NEW FOR 2024:
PARTNER BUS DISPLAY!

BusSA Conference 2024

Saturday 18 May | Adelaide Pavilion

Bus SA welcomes all to our Annual Conference to be held at the conveniently located Adelaide Pavilion on Saturday May 18.

The BusSA Conference is the key opportunity for bus operators, partners, Government and regulators to join together to share issues, learnings, opportunities and actions to support and add value to your bus business and to improve the wider bus and coach industry in SA.

While the insight and learning from our expert industry leaders will be varied, this year our program will focus on updates, matters and preparation related to the upcoming School Bus Services contract tendering process.

Please see the full Conference Program below, further details will be released as they are confirmed.

We look forward to seeing you in May!

BusSA
Bus & Coach Association SA

Conference program

Friday May 17

5.30 - 7.30pm: **Welcome Networking Event**
The Gallery Rooftop Bar. 30 Waymouth St.

Saturday May 18

BusSA Conference: The Adelaide Pavilion. Corner South Terrace & Peacock Road

am	9.15	Registration, Welcome Morning Tea and Partner Display	
	9.55	Opening Address	Stephen Lucas, BusSA Chair
	10.00	Government Address	Michael Brown MP, Member for Florey on behalf of The Hon Tom Koutsantonis MP Minister for Transport and Infrastructure
	10.15	Shadow Ministerial Address	The Hon Vincent Tarzia MP Shadow Minister for Transport and Infrastructure
	10.30	Keynote: Pitch like a pro! In an age of endless data and everything seemingly being within reach of our fingertips - communication and human connection are more importat than ever. Jenna Gorman (Account Director, The Online Director) believes that "A good idea must not fail for lack of communication of courage". What you will take away fom this keynote: - Appreciate the value of having a communication plan - Techniques to turn raw information into messages that resonate with different audiences - Case studies & checklists to help you navigate the process of a) deciding on your key focus b) understanding your audience through data & conversation; and c) continually improving your message delivery.	Jenna Gorman The Online Director
	11.15	Driver and operator accreditation; Initiatives, trends and tips.	Bill Georgopoulos and Karl Mortimer, Service SA
	11.30	School bus services update	Tristan Smith and Christian Barnes, Department for Education.

12.00pm: **Networking Lunch** and **Partner Display**

pm	1.00	The transition to zero emissions - what to consider when starting to plan and prepare for an EV future.	Greg Abel, Foton Mobility. Brett Collins, Bus Finance Aust (EV Finance). Dean Moule, BIC. Alex Bowler, Jet Charge.
	1.45	IR update: Industry recruitment and retention project, current PVTA and IR matters.	Ian MacDonald, APTIA.
	2.15	BIC update	Roz Chivers, BIC.
	2.30	Afternoon Tea and Partner display	
	2.45	BusSA and Government update	Craig Spurr, Bus SA
	3.00	School bus service contracts - Service, Safety, Reliability and Sustainability. Industry and operator preparation. Industry panel and open Q & A	Jared Kent, Chair, BusSA School Bus Service Committee. Lachlan Pickering, BusSA School Bus Service Committee Member.
	4.00	Panel discussion: Industry issues and opportunities	Roz Chivers. Stephen Lucas. Julian Gurney.

4.30pm: **Sessions close.** Networking Drinks and Canapes, plus Partner Display
6.30pm: **Conference concludes.**

Important Information

Conference Venue
Adelaide Pavilion is conveniently located at the corner of South Terrace and Peacock Avenue (King William Rd).

Venue Access
Complimentary parking is available at the Adelaide Pavilion, or catch the free tram along King William St.

Friday Night Networking
The Gallery roof top bar is located in the laneway from 30 Waymouth St. Join your industry colleagues to kick start the Conference weekend. Light food provided.

What to wear
Business casual attire.

Suggested Accommodation
You are welcome to stay at your preferred hotel, we've listed some options below that are easily accessible to the conference venue:

Terrace Hotel:
208 South Terrace.

HotelMotel Adelaide:
215 South Terrace.

Hilton Adelaide:
Victoria Square.

Quest King William South:
379 King William St.

Cancellations and refunds
Any alterations or cancellations must be notified in writing to Bus SA at admin@bussa.asn.au. Conference registration cancellations will incur a $30 administration fee. No refunds will be given to those cancelling after 11 May 2024, however, a substitute delegate will be accepted.

Further Information
Please contact Bus SA on (08) 8269 1077 or admin@bussa.asn.au.

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Bus SA Conference 2024 Registration form

Please complete and return this form to Bus SA via email at admin@bussa.asn.au by no later than Friday 10 May.

Main contact name: _____

Organisation: _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

	Dietary requirements or allergies	
Delegate name: _____	☐ **Yes**	☐ **No**
Delegate name: _____	☐ **Yes**	☐ **No**
Delegate name: _____	☐ **Yes**	☐ **No**
Delegate **name:** _____	☐ **Yes**	☐ **No**

Dietary/allergy information: _____

Registration fee

The Full Delegate fee includes Friday night networking, attendance at the Conference sessions and the Saturday evening event close networking.

Delegate Type	Number	Members (GST inc)	Non-members (GST inc)	Total
Full Delegate		$200	$350	
Saturday only		$150	$300	
			Grand total	

☐ I will attend Friday night networking.

Payment details

Please select one of the following methods of payment – Cheque, Credit Card or EFT Deposit.

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