



Excite.
Engage.
Evolve.

THE AUSTRALASIAN CONFERENCE FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION 2011 October 20 - 21
Sydney Australia

CALL FOR CURATORS FOR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

The IAP2 Conference Working Group is looking for volunteer session curators.

We're going to dedicate over 30 of the sessions to those who have the most interesting things to talk about.

Curators may be you as an individual, a group of individuals or an effort by your company or agency.

It could be organising a workshop or panel debate on a topic you feel the industry needs to talk about. Or perhaps a chance to unveil a piece of research or a new approach you've been working on.

Sessions should fit in to one of the conference themes:

- **Excite.** How do we motivate people to participate and how do we make participation fun, rewarding and worthwhile?
- **Engage.** How do we enable people to participate in meaningful ways and promote best practice - at all ends of the IAP2 spectrum?
- **Evolve.** How do we evolve our practice to adapt to a changing world?

or focus on:

- **Skills building.** Targeted at emerging practitioners.
- **Practice reflection.** Targeted at highly experienced practitioners.

Please note that **we're not looking for project case studies** as these will be presented by candidates short-listed for the Core Values Awards.

Sessions will be of 45 minutes duration including question time.

So how will this work?

At this stage, it's very straightforward.

We want a **short** proposal giving...

1. The 'catchy' title of your session
2. Theme – 1) Excite 2) Engage 3) Excite 4) Skills building 5) Practice reflection
3. A description - in no more than 200 words of the topic and session format you have in mind
4. Details of who would be involved in running your session

We'll be putting the decision making power in the hands of IAP2 members and surveying them to select the sessions they prefer.

Send your proposal to conference@iap2.org.au by Friday 30 June 2011

Please note that all session curators will be eligible for early bird conference rates.