

PARLIAMENTARY LEADERS PROGRAM



A specialised program for Parliamentarians

As leaders today, politicians face a more complex, pressured and difficult job than ever before. This exclusive multi-party program will strengthen and grow your capability to govern in the 21st Century.

Off the back of five successful programs in recent years, the Parliamentary Leaders Program is being relaunched with a \$100,000 scholarship fund. In 2019 a State program will be run in NSW for up to 20 successful applicants.

Generous scholarships are available for parliamentarians who apply.

Run by the non-partisan, not-for-profit, Australian Futures Project in collaboration with Corporate Evolution, a leader in the area of values-based culture and leadership consulting. Former speakers and contributors include the Hon Fred Chaney AO, John Dewar, Vice-Chancellor, La Trobe University and Professor Dawn Freshwater, Vice-Chancellor, The University of Western Australia.

“Serving the community as a parliamentarian at any level is an immense privilege – and an even greater responsibility. The Australian Labor Party proudly endorses the Parliamentary Leaders Program as a first-class initiative for nurturing the leadership skills of Australia’s political representatives and I encourage parliamentarians from across the political spectrum to take up this unique and proven professional development opportunity.”

- **The Hon Wayne Swan MP,
President, ALP.**

“Having seen the beneficial outcomes of this program in its first four years, the Liberal Party is eager to see it continue to grow and serve our parliamentary leaders. There is clearly significant benefit to participants.”

- **The Hon Nick Greiner AC,
President, Liberals.**

“A valuable opportunity that all MPs should seriously consider both for personal leadership development and to prompt thoughts on how our political systems might be improved.”

- **Jonathan O’Dea, Liberals, NSW.**

“There are very few leadership programs directly targeted for MPs.

I found this extremely beneficial in enhancing my awareness and guiding me to confidence to be the leader I know I can be and have a positive impact on my State.”

- **Ruth Forrest, Independent, Tas.**

“... brought MPs from all parties together. Understanding that we all share common fears and challenges will open doors for more collaboration. ... should be mandatory for all MPs.”

- **Tim Clifford, Greens, WA.**

“... a unique approach to leadership in complex situations and takes a different approach to “traditional” leadership programs. I have gained immensely and look forward to making a much more effective contribution to Australia in the future”

- **Colin de Grussa, Nationals, WA.**

“For a Parliamentarian, it is your leadership that will be your legacy. The program will define how you lead in the future - to be a transformer.”

- **Susan Lamb, ALP, Federal.**

COURSE INFORMATION

When: 6 - 8 November 2019

Where: Sydney

REGISTRATION

The total cost of the program is \$5,000 (plus GST) and covers the Welcome Dinner and membership of the Fellows’ Alumni Program. An opportunity exists for Parliamentarians to receive a Patrons’ Fellowship for the program, which covers \$4,000 of the cost of the two-day program, reducing the total cost to \$1,000 (plus GST).

The Patrons’ Fellowships are widely available through a short online application form to ensure any motivated parliamentarian can take part.

For more information on the program or to apply for a Patrons’ Fellowship please contact Chloë Spackman at chloe@australianfutures.org or on 0421 514 366.

About Australian Futures Project

Australia’s only non-partisan, non-profit organisation working to end short-termism in Australia. Our projects help fix the three major causes of short-termism: broken national conversation, broken politics and a broken system. Find out more australianfutures.org.