) - General.09 -(v2.0 Planning) - General.10 -(v2.1 D&AB) - General.09

Revision 52: Addition of the following rulings:

-(v1.2 D&AB) - General.11, General.12, Inn-1.19, Mat-1.12 -(v1.2 Ops) - General.11, General.13, General.15, Inn-1.19, Mat-1.12 -(v2.0 D&AB) - General.11, Inn-1.19 -(v2.0 Planning) - General.11 -(v2.1 D&AB) - General.11, General.14, Inn-1.19

Revision 53: Addition of the following rulings:

-(v2.1 D&AB) - Eco-1.10

### Key Item

 'Endorsed date' replaced with 'Published date' (Rev 51)



Be sure to check the latest rulings register on the ISAP Resources Page



## Water and Energy Advisory Groups Monique Isenheim, Head of Market Development

## **IS WAG – Recommendations**

### **ISWAG Recommendations are being worked through**

No.	Recommendation	ISWAG Priority	Status
5	Consider process or tool for portfolio/ programs/groups organisational verification	High	Done (for programs)
6	Show/communicate how IS ratings bridge the gap between organisational sustainability strategy and individual projects and how data can be used in ESG reporting	High	In progress
1	Provide ROI analysis on Ratings for water sector, and Review/articulate value proposition for organisations with comparably mature sustainability frameworks	Medium	In progress
2	Create case studies to demonstrate cost/benefit of ratings for water sector	Medium	Done <i>,</i> ongoing
3	Consider the group's Credit by Credit recommendations (V 2.1) for V2.1 and other tools as appropriate	Medium	In progress
7	Review Base Case approach and guidance	Low	Done
4	Small projects: Provide ratings tool that is accessible / proportionate for smaller projects	n/a	In progress
8	Provide Water specific guidance	n/a	In progress



New resources available:

- $\circ~$  IS Ratings for Water info brochure
- Parkes Water Treatment Plant Case study
- Credits review underway
- > IS Essentials for smaller projects
- Light Base Case in IS Essentials
- Resource Hub in development



# IS Energy Advisory Group – the "Why"

## Purpose

The Purpose of the Energy Sector Advisory Group is to **enable Infrastructure Sustainability leadership in the renewable energy sector,** ensuring that all renewable energy infrastructure in Australia and New Zealand delivers cultural, social, environmental and economic benefits.

## **Objectives**

- Foster a collaborative community of practice to help drive best (better) practice and support industry transition
- Provide market insight and intelligence to support capacity and capability building for Infrastructure Sustainability in the energy sector
- To report and make recommendations on stakeholder views relevant to ISC



## Who are we as a Group?

Representation of the renewable energy generation, transmission and distribution sector in Australia and New Zealand

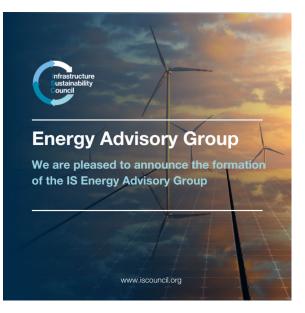
## **Members**\*

Renewable Energy Developers/Generators I CleanCo, Acciona, Stanwell, Pacific Blue, Meridian Energy (NZ) Transmission/ Distribution Companies I Endeavour Energy, TasNetworks, TransGrid, Transpower Consultants / Designers I WSP, Perspektiv, Jacobs, Pitt & Sherry, KPMG, Mott MacDonald, Aurecon Contractors I Downer, Ventia Key Suppliers (Steel, wires) I Infrabuild Associations / Collaborators I Energy Charter

\* Note there are several category overlaps, e.g. consultants/designers, Developers/Retailers

