



Technical Managers Network

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TMN Meeting Invite

The First Meeting of the VAPAC Technical Managers Network for 2024 will be held in Tasmania.

Dates: **Sunday 4th – Tuesday 6th February, 2024**
Time: **Sunday afternoon to Tuesday afternoon**
Location: **Tasmania – starting Hobart, end Launceston**
Cost: **\$110.00 per person- VAPAC TMN is subsidising this conference to assist with travel costs.**

Registration: <https://www.trybooking.com/CKCVK>

To Register, please use the TryBooking Link above

Payment can be made via credit card or you can request an invoice to be sent to you. If requesting invoice, please use code '**invoice**' and note the purchase order number on the booking, if required.

If you pay when booking, please do not request an invoice.

It is **not** a receipt, but the full invoice being sent to out for payment.

Reservations due by **5pm on Friday 20th October.**

Please complete booking prior to this time.

THERE IS SIGNIFICANTLY MORE LEAD TIME REQUIRED FOR THIS CONFERENCE, BOOKINGS ARE REQUIRED BY 20TH OCTOBER

If you have any questions, please contact Margaret Murray, TMN Secretary on 0419 377 855 or at mmurray@casey.vic.gov.au

Sunday Venue Street Address:

Theatre Royal: 29 Campbell St, Hobart, TAS

Monday Venue Street Address:

Theatre North: Princess Theatre, 57 Brisbane St, LAUNCESTON, TAS

Tuesday Venue Street Address:

Devonport Convention Centre: Market Square, 137 Rooke St, DEVONPORT, TAS

Burnie Arts Centre: 77 – 79 Wilmot St, BURNIE, TAS



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ALL TRAVEL BETWEEN VENUES WILL BE ARRANGED AS PART OF CONFERENCE AND AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO CONFERENCE. DELEGATES NEED TO FLY IN TO HOBART AND DEPART FROM LAUNCESTON AT OWN COST

Dinners:

Sunday night – 6.30pm:

tbc. Address: tbc, HOBART TAS 7000

Monday night – 6.30pm:

Tbc: Address: tbc, LAUNCESTON TAS 7250

Breakfasts – Monday and Tuesday:

Venue tbc:– these are at delegates own cost

Monday Address: tbc,

Tuesday Address: tbc,

Accommodation Suggestions:

SUNDAY NIGHT

The Old Woolstore Apartment Hotel, Hobart

1 Macquarie St, Hobart, TAS 7000

P: (03) 6235 5355

W: <https://www.oldwoolstore.com.au/>

400m – 5 minute walk to Theatre

MONDAY NIGHT

Best Western Plus Hotel

3 Earl St, Launceston, TAS 7250

P: (03) 6333 9999

W: <https://bestwesternhotellaunceston.com.au/>

80m – 1 minute walk to Theatre

We recommend booking early for accommodation.

Transport options:

Car:

Difficult unless you are the owner of Chitty Chitty Bang Bang. Alternatively you can put car on Spirit of Tasmania Ferry.

Train:

Even more difficult as Australia is yet to build it's own version of the 'Chunnel' English Channel Tunnel



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Plane:

Our recommended choice of transport.

Prices vary so much, so recommend you look early, and at different times. If you can travel outside of peak business travel times that will work in your favour.

Hobart has a Skybus, uber and taxi's operating from Airport to city centre. It is approximately a 15min drive.

Launceston has a local small bus company that does transfers to the airport and costs roughly \$40. It is approximately a 15min drive.

Please note that with Tasmanians travelling to the Taylor Swift concerts in Melbourne, flights returning to Melbourne are going quickly and going up in price, the sooner you book the better we believe.

Questions:

If you need additional support to get this over the line with managers, or more information please don't hesitate to reach out via the Discussion Forum or email Margaret Murray on mmurray@casey.com.au