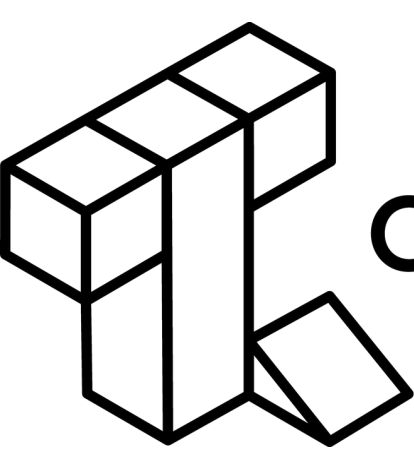


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TECHNET AUSTRALIA CONFERENCE @ UNSW ROUNDHOUSE

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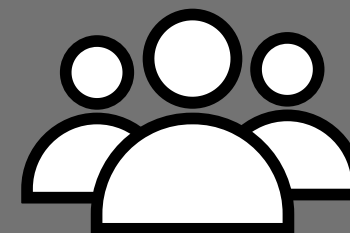
When: 2nd - 4th December, 2026

Where: Roundhouse, UNSW Sydney

What is the TechNet conference?

The annual national conference brings together a diverse and engaged audience of tertiary technical and professional staff from universities, research institutes and allied organisations.

This year's theme, "Continuous Improvement", highlights the ethos of the TechNet community to solve problems through networking and driving innovation.

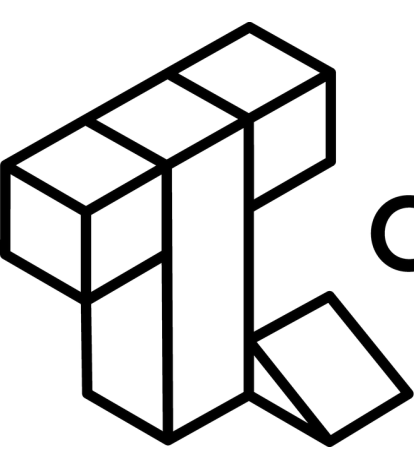


ATTENDEE BREAKDOWN

We are anticipating around 300 delegates to attend the 2026 TechNet Conference, building on the strong engagement seen at the 2024 event hosted by Western Sydney University, which welcomed close to 300 attendees from 27 universities and research organisations including CSIRO and the Garvan Institute.

The conference attracts a highly engaged audience of technical and scientific professionals, including laboratory and workshop staff, technical officers, facility managers and senior technical leaders as well as academics affiliated with service nodes. Many attendees are directly involved in equipment selection and procurement, making this a valuable opportunity to connect with key decision makers.

Delegates represent institutions from across Australia and New Zealand and have strong interest in emerging technologies, research infrastructure and practical solutions that support teaching and research. Sponsors can expect meaningful engagement through networking sessions, exhibition opportunities and direct interaction with a nationally connected technical community.