## **Community of practice**

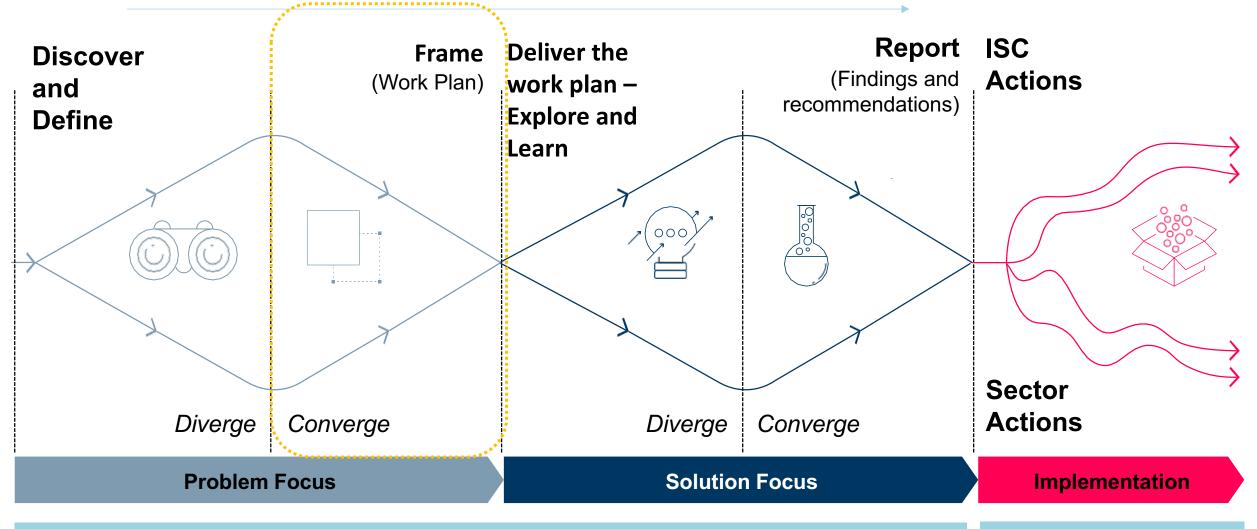
Open – please email monique.isenheim@iscouncil.org or your ISC contact to be included in updates





## **Process**

We are here in May 2024



ISC Energy Advisory Group

**Community of Practice** 



# Learning & Capability Update Hayley Grieves, Head of Learning & Capability

## **RISE Leadership** Mentoring

### Applications close May 13th

### What's involved

- Virtual 9-month program (June to Feb)
- Australia & New Zealand.
- 20 Mentors and 20 Mentees.
- Algorithm matching.

### **Benefits**

Participants in previous cohorts report a number of benefits that include:

- improved confidence and self-awareness,
- clearer career direction, and
- enhanced leadership skills

#### Infrastru Sustaina Counci **RISE Mentoring Program**

Helping our future leaders, and giving back to an industry that has given me so much, is incredibly personally important to me. Being able to help, offer viewpoints or ask questions from the perspective of experience to help mentees arrive at their own answers or approaches on issues or situations that ady navigated through is just wonderful. For me, to be able to assist in giving confidence to someone taking their next steps, making change in ers, or making a greater impact is so rewarding. It's something I enjoy doing, as the learning is often reciprocal, and is a great way of creating new relationships and friendships that have the ability to endure well beyond the timeframe of the formal mentoring program.

- Nicole Neal -Chief Executive Australia, Tonkin + Taylor

Program sponsored by 

A mentor's perspective

I decided to be a mentor because I think the job of a leader is to help grow the next leaders. The RISE program provides an opportunity for me to offer additional support to someone seeking to grow their impact in sustainability. From the program, I'm hoping to learn more about the industry from someone with a different perspective.

- Scott Matyus-Flynn -Head of Built Environment Sustainability **Transformation, Edge Impact** 



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GAMUDA Australia

**RISE Mentoring Program** 

A mentor's perspective

## **RISE Mentoring Program**



One of the big challenges I've found in infrastructure sustainability is influencing without authority. I am keen to learn from an experienced sustainability champion the leadership strategies necessary to drive ESG outcomes on projects.

- Annette Tavior -Sustainability Advisor Accion





# **IS Planning**

### Course commencement 22<sup>nd</sup> May

### **Undertaking a Planning rating**

- Strategic & Detailed
- Key elements, Categories, and Credit linkages

### **The Options Assessment**

- Economic theme Options Assessment
- Significance thresholds
- Applying sustainability criteria to significant decisions

### **Prioritising & undertaking credits**

Credit Deep Dives

### **Tools and Resources**

### Videos

- · An introduction to IS Planning
- Main Roads WA, Embedding sustainability at the outset
- GHD, Sustainability Procurement



#### **Case Studies**

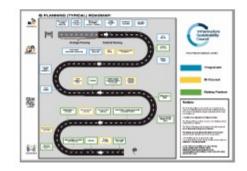
- Applying Sustainability to Options Assessment with East Link
- Lessons learnt from Bunbury Outer Ring Road

