

# 10<sup>TH</sup> DRILL & BLAST DOWN UNDER CONFERENCE 2026

Perth, Western Australia  
17, 18 & 19 November 2026  
Optus Stadium



Thank you for your interest in sponsoring the 10th Drill & Blast Down Under Conference. This year's event will be held at Optus Stadium in Perth, Western Australia on Tuesday 17th – Thursday 19th of November 2026. Your support of this industry event is greatly appreciated.

## What does sponsorship cover?

Sponsorship makes it possible to reduce the cost of conference registration so that we can attract more attendees and prospective exhibitors. Sponsorship opportunities exist for the sole purpose of underwriting the cost of services, events and materials which are necessary for the smooth and successful operation of the conference. Sponsorship also communicates your company's commitment to the pursuit of excellence and dedication to the industry.

This year's sponsorship opportunities are listed below (all prices exclude GST):

### Platinum Sponsor x 1 - **SOLD**

**Cost: \$12,750 (exc. GST)**

#### Includes:

- 3 x complimentary conference delegate passes (including conference dinner)
- 2 x exhibition booths
- Your logo on the big screens at Optus Stadium
- Up to 5 x pull up banners to be displayed at the event
- Option to address the delegates for up to 5 minutes (time to be allocated)
- Opportunity to insert one A4 promotional brochure into the event delegate bag
- Logo on website and event brochure
- Acknowledgement at the conference

### Gold Sponsors x 6 - **SOLD**

**Cost: \$8,500 each (exc. GST)**

#### Includes:

- 2 x complimentary conference delegate passes (including conference dinner)
- 1 x exhibition booth
- Your logo on the big screens at Optus Stadium
- 1 x pull up banner to be displayed at the event
- Opportunity to insert one A4 promotional brochure into the event delegate bag
- Logo on website and event brochure
- Acknowledgement at the conference

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## How will my company be recognised?

Platinum and Gold sponsorships will be recognised in the following ways:

- Recognition in the conference brochure, all marketing avenues and email campaigns
- Logo prominently displayed on website, electronic platforms at event and via social media

### Fireworks Sponsor x 3 – 1 SOLD, 2 AVAILABLE

**Cost: \$8,800 each (exc. GST)**

As it's the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of this event in 2026, so the board thought fireworks were in order. We are offering three sponsorship opportunities.

Includes:

- Your logo on the big screens at Optus Stadium
- 1 x pull up banner to be displayed at the event
- Opportunity to insert one A4 promotional brochure into the event delegate bag
- Logo on website and event brochure
- Acknowledgement at the conference

### Arrival Networking Sponsor x 2 - SOLD

**Cost: \$3,500 each (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- (Pre-conference – Emerging Professionals)
- Event to be held in exhibition hall on Tuesday the 4<sup>th</sup> of November from 6pm-8pm
- 4 x pull up banners to be displayed in function room
- Acknowledgement at the conference

### Happy Hour Sponsor x 1 - SOLD

**Cost: \$3,500 (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- Event to be held in exhibition hall on Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup> of November from 5pm-6pm
- 4 x pull up banner to be displayed during happy hour.
- Logo on website and event brochure
- Acknowledgement at the conference

### Conference Dinner Sponsor x 1 - SOLD

**Cost: \$7,750 (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- 4 x complimentary conference dinner passes
- Opportunity to address the attendees at the dinner
- 4 x pull up banner to be displayed during Conference dinner.
- Logo on website and event brochure
- Acknowledgement at the conference

### Satchel/Conference Bag Sponsor x 1 - SOLD

**Cost: Price on application**

Includes:

- Logo to be prominently displayed on satchel (ISEE Australia to source or approve)

### Name Tag and Lanyard Sponsor x 1 - SOLD

**Cost: Price on application**

Includes:

- Logo to be prominently displayed on lanyard (ISEE Australia to source or approve design)

**Lunch Sponsors x 2 – 2 AVAILABLE****Cost: \$2,500 each (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- Acknowledgement at the conference before lunch
- Pull up banners to be displayed in lunch area (exhibition) for allocated session

**Technology and Innovation Spotlight x 8 – 6 SOLD, 2 AVAILABLE****Cost: \$500 (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- The opportunity to showcase your new technologies, innovations and recent case studies on stage in the exhibitor area. Chairs will be provided this year, as will an MC to guide the sessions.
- Book a 15-minute slot. Price is \$500 per slot (limit of one slot per company)