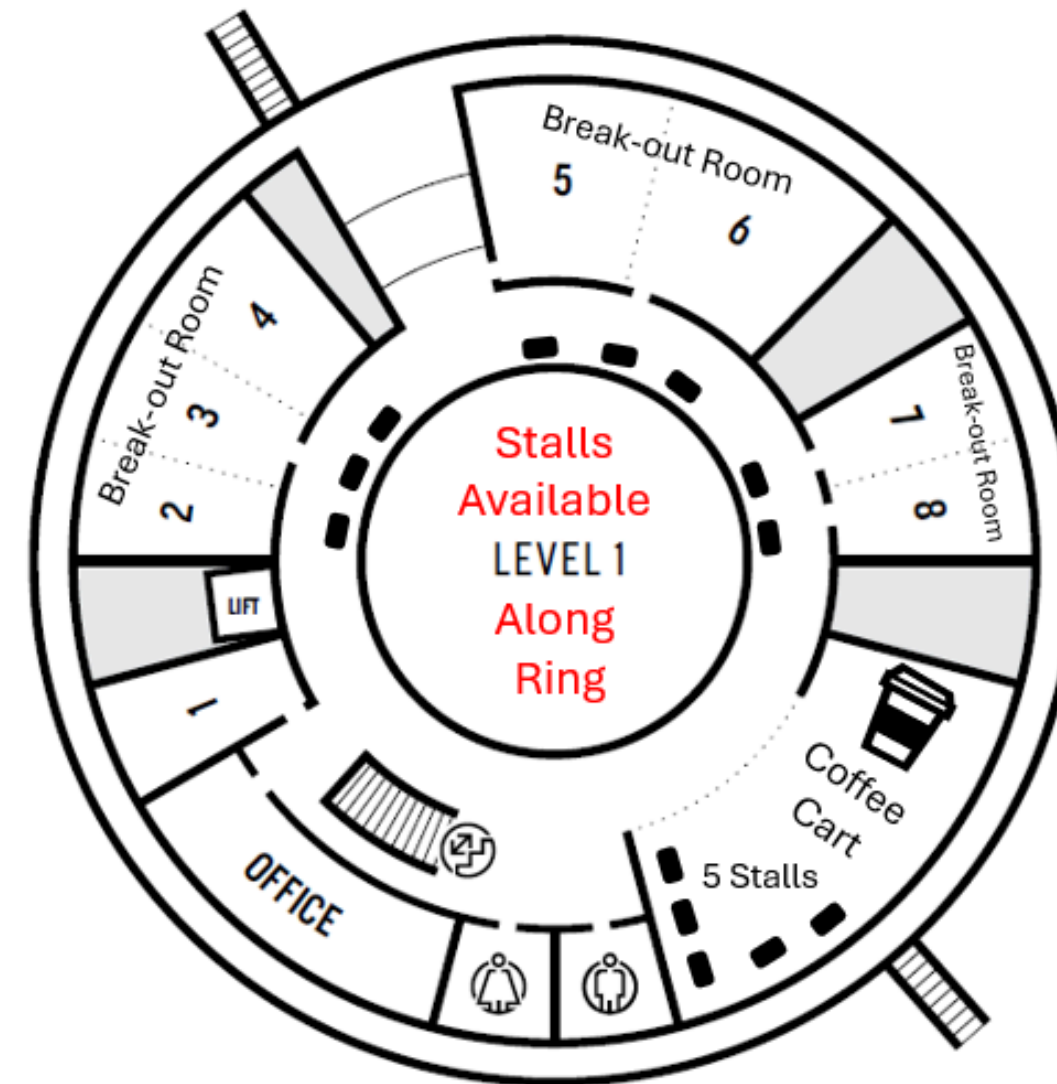
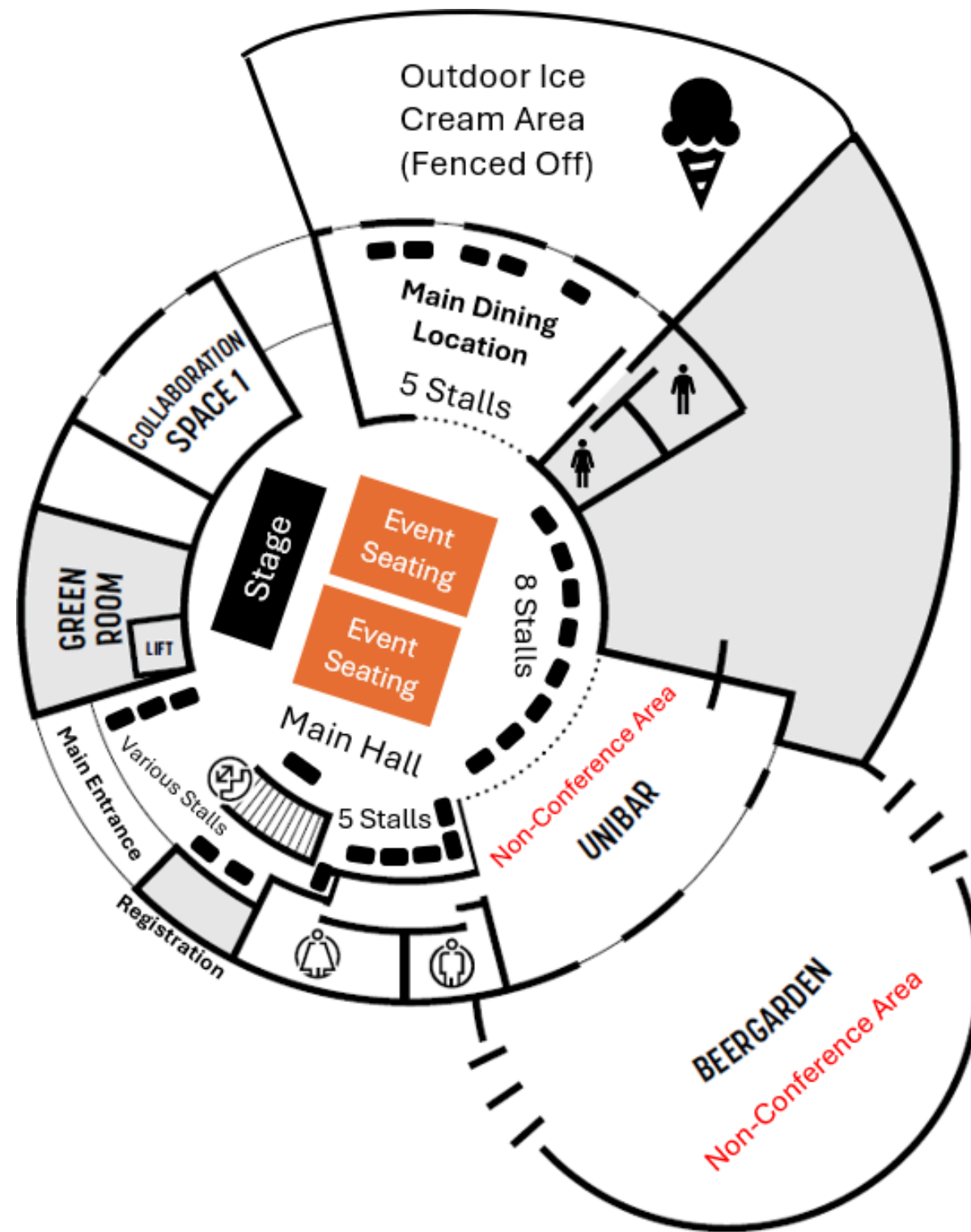
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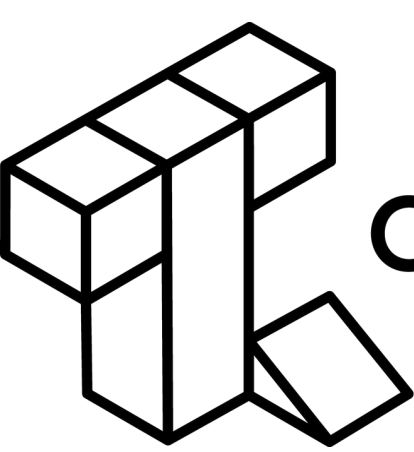
ROUNDHOUSE MAP



