

COVID-19: Industry Contingency and Resilience

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Collaboration
and Tactics
to Build
Resilience

WEBINAR 6: RESILIENT INDUSTRIES BEYOND COVID-19

Thursday 22 October 2020, 1.00 PM – 2.30 PM

6-part industry webinar series to promote Ipswich industry ecosystem

2020 has been a year of massive change and upheaval. Some industries have done well. Other industries have been hit hard. Very hard. And other industries are in the midst of a once-in-a-generation transformation.

In this final webinar of our series, we'll ask ourselves 'what next?' And how do we develop resilience to protect us from future shocks?

Looking to the future, we'll hear from two Trade Commissioners, Industry Leaders and the Small Business Ombudsman; sharing their thoughts about what key sectors will need to do in 2021 and beyond.

In this interactive webinar you'll hear about:

- key opportunities for Australian businesses in the South Asia and Japan markets
- survival and transformation strategies from one of the hardest-hit industries, international education
- world-leading projects happening in our own backyard in defence and medical research, and what that means for local businesses.

The panel will answer questions from the audience and share their opportunities for insight into how Australian businesses can emerge from the 'COVID-19' era stronger than ever before.

INDUSTRY PANEL

Kate Carnell AO | Australian Small Business and Family Enterprise Ombudsman, and Chair – Centre for Defence Industry Capability

Catherine Gallagher | Senior Trade and Investment Commissioner and General Manager South Asia, Austrade

Tak Adachi | Trade and Investment Commissioner – Japan, Queensland Government

Distinguished Prof Arun Sharma | Chair – Queensland Institute of Medical Research

Lee Davis | General Manager Strategy, Rheinmetall Defence Australia

Prof Ren-Yi | Pro Vice-Chancellor, University of Southern Queensland

MODERATOR

Tamanna Monem | Coordinator – Industry Development and Trade, Office of Economic Development, Ipswich City Council

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