







# **About AITPM**

AITPM is the leading national membership association for all transport professionals who plan, design, engineer, deliver, operate, manage, measure, and support Australia's transport systems.

We advocate to government and industry, provide career support, hold events, encourage new people to join the industry, and promote the importance of transport to the broader community.

We are building a connected community of members, facilitating collaboration and engagement across the industry, and sharing and developing knowledge and experience.

We regularly communicate with more than 5,000 industry professionals and practitioners, working within all levels of government, consultancy, the private sector, and academia. Our members come from many professions. Their areas of work include:

- Transport Planning
- Traffic Engineering
- Transport and Land Use Modelling
- Active Transport
- Transport Policy
- Road Safety
- Traffic/Transport Research
- Intelligent Transport Systems
- Road Design
- Traffic management.

Our services and events address this broad range of areas of practice, exposing thousands of practitioners to the latest content, innovation, and technical perspectives every month.

While our state branches are the local engine rooms of our activity, we are a truly national organisation, working together to share and grow the industry's body of knowledge to ultimately improve transport outcomes for all communities.







# Our ambitious vision for the industry

Our purpose is to raise the profile of the transport community and the role that they play in achieving our vision for sustainable, efficient, safe, and accessible transport systems.

We support our members to connect, collaborate, and participate to advance their skills, capabilities, and knowledge.

To contribute to the achievement of this ambitious vision for the industry, we support our members to connect, collaborate, and participate to advance their skills, capabilities, and knowledge. In doing so, we are focused on:

- Community | AITPM will grow a strong, connected, and supportive community of practitioners to enhance the resilience and capacity of the industry.
- Collaboration | AITPM will facilitate collaboration and engagement across the industry to influence better outcomes.
- Capability | AITPM will grow industry capability through sharing and developing knowledge and experience.
- Governance and Organisational Excellence | AITPM will ensure the correct operational enablers are in place to allow us to fulfill our mission and objectives

The AITPM is inviting likeminded organisations to partner with us in the achievement of this vision for the industry.

We are seeking partners that believe in collaboration, and that will work with us and the transport community to grow the capability of the industry.





# Partner for growth

AITPM has continued to experience significant growth in our reach, membership, and services. In the 2022-23 financial our membership grew by 19%, and more than 2,400 people attended events, with 6,000 attendances across 86 events. Our regular event communications reach close to 5,500 people and we are fast becoming the go-to for advertising transport jobs. In 2024 our strategic initiatives focused on promoting careers in transport and engaging in policy and advocacy will further enhance our position in the industry, and by association our supporting Partners.

Our partners are respected in the industry for the investment they make and through our extensive promotional and profile opportunities, their brands are recognised within the industry as leaders.

Our partnerships provide the opportunity for our partner organisations to showcase the talent, experience, and achievements of their teams amongst their industry peers and clients, building connections and strengthening their position as industry and technical leaders.

Partnering with the AITPM is an investment in the advancement of the transport industry, through supporting the enhancement of AITPM services, products, and knowledge.

At a national level AITPM offers two key types of partnership, Industry Partner, and Technical Partner. Each provides a range of benefits that are focused on enabling our partners to showcase the talents and experience of their teams, while providing differing levels of engagement to suit the exposure that you desire.

We invite you to partner with AITPM.





# Partnership packages

AITPM has the following two national partnership packages, with the option for partners to customise or expand their engagement with the addition of further opportunities and benefits, including additional national conference sponsorship and other event-based products.

## **Industry Partners**

The Industry Partner package will position your company as an industry leader and boost your exposure across the industry at all levels, from decision makers to practitioners.

The signature piece of this package is the opportunity to work collaboratively with AITPM to deliver a range of technical and/or networking events that will boost your exposure in the industry and showcase your team. Industry partners will gain access to exclusive opportunities to engage with industry decisionmakers.

You will gain exposure with the breadth of AITPM's membership, with a database of more than 5,500 transport and traffic practitioners across Australia. Your brand will be promoted at technical events nationally, in addition to our annual National Conference and the Online Conference Series.

An Industry Partnership with the AITPM will also provide access for members of your team to many of our events and services, providing a way to support the professional development and connection building for your staff.

## **Technical Partners**

The Technical Partner package will position your company as a technical leader and strong supporter of the value of technical knowledge and skills.

