



# MEMBERS CONFERENCE 2023



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## DELEGATES DINNER

THURSDAY 23 MARCH | HOPE & ANCHOR

6.30PM ARRIVAL

7.00PM TWO-COURSE DINNER

## EJA MEMBERS CONFERENCE

FRIDAY 24 MARCH | THE VIBE HOTEL

### 8.30 CONFERENCE OPEN

8.45 WELCOME AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

TBD



### 9.00 KAREN SYNON (DEPUTY PRESIDENT, ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS TRIBUNAL)

Discussion regarding Centrelink caseload, including the Disability Support Caseload, emerging updates from the AAT; and the transition to the new Administrative Review Body replacing the AAT.

10.30 MORNING TEA



### 11.00 BEN HOFFMAN (NZ LAWYER SPECIALISING IN SOCIAL SECURITY)

Presentation and discussion on Social Security in New Zealand, and issues facing New Zealanders in Australia.

12.30 LUNCH



### 1.30 DR. TIM LEACH EJA MEMBERS CASE WORK DISCUSSION FORUM

We will be sending out a survey for member feedback to inform the discussion.



3.00 CONFERENCE CLOSE

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# Registration information

A delegates dinner will be held before the conference on Thursday 23 March 2023 from 6.30pm. Registration costs include a two-course dinner.  
*(Alcohol not included. Set menu can be catered for dietary requirements)*

**Dinner arrival: 6.30pm**

**Dinner start: 7.00pm**

**Location: Hope & Anchor Tavern**  
65 Macquarie St, Hobart

The EJA Members Conference will be held in-person on Friday 24 March 2023.

**Conference open: 8.30am**

**Conference close: 3.00pm**

**Location: The Vibe Hotel**  
36 Argyle St, Hobart

***Registration cost (incl. GST): \$165 (Members only)***

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