**Morning/Afternoon Tea Sponsors x 4 - 2 SOLD, 2 AVAILABLE****Cost: \$1,200 each (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- Acknowledgement at the conference (for morning tea or afternoon tea)
- Pull up banners to be displayed in lunch area (exhibition) for allocated session

**Technical Program Day Sponsors x 2 - SOLD****Cost: \$3,300 each (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- Program day sponsors will be recognised at the beginning of each day
- Display 2 x banners on stage for the whole day
- Sponsor Day 1 (4 x technical sessions) or Day 2 (3 x technical sessions)

**Coffee Cart Sponsor x 4 - 3 SOLD, 1 AVAILABLE****Cost: \$2,500 each (exc. GST)**

Includes:

- Pull up banners next to Barista made coffee cart/logo on coffee machine
- Coffee to be served in break times only

**Closing Networking Sponsor x 3 (Post-conference @ The Camfield)****Cost: \$1,100 each (exc. GST)**Includes: **1 SOLD, 2 AVAILABLE**

- Pull up banners to be displayed in function room
- Acknowledgement at the conference

**Satchel Marketing Insert****Cost: \$500 (exc. GST)**

- Insert an A5/A4 marketing flyer/brochure into the event conference bag/satchel
- Flyer to be provided to ISEE by exhibitor/sponsor by 10am on 17<sup>th</sup> November 2026.

**Exhibition Booth Only – 53/53 booths – SOLD OUT! Cost: \$1350 each (includes one conference ticket)**

- 2.5m x 2.5m area with 1 x table, 2 x chairs and 1 x power socket. Open booths, no walls.
- The exhibition fee **includes one conference registration** at the conference. This is for one person/name only, this pass cannot be shared with staff members. Additional exhibitors wanting to attend conference sessions will be required to register and pay for their own attendance. (\$595 early bird)/\$695 standard for members, \$895 early bird/\$995 for non-members – all excluding GST).

- An “Exhibitor Hall Access Only” ticket option will be available again this year. This is for exhibitors who don’t want to attend conference sessions and remain in the exhibitor hall only. (\$440 exc. GST for the two-day event).

**NEW - Heavy Equipment Exhibitor** (includes exhibition booth and one conference ticket)

**Cost:** Price on application

\* Price is dependent on how heavy the equipment is and whether an Optus escort crew is required to position the equipment on site.

As we are holding the event at Optus Stadium in 2026, we have a bit more room to move. The venue has offered us the opportunity to showcase large mining equipment, vehicles, and robots at the base of the stadium and on the roof. Therefore, we are offering a Heavy Equipment Exhibitor option which includes an exhibition booth plus the chance to bring in and show off your BIG equipment.

There are a couple of levels of approvals that need to happen so we will ask for full dimensions and weight, how many wheels and how the items are getting in and out of the Stadium and/or room. Ask us for more information.

To confirm your interest in sponsoring this event please fill out your details below and indicate which sponsorship option you would like to sign up for.

Name:	
Company:	
Email:	
Phone:	
Sponsorship:	
Signature:	

Please email your signed form to [conference@iseeaustralia.org](mailto:conference@iseeaustralia.org). ISEE Australia will then provide a tax invoice for payment. Your sponsorship will not be confirmed until payment is received.

Please ensure you understand the terms and conditions of the exhibition if you intend to exhibit which are outlined below.

Thank you for your support.

Kind regards,  
ISEE Australian Chapter Conference Committee

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## Exhibition Rules and Regulations

### 1. Assignment of Exhibit Space

Conference exhibit space will be assigned on a first payment received basis using the date and time of receipt of completed, via the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER online exhibitor registration. Priority will be given to major sponsors and those who exhibited the previous year. Consideration will be given to the company's location preference, but keeping with the best interest of the Conference. The Exhibitor online registration must include priority of booth choices, numbered one through three, in order for us to complete assignments (or your space will be assigned by the Conference Committee). Larger, non-standard multiple booth configurations will be assigned on a rotating basis. Call the Conference Director for more information. It is advisable that exhibitors inform Conference Committee of any company or exhibit from which they wish to be separated or near, but placement is not guaranteed. No exhibitor may assign or share any part of his space with any other company without prior approval of the Conference Committee. The Conference Committee reserves the right to reassign space in case of changes in the number or positioning of booths, or in order to fill spaces. Payment must be submitted with the online Exhibitor registration in order to secure booth space. All exhibit space assignments will be at the discretion of the Conference Committee.

