

FORUM

USING IT GOVERNANCE TO IMPROVE BUSINESS DECISION-MAKING

“Did we really agree to that?”

Today’s rapidly evolving digital business opportunities rely on innovative models and IT-enabled change. These can disrupt existing business practices, potentially threatening the viability of established businesses. The forum will explore the role of the governing body in evaluating both the threats and opportunities these factors provide, and discuss the support available through the application of recently published IT Governance standards.

Driving change within organisations, and achieving desired business outcomes, requires clear engagement between governing bodies and their senior executive.

This engagement is made more difficult as our core business operations, and critical strategic initiatives are increasingly dependent on highly complex and rapidly evolving business technologies.

Australia plays a leading role in the development of international governance standards for IT to help bring appropriate visibility, control, risk management, and benefits realisation to the boardroom.

As our organisations re-invent themselves to operate effectively in the digital economy these high-value resources are increasingly able to be applied to provide a quality governance approach.

The ICT Governance and Management Committee includes representatives from Institute of Company Directors, Governance Institute, Australian Industry Group, Council of Small Business, Australian Computer Society, ISACA, Australian Information Industry Association and State and Federal Governments.

This work is relevant to members of the Board and Governing council across all of these communities, and to the executives who are responsible to, and report to them.

Come and hear from government and industry leaders including:

- **Dr Bronwyn Evans**, Chief Executive Officer, Standards Australia
- **John Sheridan**, Chair of Joint Technical Committee 1 (JTC 1) Strategic Advisory Committee & JTC 1/SC 40 IT Service Management and IT Governance, First Assistant Secretary, Australian Government Chief Technology Officer & Procurement Coordinator
- **Jan Begg**, Chair of Standards Australia IT-030 ICT Governance & Management Committee, Non-executive Director City West Water, Managing Director Azulin Pty Ltd, Independent Member of Department of Education and Early Childhood Development Portfolio Audit Committee (VIC) and Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors
- **Vicki Allen**, Independent Director MTA Super, Deputy Chair of Mirvac Funds Management Limited, Director of Superannuation Administration Corporation, Chair of Bridge Housing Limited and Expert Panel Member Fair Work Commission

WHEN / WHERE

Thursday, 13 March 2014
 Standards Australia
 Exchange Centre
 Level 10, 20 Bridge Street, Sydney

10:00 am to 1:00 pm
 Registration from 9:30 am

Light lunch to be provided – please advise of any specific dietary requirements by RSVP.

RSVP

This is a complementary forum and places are limited. To confirm your attendance, please RSVP by Wednesday, 5 March 2014 to events@standards.org.au providing your name, organisation and address details.

ENQUIRIES

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