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About the Summit

The Australia-Israel Innovation Summit, offered online to AICC stakeholders, was held to stimulate new thinking and expose innovative solutions to Australian organisations grappling with the challenges and accelerated disruption caused by the COVID-era and our “New Normal”.

Held virtually via a dynamic interactive conference and exhibition platform, the Summit brought together Australian and Israeli thought leaders in a jam-packed program of outstanding plenary sessions, panel discussions, virtual meetings, networking, business development opportunities showcasing ground-breaking Israeli technology and innovation in areas of particular importance to Australia.

Focus areas for the Summit included:

- A new vision for healthcare
- Building Australia’s water resilience
- Transforming industries through Innovation and Artificial Intelligence
- The Future of the Workplace
- Cyber security and innovation as a business enabler

The Summit also marked the Australia-Israel Chamber of Commerce’s 50th anniversary since it’s inauguration in Australia.

Virtual Exhibition and Showcase

The 2020 Australia-Israel Innovation Summit launched a virtual platform of connectivity between Israeli and Australian businesses, offering Israeli businesses the opportunity to meet and build relationships online via a virtual exhibition book. Over 20 Israeli businesses participated in this novel method to showcase their organisations.

The 2020 Australia-Israel Innovation Summit

	Agenda
2:30 - 3:15pm	→ **Opening welcome and Plenary Session** **New Thinking for a New Era – the role of social impact investment** **Jillian Segal AO, Chair**, Australia-Israel Chamber of Commerce (NSW) **The Hon Scott Morrison MP**, Prime Minister of Australia **Shemara Wikramanayake,** Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, Macquarie Group **Sir Ronald Cohen**, Chair, GSG (Global Steering Group for Impact Investment)
3:15 - 3:50pm	→ **Plenary Session 2** **Alternative strategies for a digital post-pandemic world** **Kelly Bayer Rosmarin**, Chief Executive Officer, Optus **Karin Eibschitz Segal**, Vice President, General Manager, Intel Israel Development Center **Nadine Blayney**, Head of Content, ausbiz, Moderator
3.50 - 4.55pm	→ **Revitalising Australia's Economy though Innovation and Technology** **Robyn Denholm**, Chair of the Board, Tesla Inc, Moderator **David Gonski AC**, Chairman, ANZ Banking Group Ltd **Professor Andrew Cuthbertson AO**, Senior advisor & Executive Director, CSL Limited **The Hon Karen Andrews MP**, Minister for Industry, Science and Technology **Aharon Aharon**, CEO, Israel Innovation Authority **Dr. Larry Marshall**, Chief Executive, CSIRO **Bg (Ret) Dr. Daniel Gold**, Head, Directorate of Defense Research and Development (DDR&D – MAFAT), Israel **Steven Worrall**, Managing Director, Microsoft, Moderator
5.00 - 6.00pm	→ **Breakout Sessions**

5:00 - 6:00pm ***Concurrent Panel Session*** **HALL 1**	**→ The Future of Healthcare** **Elizabeth Koff**, Secretary, NSW Health **Craig Drummond**, Chief Executive Officer, Medibank **Steven Rubic**, Chief Executive Officer, Healthscope **Dr. Eyal Zimlichman**, MD, MSc, Deputy Director General; Chief Medical Officer; and Chief Innovation Officer at Sheba Medical Center **Dr. Yossi Bahagon**, Managing Partner, Qure Ventures **Tamar Raz**, CEO, Hadasit, the Technology Transfer Company of Hadassah Medical Organization **Susan Jones**, Special Counsel, Gilbert + Tobin, Moderator
5:00 - 6:00pm ***Concurrent Panel Session*** **HALL 2**	**→ Cyber Security Threats and Challenges** **Yigal Unna**, Director General of the Israel National Cyber Directorate (INCD) **Assaf Mischari**, Partner and the Head of Research at Team8 **Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Prof. Isaac Ben Israel**, Head of the Blavatnik Interdisciplinary Cyber Research Centre Tel Aviv University; Chairman of the Israel Space Agency **Jonathan Fischbein**, CISO, Checkpoint **Abigail Bradshaw CSC**, Head of the Australian Cyber Security Centre (ACSC) **Nicholas McKenzie**, Chief Security Officer, NAB **Bianca Wirth**, National Lead Director, Security Strategy & Governance, KPMG Australia **Robyn Denholm**, Chair of the Board, Tesla Inc, Moderator
5:00 - 6:00pm ***Concurrent Panel Session*** **HALL 3**	**→ Artificial Intelligence and the Transformation of Industries** **Sagie Davidovich**, Co-Founder & CEO – Spark Beyond **Ben Hassing**, Chief Executive of eCommerce, Coles **Dr. Kira Radinsky**, Chairperson and CTO, Diagnostic Robotics **Michael Zolotov**, Co-founder and CTO, Razor Labs **Sonia Nazaretian**, Director of Retail, Media Communications, Enterprise Commercial Division, Microsoft, Moderator
6:00 - 7:00pm ***Concurrent Panel Session*** **HALL 1**	**→ Water Resilience and Innovation** **Booky Oren**, Chairman & CEO , Booky Oren Global Water Technologies **Raanan Adin**, Chairman, Israel Water Association **Giora Shaham**, Director General and Chairman of the Board, Authority for Water and Sewage of Israel **The Hon. Melinda Pavey**, MP, NSW Minister for Water, Property and Housing **Roch Cheroux**, Managing Director, Sydney Water **Carmel Krogh OAM**, National President, The Australian Water Association **Macinley Butson**, NSW Young Australian of the Year 2018 **Daniel Lambert**, Australasia Water Leader, Arup 2020 Professional Engineer of the Year, Moderator

6:00 - 7:00pm ***Concurrent Panel Session*** **HALL 2**	→ **Workplace of the Future** **Gideon Soesman**, Co-Founder & Managing Partner, GreenSoil Investments **Ken Boal**, Vice President, Cisco Australia and New Zealand **Ayalla Reuven Lelong**, Founder and CEO, EQ-EL **Natalie Slessor**, Head of Customer Futures, Lendlease **Leonie Wilkinson**, Senior Vice President, Portfolio Management, Real Estate Brookfield **Chris Mitchell**, Managing Director, Optus Business, Moderator
7:00 - 7:10pm	→ **Closing Remarks** **Amir Peretz**, Minister of Economy and Industry and Member of the Knesset (MK)
7.10 - 8.00pm	→ **Exhibition Showcase and Meetings with Exhibitors**
7.10 - 8.00pm	→ **Virtual Roundtables with Industry Leaders**
8.00pm	→ **Summit Close**

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