

Public Policy Skills Master Class

Two separate programs being delivered in August 2021:

Program 1: 5-6 August

Program 2: 9-10 August

Who should attend?

Experienced public policy and program development staff CLF 8 + (SAO1 and above)

Introduction

This highly interactive 2 day course explores the advanced analytical, engagement and communication skills required to produce effective public policy.

This Master Class

Key sessions within the course include:

- Strategic thinking and creating public value
- Working effectively with Ministers and their offices
- Insights into the use of tools of policy analysis to produce better outcomes
- Challenges in implementation and delivery
- The role of digital regulation in policy innovation.

The course will highlight modes of analysis, the nature of effective communication, and explore strategies for turning evidence, research and advocacy into meaningful public policy / program development.

Participants are asked to bring in real cases and policy challenges from their workplace so that time is spent on examining new ways to address these issues by drawing on the knowledge and frameworks discussed throughout the program.

Participants will strengthen their analytical skills by critiquing and applying new ideas, approaches and frameworks for policy analysis and policy development.

Pre-reading will be provided to participants to enable in-depth discussion and contributions within the program.

Course benefits for participants

- Exposure to leading theories, concepts and tools in contemporary policy and program development
- Interactive and engaging, participants will be encouraged to draw on and share their own experiences across the two day course

Course Leader: Dr Christopher Walker

Christopher Walker is the Deputy Dean, University Relations and Academic Director of the Executive Masters of Public Administration (EMPA). Prior to joining ANZSOG Chris was the Head of School of Social Sciences at the University of New South Wales, Australia (2012-2018) and he is an adjunct Professor at the School of Government and International Relations, Griffith University, Queensland. Chris's work in academic leadership and education was preceded by a highly successful 20 year career in the Australian public service working in senior executive positions in the departments of health, transport and the Cabinet Office. Christopher is uniquely placed at the interface of academia and public sector agencies and plays an active role in knowledge translation with senior public officials across Australia and New Zealand in the fields of public policy, public sector management, public value, regulation and compliance.



How to register:

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