NSW State Practitioner Network

- Actions and Aims
- More disruption
- Looking forward

Presenter
Gregory Fenwick
NSW SPN:
Who are we made up of?

- Membership is spread throughout the state
- Many councils are still settling down following amalgamation
NSW SPN – What have we been doing?

• Limited event activity due to changes at SPN level

• Strong support for national EDA activities to ensure relevance has remained strong
NSW SPN - Are our members engaged?

• The overwhelming response is yes!

• NSW members were very active in the 2018 EDA Awards for Excellence with 10 nominations received.
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Victoria State Practitioner Network

Presenter
Peter Jeffery (Chair)
EDA Victoria

- EDA members based in Victoria: 217
- Committee members: 11
- Committee meetings: 10 + 2 Teleconference
- Events run No: 4
Future events
Friends of EDA
VIC SPN Management Committee

- Peter Jeffery (Chair)
- David Power (Deputy Chair)
- Chris Botha (Secretary)
- Peter Forbes ACEcD
- Sally Curtis
- Lou Zarro ACEcD
- Danielle Phyland
- Tim Ellis ACEcD
- Matthew Gould ACEcD
- Shannan Little
Western Australia State Practitioner Network

Presenter
Jason McFarlane
Spn annual report: eda: wa 2017-18
achievements since last nedc

members: 68 (as at september 2018)

seminars:
• supporting high-growth entrepreneurship (september 2017)
• smart cities (november 2017)
• creating more enabling local business environments (june 2018)
• supporting strategic local industry clusters (october 2018)

advocacy:
• role of local government in economic development
EDA: WA 2017-18
Other achievements...

Partnerships:
• Western Australian Local Government Association
• Regional Development Australia (Perth) – pending

Informal networking events (‘gatherings’):
• ‘A day in the life of an economic development practitioner’ (Ian Martinus, Wanneroo)
• National EDA update (Jaqueline Brinkman)

Governance
• Special election meeting: new Management Committee
EDA: WA 2018-19
Work Plan

SPN goals for 2018-19:
• Become a recognised leader and advocator in economic development
• Build a broad, active and learning network of economic development practitioners.

SPN priorities for 2018-19:
• Build our profile and credibility
• Create meaningful partnerships
• Professional development and networking
EDA: WA 2018-19
Work Plan: future events

• More, stronger partnerships with other state organisations
• More informal networking events (‘gatherings’)
• Refresh of the Regional and Remote Area Training Program (RRATP)—possibly as an online resource
Future Seminars

- Role of local government in tourism development
- Supporting place-based economic development and entrepreneurship
- Infrastructure development and freight logistic—practitioner issues and the management of lack impacts
- Aboriginal economic development
THANK YOU
WA SPN Management Committee

- Simon White, Publicus (Chairperson)
- Dana Mason, WA Local Government Association (Deputy Chairperson)
- Katie Bawden, Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (Secretary)
- Jason McFarlane, FarLane (National Board representative)
- William Barry, Town of Bassendean
- Jay Hardison, City of Belmont
- Steve Marmion, City of Joondalup
- Ian Martinus, City of Wanneroo
- John O'Neill, Shire of Serpentine-Jarrahdale
South Australian State Practitioner Network

Presenters
Neil McNish
Brian Hales
Population: 1,676,653 (Up 5.01%)

Employment: 742,743 (Up 4.28%)

Value-Added: $96.2 billion (Up 3.21%)

Wages and Salaries: $50.6 billion (Up 3.9%)

Gross State Product: $103.3 billion (Up 2.9%)

Output: 0.97%

Regional Exports: 9.61%
Economic Development Measures

- Identifying and applying new technologies and data sources to measure and evaluate economic development programs
- A robust set of measures relevant to the range of economic development functions
- A report on the outcome of testing the measures
Thought Leaders

1. Ageing, well-being and the Economy
2. Digital disruption and the shaping of economic development
Creative Industries Sector

- Craft Brewing industry
- Music Industry Forum
SA SPN Management Committee

- Simon Millcock (Chair)
- Kevin Lowe (Secretary)
- Anne Moroney
- Brian Hales
- Donna Griffiths
- Monique Palumbo
- Chris Hannaford
- Matt Grant
- Virginia Miller
- Glen Hickling
- Neil McNish
Tasmanian State Practitioner Network

Presenters
Chair; Adam Saddler
Vice Chair; Erin McGoldrick ACEcD.
We are new!

We are the first SPN in Tasmania

State Government
Local Government
Private Sector
What’s happening in Tassie?

- Population growth
- Tourism growth
- Employment growth
- City Deal in the North & in development for the South
Tasmania’s SPN

• Membership:
  8 individual
  1 corporate (15 members)

• Activities:
  Formation!
  Promotion & recruitment
Tasmania’s SPN

What’s next?

• Training opportunities (improving data skills, City Deals)
• Networking (more recruitment)
• Tas. Economic Development Forum (April 2019)
TAS SPN Management Committee

- Adam Saddler (Chair)
- Erin McGoldrick (Deputy Chair)
- Susie Bower
- Quecha Horning
- Lucy Knott
- Chris Cooper
Queensland State Practitioner Network

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Margaret Blade, Secretary, EDA Qld SPN
Queensland – Australia’s most decentralised State where half the population lives outside the capital.

- 180 Members
- 5 Corporate Members
EDA and RDA - Queensland & Commonwealth Collaboration & Showcase project

Delivered a Queensland & Commonwealth Collaboration & Showcase project as part of the 2018 Commonwealth Games Trade & Investment program.

Event on the Gold Coast with Queensland RDAs and councils promoting their regions, and economic development practitioner workshops and panels.
EDA and RDA
Queensland & Commonwealth Collaboration & Showcase
Queensland’s Regions Trading Globally

With the Queensland RDAs, we developed a 32-page prospectus showcasing the RDA regions’ industry strengths and investment opportunities; 2,500 Trade2018 delegates received an e-copy of the prospectus and RDAs are distributing them to promote their trade & investment opportunities.

QLD SPN Management Committee

- Margaret Blade
- Paul Martins
- John Hine
- David Keenan
- Robert Prestipino
- Bruce Redpath
- Tracy Scott-Rimington