Technical Partners gain exposure to AITPM's membership, with database of more than 5,500 transport and traffic practitioners across Australia. Your brand will be promoted at technical events across the country, in addition to our annual National Conference and the Online Conference Series, providing the opportunity to access the breadth and depth of our country's technical professionals.

A Technical Partnership with the AITPM will also provide access for members of your team to many of our events and services, providing a way to support the professional development of your staff.

## Boost the Partnership

Both packages are the base option, with a range of other opportunities available to be incorporated to boost your exposure and involvement. Please contact us to discuss your needs.



# Industry Partner Package

The Industry Partner package incorporates a range of opportunities across the following technical, networking and profile focused elements of AITPM activities:

- Partner Events
- Profile and Thought Leadership
- Speaking and Chairing
- · Access to Industry Decision Makers and Relationship Building
- Brand Exposure
- LinkedIn Promotion
- Benefits and Discounts

This package is \$25,000+GST for the 2024 calendar year and can be secured for a term of up to 3 years at this rate (to avoid future annual price increases).

#### **Partner Events**

This core aspect of the Partnership package is intended to provide Partners the opportunity to work collaboratively with AITPM to develop quality events that address relevant and topical issues in the transport community - with the CEO for national webinars and policy workshops, the TMN for modelling events, and with Branches and Networks for local in person events. This provides the opportunity for the Partner to demonstrate their expertise, experience, and interest in the relevant aspects of transport practice, and their support for the transport community.

- Subject to the requirements below, the Partner is to engage with the AITPM community via a **minimum of 3** (maximum of 12) events per 12-month period across the organisation (nationally and in Branches) to be selected from the following:
  - Organise and lead a National webinar;
  - Organise and host a Branch technical event;
  - Organise and host a Branch networking or social event;
  - Organise and host an event with the Transport Modelling Network (webinar or in person);
  - Organise and host a career focused or networking event with the Emerging Professionals Network;
  - Organise and host an invite only boardroom style event with an invited speaker (eg lunch or breakfast); or
  - Host and assist AITPM in organising and facilitating a policy workshop.

The above Partner events are subject to:

- AITPM approval of the topic and session format CEO for national events, relevant Branch or Network for other events;
- AITPM approval (as above) for speakers, noting that Partners are encouraged to ensure that speakers have the appropriate level of expertise and experience, and that the selection of speakers meets AITPM speaker diversity guidelines, including a mix of speakers from different sectors and organisations;
- AITPM approval of the timing of the event within the AITPM event calendar;
- The selection and procurement of a suitable, accessible venue (at the cost of the Partner);
- The provision of appropriate catering, where relevant (at the cost of the Partner).

To ensure the best outcome for Branch events, the Partner will need to provide their suggested topic and format options in the timeframe requested by the Branch Committee (prior to or within the first quarter of the calendar year) and work proactively and collaboratively with the Branch to identify a suitable event timing in the AITPM calendar. The final decision on the event will be at the discretion of the relevant



Branch President, Network Chair or CEO. The allocation of event timing and topics will be on a 'first come first served' basis, so Partners should prepare and engage early to secure their preference calendar slots and topics, noting that we will generally not accept duplication of topics within a 2-3-month period, and we need to ensure that the event market is not too saturated at any one time. When providing event information to the Branch, Network or CEO for approval, the information should be provided at least 6 weeks prior to the proposed event to allow time for review, approval, and event set-up and advertising.

It is anticipated that the Partner will engage with at least 3 events across the country per year, but if willing, there is potential for up to 12 events. There should generally be a maximum of 3 events hosted/sponsored by each Partner in any single State/Territory (unless there are no other Partners or local sponsors willing and able to support the events in that location).

Alternatively, if a Partner is unable to organise and host events, they must advise as soon as possible, and can instead take the opportunity, to select from any available package options to sponsor the following types of National, Branch or Network event:

- Sponsor a technical event;
- Sponsor a webinar;
- Sponsor a networking event;
- Sponsor a careers event.

Available packages for events and their pricing will be made available on the AITPM website at the beginning of the calendar year, noting that for technical events and webinars the actual topic will not generally be available until 4-6 weeks prior to the event. The allocation of event sponsorship will be on a 'first come first served' basis, so Partners should prepare and engage early (in the first quarter of the year) to secure their preferred event packages.

