

# Up to the task?

How does the new draft Metropolitan Strategy measure up in addressing Sydney's challenges?

Hear these uniquely qualified speakers address this topic, followed by a panel and Q & A discussion:

Lucy Turnbull AO Chair, Committee for Sydney; former Lord Mayor of Sydney

Frank Sartor AO Managing Director, SPP Services; former Lord Mayor of Sydney; former Minister for Planning

Patrick Fensham Principal and Partner, SGS Economics and Planning

Professor Bill Randolph Associate Dean (Research), City Futures Research Centre UNSW Thursday 2nd May, 5:45 pm registration for 6pm seminar to be followed by drinks and canapés at 7:30

AGL Theatre, Museum of Sydney, cnr Phillip and Bridge Streets, Sydney

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### Lucy Turnbull AO

is an urbanist, businesswoman and philanthropist with longstanding interest in technological and social innovation. She chairs the Committee for Sydney and is Chairman of Prima BioMed Limited, an ASX listed biomedical company undertaking clinical development for an immuno-therapeutic treatment of ovarian and other cancer types. She was the first female Lond Mayor of the City of Sydney from 2003-4. In 2012 she was awarded an Honorary Doctrate of Business by the University of NSW. In 2011 she became an Offficer of the Order of Australia for distinguished service to the community, local government and business.



### rank Sartor AO

has been closely involved in the planning of Sydney and is passionate about it. He was Lord Mayor of Sydney for over 11 years and then a senior NSW Minister where his responsibilities variously included Planning, Redfern Waterloo, Environment, Arts, Cancer Control, and Energy and Utilities. He was responsible for the Metropolitan Strategy of 2005. He is now a qualified planner and is Managing Director of SPP Services Pty Ltd which, amongst other things, provides advice on planning and development matters. He recently published a book called "The Fog on the Hill" which includes substantial commentary on planning and transport issues facing Sydney.



### Patrick Fensham

is a Sydney based Principal and Partner with SGS Economics and Planning. In 2004, Patrick was seconded to the NSW Department of Planning as the Director Strategic Development on the Sydney Metropolitan Strategy until its launch in December 2005. During 2007 and 2008 Patrick led a multi-disciplinary team of consultants preparing the City of Sydney's highly acclaimed Sustainable Sydney 2030 strategy. This won PIA's National President Award in 2009. Patrick is a regular contributor to seminars on strategic planning and economic development, and is a guest lecturer to UTS Master's students.



## Professor Bill Randolph

joined the Faculty of the Built Environment at the University of New South Wales in August 2004 as Professor and Director of the City Futures Research Centre. He was appointed Associate Dean Research in mid-2009. Bill has 35 years experience as a researcher on housing and urban policy issues in the academic, government, non-government and private sectors. At UNSW he leads a research team specialising in housing policy, housing markets, strata living, social inclusion, urban renewal, sustainability and metropolitan planning policy issues. Bill holds a PhD from the London School of Economics.



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