#### Take away resources

- IS Planning fact sheet
- IS Planning roadmap
- IS Planning certificate







## **IS Essentials toolkit**

### Available from 27<sup>th</sup> May



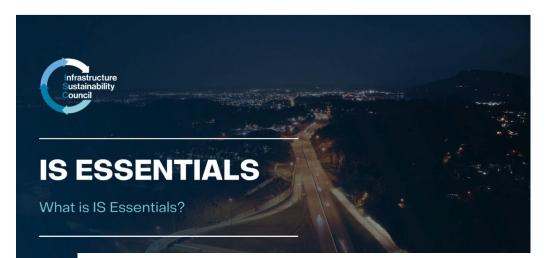
Overview of IS Essentials



- Materiality Assessment
- Base Case/ Modelling pathways
- Adjusted/Modified credit criteria
- Digital Platform
- IS Essentials Quiz



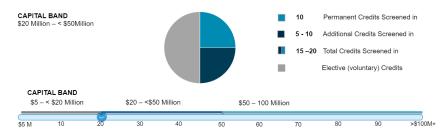
IS Essentials Certificate



### Capital Bands

The number of credits 'screened in' is assigned by the project's Capital value.

In the IS Essentials (Design & As Built) rating, the completed Materiality Assessment is used to determine the number of credits available to be targeted. X Close



## Capability Framework

### Coming June 2024

- support infrastructure sustainability professionals to further develop their skills and knowledge
- guide career development
- detail the areas of practice applied by infrastructure sustainability professionals
- outline the capability expectations from graduate/ junior level through to experienced levels.



Infrastructure Sustainability Capability Framework

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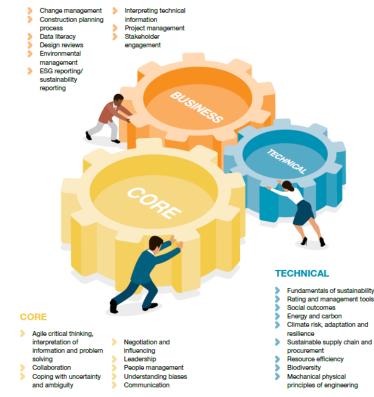
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### Infrastructure Sustainability Capability Areas of Practice

The infrastructure sustainability capability subtypes, **technical, business** and **core** can be further distilled into areas of practice. In total this framework contains twenty seven infrastructure sustainability capability areas of practice. The diagram below displays the areas of practice against each capability subtype.





## Sustainability, a career path in construction

### **Report Launch event** Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July

### **Sustainability Skills**

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Sustainability Cynicism

Job Stres

Workload

Industry capacity

Current remuneration rates

Lack of career opportunitie Lack of professional community

Barriers to innovation

Accessing funding for sustainability initiatives

Managing a healthy Work/Life balance Lack of Diversity, Equality and Inclusion in the

**Calling all Infrastructure Sustainability** Professionals!!

Thanks to NSW Government funding, the ISC is undertaking research into the skills essential for professionals in the field of infrastructure sustainability.

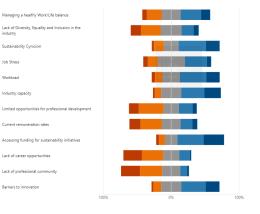
Contribute to the research that will shape the future of your profession. Complete the Skills Survey.



## 58% female

+300

responses









### **Workplace Culture** in Construction



Why Construction Needs to Change Construction is becoming a less appealing option for many people. Watch this video to find out more about the reasons for the shift, and hear what you can do to help attract more people to this important industry.

NEXT >





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environmental progress Comment Find out more about Alyssa's sustainability journey here: https://lpkd.ip/gK-ucAdS

#WomeninInfrastructure #Sustainablilty #inclusion

#### Career Stories from

Alyssa Slaney | Liang O'Rourk

**Women in Sustainable Construction** 

"You don't need to have sustainability in your title to make a positive change. You can be in safety, engineering, marketing and communications, commercial, design, planning, guality, human resources or any other function for that matter. There is a place for you in construction - and you are very much wanted and needed."

Career Stories - ISCouncil



# **Membership & Events**

Andrea Makris, Head of Business Engagement

## **ISCouncil Members**

Over 200 organisations committed to accelerating sustainability outcomes for infrastructure



### Proponents / Financiers

### Policy & Regulation



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Over 200 organisations committed to accelerating sustainability outcomes for infrastructure

### Consultants



### Contractors



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## The value of membership









### **Collaboration, Networking and Engagement**

- Join a large and dedicated community of practice.
- Contribute to and access sustainability publications, regular newsletters, podcasts, social media communications, thought leadership reports and the annual impact report.
- Engage in networking events, forums, webinars and conferences.