## Profile and Thought Leadership

- Opportunity for a company representative to participate in a profile opportunity such as an Industry Leaders Panel event or leadership interview, determined in collaboration with the AITPM CEO.
- Two (minimum maximum of 4) member profiles, interviews, project profiles, or thought leadership
  pieces, as agreed with, and supplied by the Partner, to be published on the AITPM website and newsletter
  per year.
- As outlined under 'Partner Events', opportunity to host and/or facilitate a policy workshop(s) in collaboration with AITPM.
- Invitation to the Partner to offer technical expertise to support AITPM policy development activities such as involvement in a policy committee or working group.
- Opportunity for a suitable company staff member that meets the required characteristics (at this
  discretion of the AITPM CEO) to participate and be featured in the Careers in Transport promotional
  project.

#### Speaking and Chairing

- Invitation to provide a list of available speakers and their topics/expertise to each Branch Committee (in the first quarter of the year) for their consideration in the development of the annual Branch event calendar, noting that there are limited speaking slots available and the Committee we aim to select speaker based on merit and in accordance with our speaker diversity guidelines.
- In collaboration with the National Conference Committee to determine the most suitable options and representatives, the opportunity to provide up to two of the following:
  - Kevnote speaker
  - Session Chair
  - Session Facilitator/Moderator
  - Panel Speaker
  - Session speaker/presentation these presenters will be required to have submitted an abstract during the call for abstracts process.



To ensure the best mutual outcome, the Partner will need to provide their suggested options and speakers in the timeframe requested by the Conference Committee and to work and collaboratively with the Conference team to select the options that best fit the conference structure and themes. The final decision on selection will be at the discretion of the Conference Convenors and CEO.

### Access to Industry Decision Makers and Relationship Building

- Invitation for one company representative to attend relevant AITPM Industry Boardroom Briefing sessions facilitated by the CEO and National or Branch President – at least 1 invitation per event in each Branch annually.
- Opportunity for quarterly engagement with the AITPM CEO.
- Opportunity for biannual engagement with a key representative (Branch Partnership & Sponsorship Coordinator and/or President) from each Branch Committee
- Invitation to an exclusive Annual Partners Dinner with the AITPM Board for one senior representative, typically held in conjunction with the National Conference.
- Opportunity for two senior representatives in attendance at the National Conference to be allocated a seat at a VIP table at the Conference Dinner.

### **Brand Exposure**

- Logo displayed as an Industry Partner on the AITPM website.
- Logo displayed in all event emails distributed.
- Logo displayed in the AITPM fortnightly newsletter.
- Logo displayed in all events visual presentations.
- Verbal acknowledgment as an Industry Partner at all events.
- Logo displayed in National Conference promotional emails as an Industry Partner and on the website.
- Verbal acknowledgment at the National Conference event opening and closing sessions.
- Logo displayed in Online Technical Conference Series promotional emails and on the website as an Industry Partner.
- Verbal acknowledgment at Online Technical Conference Series opening and closing events.

#### LinkedIn Promotion

- Quarterly dedicated LinkedIn post, authored by AITPM, acknowledging an aspect of the company's
  Partnership with AITPM including the opportunity to promote involvement in the National Conference,
  OTCS, or other event speakers, or in collaboration with the Partner and approved by the CEO, a post on a
  matter of technical expertise, thought leadership, staff or project profile or other relevant piece of
  content provided by the Partner.
- Acknowledgement as an Industry Partner in relevant National Conference sponsor promotion post on LinkedIn.
- Acknowledgement as an Industry Partner in relevant Online Technical Conference Series sponsor promotion posts on LinkedIn.

#### Benefits and Discounts

- Three (3) complimentary 3 Day Full registrations for the National Conference (valued at approx. \$2,450 ea)
- Unlimited Sponsor Rate registrations for the National Conference (40% off the Standard Ticket rate).
- Five (5) complimentary registrations to the Online Technical Conference Series (valued at \$450ea).
- Unlimited Sponsor Rate registrations for the Online Technical Conference Series (save up to \$250 per ticket)
- One from the following options:
  - Allocation of a single trade booth (3mx2m), to be fitted out by sponsor at the National Conference;



- o One additional (1) complimentary 3 Day Full registration for the National Conference.
- 10% discount on National Conference sponsorship packages (eg trade booths, dinner sponsor) and early access to view the National Conference Sponsorship Prospectus prior to general release.
- ♦ 10% discount on Online Technical Conference Series sponsorship products.
- 5% discount on membership renewal for your staff.
- No administration fee for new memberships for your staff.
- Support to coordinate the addition of company staff (who aren't members) to the AITPM database to receive event broadcasts.
- Complimentary advertising upgrade to Premium Listing when advertising jobs on the AITPM Current Jobs Listing and Weekly Jobs Bulletin.



