

THE GALLERY OF THE BOARDROOM

A REMASTERED GOVERNANCE COLLOQUIUM FOR HEADS

9.00am - 3.45pm Tuesday 16 June 2026

CHAU CHAK WING MUSEUM, THE UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY
LOCATED ON UNIVERSITY AVE, ALONGSIDE FISHER LIBRARY AND OPPOSITE THE GREAT HALL

Registration: \$495 (incl. GST) + credit card fee

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CAN THE COMPLEXITIES OF MODERN GOVERNANCE BE CREATIVELY TRANSLATED?

One of the silent detractors operating at some board tables is the conscious or unconscious bias of directors, their potentially single-purpose, restrictive interests and a Head's unwitting assumption that all directors understand educational language. In addition, we ask questions about the life-cycle of a board's expectation around the longevity of a head's leadership.

These matters and more will be explored in our final one-day remastered colloquium, once again at the Chau Chak Wing Museum, University of Sydney. On Gadigal land, the Museum is a splendid, multidisciplinary space sharing the University's extensive teaching collection with the wider community.

The Gallery of the Boardroom is an initiative of Future Leadership and AHISA. Guided by Dr Amanda Bell AM and Dr Chris Duncan to date, this series of one-day colloquia has been well received in capital cities across Australia. In response to members' feedback, the last session in the series has been reviewed to provide a fresh perspective on school governance and the successful leadership of the Head at the board table, alongside the Chair.

Places for this final colloquium are strictly limited to 30 members only. Registrations are open to all AHISA Members from every Australian state and New Zealand.

Join us in Sydney for a truly creative, collegial colloquium with a difference. We look forward to working with you in this refreshing new approach to innovative governance leadership.

PROGRAM

- 8.30am Arrival CCWM, Nelson Meers Lecture Room
- 9.00am Welcome
- 9.15am Museum Artifacts & Object Based Learning, CCWM Curatorial Team
- 10.45am Morning tea in the Sounds Café
- 11.15am Perspectives, undertones, analysis of the Head/Board relationship
- 1.00pm Lunch, Sounds Café & opportunity to view Museum exhibitions
- 2.00pm New governance case studies
- 3.30pm Summary and evaluation
- 3.45pm Close

[Register at: www.ahisa.edu.au](http://www.ahisa.edu.au)

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