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## **AGENDA**

### **Day 1: February 24**

#### **KEYNOTES**

9am Telstra speaker TBC  
9.20am BAI Communications CTO Stephen Farrugia  
9.40am Vocus GM government & strategic projects Michael Ackland  
10.00am Pivotal chief executive officer Peter Bolger  
10.20am Morning tea and exhibition time

#### **MORNING PLENARY**

11.20 Amplitel CEO Jon Lipton  
11.40 Viasat global space networks, senior VP Carlin Charteris **INTERNATIONAL**  
12.00 SUBCO & SODA founder Bevan Slattery  
12.20 Data Centres Australia CEO Belinda Dennett  
12.40 Nokia head of government affairs, Oceania Ben Saint  
1.00 Lunch

#### **WIRELESS & MOBILE PLENARY**

2.00 TPG CTO Giovanni Chiarelli  
2.20 Australian Mobile Telecommunications Association CEO Louise Hyland  
2.40 Wireless Internet Service Providers Association president Adrian Robertson  
3.00 Indara executive director, customer growth Jason Horley  
3.20 Afternoon tea and exhibition time

#### **MINISTERIAL KEYNOTE**

3.45 Communications minister Anika Wells

#### **AFTERNOON PLENARY**

4.00 NSW Telecommunications Authority executive director, customer & emergency management Rania Wannous  
4.20 NSW Gov group director, strategic projects, regional development & delivery Peter Adams  
4.40 Omnitouch co-founder and director Nick Jones  
5.00 Drinks and networking

### **Day 2: February 25**

#### **KEYNOTES**

9am NBN Co chief development officer, regional and remote Gavin Williams  
9.20am DITRDCA assistant secretary, universal services Nicolle Power  
9.35am First Nations Digital Advisory Group co-chairs Dr Lyndon Ormond-Parker/Dot West OAM  
9.55am ACMA executive manager, spectrum allocations, licensing, policy Robert Crofts  
10.15am Morning tea and exhibition time

#### **MORNING PLENARY**

11am Better Internet for Regional, Rural and Remote Australia convenor Kristy Sparrow  
11.20am Regional Tech Hub general manager Kristen Coggan  
11.40am Australian Telecommunications Alliance CEO Luke Coleman

#### **SATELLITE PLENARY**

12.00pm ATA senior manager (Satellite Services Working Group) Mike Johns  
12.20pm Amazon Leo country lead, Australia, Joe Lathan  
12.40pm Lynk Global CCO Dan Dooley **INTERNATIONAL**  
1.00pm Lunch  
1.50pm Space Industry Association of Australia CEO Dan Lloyd

2.10 Telstra speaker TBC

#### **THE GREAT DEBATE**

2.30 Forum panel session featuring NBN GM segments, regional & remote Sam Dimarco, ATA CEO Luke Coleman BIRRR's Kristy Sparrow, regulatory adviser Andrew Sheridan, SIAA CEO Dan Lloyd and more  
3.30 CLOSE

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# SPEAKERS INCLUDE



**NEW** Federal communications minister Anika Wells



**NEW** Telstra group owner, mobility Juliet Tompkins



**NEW** Telstra group owner, fixed connectivity Marty McGrath



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MC Joe Hildebrand



TPG Telecom chief technology officer Giovanni Chiarelli



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