# Technical Partner Package

The Technical Partner package incorporates a range of opportunities across the following technically focused elements of AITPM activities:

- Partner Technical Webinar
- Speaking, Chairing and Technical Expertise
- Relationship Building
- Brand Exposure
- LinkedIn Promotion
- Benefits and Discounts

This package is \$17,000+GST for the 2024 calendar year and can be secured for a term of up to 3 years at this rate (to avoid future annual price increases).

#### Partner Technical Webinar

- Opportunity to organise and host one 'sponsored' webinar to highlight the Partner's expertise and industry collaboration in a field of your choice subject to:
  - AITPM CEO approval of the topic and session format, to the TMN Chair for Modelling events;
  - AITPM approval (as above) for speakers, noting that Partners are encouraged to ensure that speakers have the appropriate level of expertise and experience, and that the selection of speakers meets AITPM speaker diversity guidelines, including a mix of speakers from different sectors and organisations;
  - AITPM approval of the timing of the event within the AITPM event calendar.

### Speaking, Chairing and Technical Expertise

- Invitation to provide a list of available speakers and their topics/expertise to each Branch Committee (in the first quarter of the year) for their consideration in the development of the annual Branch event calendar, noting that there are limited speaking slots available and the Committee we aim to select speaker based on merit and in accordance with our speaker diversity guidelines.
- In collaboration with the National Conference Committee to determine the most suitable options and representatives, the opportunity to provide one (1) of the following:
  - Session Chair;
  - Session Facilitator/Moderator; or
  - o Panel Speaker.

To ensure the best mutual outcome, the Partner will need to provide their suggested options and speakers in the timeframe requested by the Conference Committee and to work and collaboratively with the Conference team to select the options that best fit the conference structure and themes. The final decision on selection will be at the discretion of the Conference Convenors and CEO.

- Invitation to a suitable company representative to Chair a national webinar or Chair and Facilitate a live Q&A session of the Online Technical Conference Series.
- Invitation to the Partner to offer technical expertise to support AITPM policy development activities such as involvement in a policy committee or working group.

### Relationship Building

• Invitation to an exclusive Annual Partners Dinner with the AITPM Board for one senior representative, typically held in conjunction with the National Conference.



- Opportunity for one senior representative in attendance at the National Conference nominated by the Partner, to be allocated a seat at a VIP table at the Conference Dinner.
- Opportunity for quarterly engagement with the AITPM CEO.

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- Logo displayed as a Technical Partner on the AITPM website.
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- Logo displayed in all Technical Event visual presentations.
- Verbal acknowledgment as a Technical Partner in all Technical Events.
- Logo displayed in National Conference promotional emails as a Technical Partner and on the website.
- Verbal acknowledgment at the National Conference event opening and closing sessions.
- Logo displayed in Online Technical Conference Series promotional emails and on the website as a Technical Partner.
- Verbal acknowledgment at Online Technical Conference Series opening and closing events.

#### LinkedIn Promotion

- Quarterly dedicated LinkedIn post authored by AITPM acknowledging an aspect of the company's Partnership
  with AITPM including the opportunity to promote involvement in the National Conference, OTCS, or other event
  speakers, or in collaboration with the Partner and approved by the CEO, a post on a matter of technical
  expertise, staff or project profile or other relevant piece of content provided by the Partner.
- Acknowledgement as a Technical Partner in relevant National Conference sponsor promotion LinkedIn posts.
- Acknowledgement as a Technical Partner in relevant Online Technical Conference Series sponsor promotion LinkedIn posts.

#### **Benefits and Discounts**

- Five (5) complimentary registrations to the Online Technical Conference Series (valued at \$450ea).
- One (1) complimentary 3 Day Full registration for the National Conference (valued at approx. \$2.450ea)
- One from the following options:
  - o Allocation of a single trade booth (3mx2m), to be fitted out by sponsor at the National Conference; or
  - o One additional (1) complimentary 3 Day Full registration for the National Conference.
- Unlimited Sponsor Rate registrations for the Online Technical Conference Series (save up to \$250 per ticket)
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