### 2. Cancellation and Refunds

Cancellations must be submitted in writing. No refunds will be given for cancellations received after October 15, 2026 (unless the space can be sold after cancellation).

### 3. Booth Size

Standard booth is approximately 3m x 3m with table (optional), 2 chairs (optional) and power to be supplied. This will be strictly monitored and enforced.

### 4. Exhibitor Check-in and Badges

Registration badges will be distributed to individuals and not in group packets. Admission will be by badge only and is not transferable. Lending badges or bringing in unauthorised persons will not be permitted. The check-in schedule is:

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2026  
From 2:00 pm – Delegate and Exhibitor Registration

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2026  
7:00 am – 5:00 pm – Delegate and Exhibitor Registration

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2026  
7.00 am – 12:00 pm – Delegate and Exhibitor Registration

### 5. Exhibit Company Designation

This agreement is between the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER and the Exhibitor. It is not transferable. Exhibitor agrees that Exhibitor's company name will be the only company name to be used in connection with their exhibit booth(s).

### 6. Set Up

Exhibitors may begin setting up from 7:00am, Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2026. All exhibits must be in place by 5:45pm on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2026 as a networking event in this space begins at 6:00pm. Conference Committee reserves the right to reassign space if Exhibitor fails to have booth in place by 6:00pm.

### 7. Exhibit Hours

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2026 - 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2026 – 7:30 am – 6:00 pm  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2026 - 8:00 am - 3:30 pm

Exhibitors will be admitted to the exhibit hall one hour before and one hour after normal exhibit hours. Conference Committee reserves the right to modify hours as it deems necessary for the good and well-being of the Conference.

#### **8. Tear Down**

Tear down begins at 3:30 pm on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November and booths may not be dismantled or removed before then. The Hall must be cleared by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November by 5:30 pm.

#### **9. Special Exhibits**

If you have a special size exhibit or special equipment that will not fit within the dimensions of your booth space or inside the Exhibit Hall, contact the Conference Committee directly to confirm details.

#### **10. Committee Rights and Obligations**

The ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER agrees to provide a clean, comfortable hall. Individual booth cleaning may be arranged directly with the Esplanade Hotel.

All booths must comply with the International Association of Exhibitions and Events (IAEE) Conference rules, which are available upon request at the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER office. Accordingly, the Exhibit Manager may control the aisles and lines of sight in the exhibit area and limit booth heights, space sizes, placement of signs and logos, distribution of literature/materials and use of music and sound. The Exhibit Manager may also add other rules and publish them at a later date to become part of this agreement; or may cancel this Agreement if these rules are not followed.

#### **11. Exhibitor Rights and Obligations**

Exhibitor agrees to conduct themselves in an orderly manner, to abide by all laws and regulations of the exhibit site, to be considerate of other exhibitors, comply with Conference rules established by ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER and the Conference Committee. Exhibitors agree to maintain their display and staff their booth during all exhibit hours.

#### **12. Antitrust Compliance**

It is the policy of the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER to fully comply and encourage its members, conference exhibitors and attendees to fully comply with the antitrust laws. Exhibitor agrees to comply with the antitrust laws and abide by the Guidelines established by the Society as posted on [www.isee.org](http://www.isee.org).

#### **13. ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER Code of Ethics**

Exhibitor agrees to comply with the Fundamental Principles and Canons of the ISEE Code of Ethics as posted on the ISEE website at [www.isee.org](http://www.isee.org), click on Who We Are; and to uphold and advance the integrity, honour and dignity of the engineering profession by: using their knowledge and skill for the enhancement of humankind; serving their peers, their employers and their clients with integrity, honesty, and fidelity; striving to increase the standard of excellence and prestige of the explosives industry; and supporting the profession and technical societies of their disciplines.

#### **14. Security**

Security is the exhibitor's responsibility. ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER cannot be responsible to exhibitors for lost, stolen or damaged merchandise or displays. Please keep your merchandise secured after Conference hours.

#### **15. Suggestions/Complaints**

Exhibitors who have questions, suggestions, or problems should first contact the Conference Committee to resolve disputes. In addition, each year an exhibitor survey is distributed and results are used by Conference Committee to improve next year's program. Comments are invited and are reviewed by the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER Board Advisory Committee.