### Knowledge, Learning and Capability

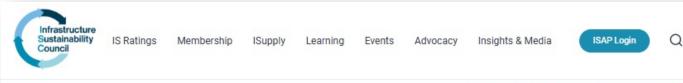
- Invest in sustainability, the leadership competency of our time.
- Build the capacity of your entire organisation with access to member exclusive rates and resources.
- Customise a bespoke training course to address your unique sustainability goals and challenges.

### Advocacy, Influence and Impact

- Collaborate to help amplify our collective impact and influence, and to inform the future of sustainable infrastructure.
- Contribute to sectoral and technical advisory groups.
- Advocate and inspire impact around critical themes including climate action, circular economy, modern slavery and resilience.

### Leadership, Commitment and Assurance

- Communicate a commitment to sustainability to your staff, government, clients and the global community.
- Showcase and be recognized for your project outcomes, sustainable products and innovative services.
- Provide assured metrics for your mandatory reporting, improve access to sustainable finance and escalate your market position.





## **IS Council Member Resources Hub**

### Welcome to the IS Council Member Resources Hub

Below you will find information and resources to help you to leverage and promote your IS Council Membership.

If you need any further information or support, please email info@iscouncil.org



#### ISC Member Prospectus

A document that outlines the benefits of membership, an overview of the Infrastructure Sustainability Council, current members and the IS Rating Scheme.



#### **ISC Member Charter**

A statement of member commitments.

Learn More



Please ensure you adhere to the ISC Brand Guidelines whenever you are using our corporate brand and logos. The Member Agreement will outline the legal limitations of the use of these ISC corporate assets.

Learn More

**ISC Brand Guidelines** 



#### ISC Member Agreement

A legal document that outlines the terms and conditions of your IS Council Membership.

Learn More

### **Member Resources Hub Highlights**

- Resources to help leverage and promote your IS Council Membership
- Updates on Member-Only Opportunities
- Access a step-by-step guide on how to initiate and optimise your ISupply listing.
- Member Content Portal:
  - Submit content that you propose to share with the ISC membership community in relation to your impact, innovations, case studies, or the profile of one of your leaders.
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs):
  - Find answers to common queries and make the most of your membership.

#### Download

# **Engagement Opportunities for Members**

- Exhibiting or presenting **insights and case studies** at annual conference or statebased knowledge sharing events.
- Contributing a case study in the annual ISC Impact Report or via webinars.
- Coordinating a tailored engagement to support your strategic priorities. Eg Having an ISC speaker at your own event.
- Being recognised for excellence at the annual ISC Gala Awards.
- Participating in regional networking and certification events, executive roundtables, webinars and focus groups.
- Learning and contributing via the Technical Working Groups, Advisory Groups and Member Coalitions eg Modern Slavery Coalition

Hosting or attending site tours and special events.



## 2024 Engagement Opportunities (part year sample)

For engagement opportunities check IS Events <u>www.iscouncil.org</u> as well as your inbox

Date	Region	Event	
7 MAY	NSW	Women in Sustainable Construction Lunch	
16 MAY	Webinar	IS Ratings Case Studies – Tonkin Highway Gap Project and Te A Tupua	
30 MAY	Webinar	Spotlight on Suppliers – NZ Edition	
18 JUNE	Auckland, NZ	Modern Slavery in Infrastructure Sector I Connect Breakfast	
19 JUNE	Auckland, NZ	ISAP Day	
19 JUNE	Auckland, NZ	Certification and Networking Event	
ТВС	NSW	Certification and Networking Event	
11 JULY	QLD	Certification and Networking Event hosted by BESIX Watpac	
17 JULY	VIC	Certification and Networking Event hosted by CPB	
29-31 Oct	Sydney	Connect Conference (Prospectus Coming Soon)	
31 Oct	Sydney	Gala Dinner and ISC Awards	

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# **Spotlight on Suppliers webinars**

A showcase of 6 ISuppliers every two months delivered via webinar.

Delivered in a snappy 45 minute lunchtime session, you will hear a quick presentation from each supplier followed by a short Q&A.

Tune in if:

- you are a procurer, influencer or decision-maker seeking suppliers that are willing to go beyond business-as-usual
- you wish to stay up-to-date with the latest products and services in the infrastructure sustainability space
- you are undertaking an IS Rating and looking for collaborative partners to accelerate your pathway to better outcomes for your project.

Next webinar on 30 May to focus on New Zealand.





Q&A



# Thank You