## **16. Safety**

Exhibitors specifically agree to follow all hotel requirements and provisions of the local fire code and applicable regulations. The exhibit hall is a non-smoking area.

## **17. Noise, Music, and Sound**

Loud noises, music and the use of video, sound, or other similar equipment must be kept to a minimum. The Conference Committee will determine at what point video, sound, or other similar equipment including compressors and machinery constitutes an interference with others and must be discontinued or curtailed.

## **18. Copyrighted Material**

Australia copyright laws require a license for performance of copyrighted recordings. It is the responsibility of the Exhibitor to obtain any licenses before using music or recordings. By signing this agreement, the Exhibitor hereby agrees to indemnify ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER and the Hotel against any and all claims based on copyright infringement or the failure to obtain a license or pay royalties for music, published material, and other recordings.

## **19. Use of Exhibit Space**

Exhibitors may not exhibit or distribute literature outside of their assigned booth space. Any activity that results in excessive obstruction of aisles or prevents ready access to a nearby exhibitor's stand or obstructs the line of sight shall be discontinued or curtailed for any period specified by Conference Committee.

## **20. Hospitality Events, Meeting Space & Outside Exhibits**

Exhibitor agrees that it will not conduct any hospitality events, meeting functions, or display exhibits (including equipment and vehicles in the Hotel parking areas), outside of their official exhibit space, on or off the Conference site, during Conference hours or in conflict with the Conference program or an ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER event, without the prior approval of the Conference Committee.

## **21. Hold Harmless Clause**

The exhibitor assumes all responsibility for any and all loss, theft or damage to exhibitor's displays, equipment and other property while on the Esplanade Hotel premises, and hereby waives any claim or demand it may have against Esplanade Hotel or its affiliates arising from such loss, theft or damage. In addition, the exhibitor agrees to defend (if requested), indemnify and hold harmless the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER, or The Crown Perth and their respective parent, subsidiary, and other related or affiliated companies from and against any liabilities, obligations, claims, and damages, suits, costs and expenses, including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and costs, arising from or in connection with the exhibitor's occupancy and use of the exhibition premises or any part thereof or any negligent act, error or omission of the exhibitor or its employees, subcontractors or agents.

## **22. Acts of God (Force Majeure)**

The ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER will retain 25% of amounts received for exhibit space rental for administrative costs in the event of cancellation of the exhibit by the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER, or Optus Stadium (Perth, WA), due to acts of God, fire, acts of war or threats of terrorism, disaster, civil disorder, strikes, threats of strikes or other circumstances not in its control. No refunds will be made if such force majeure act should occur during the meeting.

## **23. Insurance**

Exhibitor acknowledges that neither the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER, nor Optus Stadium, Perth, WA maintain insurance covering each Exhibitor's property and that it is the sole responsibility of each Exhibitor to obtain business interruption and property damage insurance covering such losses by Exhibitor.

## **24. No-Conference Policy**

Last minute cancellations should be communicated in writing to the Conference Committee prior to the exhibit opening. Space that is not paid for, or paid for but not occupied, as of the set-up deadline will be resold, or otherwise used, as if the space had been cancelled.

## **25. Penalties for Violation of Exhibitor Agreement**

Exhibit Committee reserves the right to penalize an exhibitor for an uncorrected violation of the Exhibitor Agreement. Violations during the installation period, exhibit hours, or for early teardown will result in one or more of the following: Draping off, covering, or removal of the item in violation or the entire exhibit at the exhibitor's expense for a period specified by Conference Committee.

## **26. Use of ISEE Logos**

Exhibitor acknowledges that the Conference name and ISEE logos are registered trademarks owned by the Society. Conference Committee must approve in writing any use or reproduction of trademarks, logos, and trade names by emailing your request to [conference@iseeaustralia.org](mailto:conference@iseeaustralia.org). Trademarks or names cannot be altered. Exhibitors may obtain permission to use the approved Conference logo by linking their website to the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER Conference web page at no charge.

## **27. This Agreement**

Any and all matters or questions not specifically covered by the preceding rules and regulations shall be subject solely to the decision of Conference Committee. These rules and regulations may be amended by Conference Committee and all amendments so made shall be binding on Exhibitors equally with the foregoing rules and regulations.

This Agreement, Acceptance and Exhibitor Registration Form is to be interpreted according to the Australian laws and constitute the complete Agreement between the Exhibitor and the ISEE AUSTRALIAN CHAPTER. Any changes must be made in writing.