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*Locations are subject to change and not to scale in this diagram.



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DRAFT PROGRAM



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Access the most up-to-date version of the program at the following link: [TechNet Conference 2026 Website | Program](#)

Event	Day(s)	Location
Opening and Closing Ceremony	One & Three	Main Hall
Morning Tea/Ice Breaker	One	Main Hall
Workshops	Every Day	Level 1 Breakout Rooms
Lunch/Catering	Every Day	Main Dining Location, Main Hall
Panel Discussion	Every Day	Main Hall
Poster Session	Two	Level 1 Ring



GOLD SPONSOR
\$5,000

Two Available

- Verbal recognition as a Gold sponsor at opening and closing ceremonies.
- 5-minute speaking opportunity on day 2 during keynote session.
- Exhibitor table (first choice of exhibitor table location).
Option to add cocktail table to stall set-up.
- Opportunity to run a workshop/product demonstration during demonstration session? *
- Pull-up banner display** at the venue entrance and on stage.
- Access to delegate list pre conference.
- Four full Sponsor tickets (interchangeable), including two tickets to the Conference Dinner.
- Opportunity to sponsor lucky dip prizes at closing ceremony.
- Access to vendor passport system.

Logo displayed on:

- All promotional material as a major sponsor
- Conference website
- Social media, email campaigns, and newsletters
- Venue signage including promotional screens on main stage

*Details on Page 11

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SILVER SPONSOR
\$3,000

Eight Available

- Exhibitor table (choice of exhibitor table location after gold sponsors)
- Opportunity to run a workshop/product demonstration during demonstration session? *
- Access to delegate list pre conference
- Three full sponsor tickets (interchangeable)
- Access to vendor passport system.

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BRONZE SPONSOR

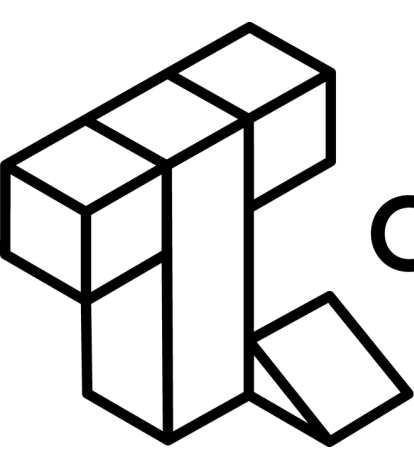
\$2,000

Many Available

- Exhibitor table (choice of exhibitor table location after gold and silver sponsors)
- 2 full sponsor tickets (interchangeable)
- Access to vendor passport system.

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- Venue signage



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COFFEE CART SPONSOR

\$8,000

Exclusive

- **Gold Sponsor*** benefits PLUS;
- Coffee cart will be at the conference for all 3 days.
- Branding and logo on coffee cart signage.

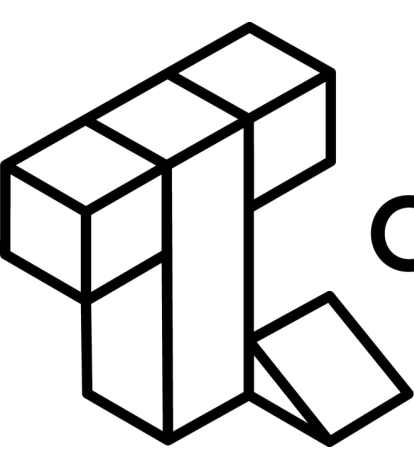
MESSINA CART SPONSOR

Options Available Below

- 1 day sponsorship (\$5,000)
 - **Bronze Sponsor*** benefits PLUS;
 - Branded stand and menu
 - 350 Messina cups with sponsor branding
- 2 day sponsorship (\$7,500)
 - **Silver Sponsor*** benefits PLUS;
 - Branded stand and menu
 - 700 Messina cups with sponsor branding
- 3 day sponsorship (\$10,000)
 - **Gold Sponsor*** benefits PLUS;
 - Branded stand and menu
 - 1050 Messina cups with sponsor branding

Note: the cart will be at the conference for a period of 3 hours each day.

*There is some flexibility with these sponsorships options. Contact the sponsorships team if you'd like to make alterations



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CONFERENCE DINNER SPONSOR

\$8,000

Exclusive

- **Bronze Sponsor*** benefits PLUS;
- Recognition as the Conference Dinner Sponsor at the Conference Dinner, and during the conference opening and closing session.
- Recognition as sponsor of the awards presentation at the Gala Dinner.
- Three tickets to the Conference Dinner.
- Pull-up banner display** at the Conference Dinner venue

Logo displayed on:

- All promotional material as a major sponsor
- Conference website
- Social media, email campaigns, and newsletters
- Venue signage including promotional screens on main stage

*Can adjust sponsor tier if desired
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<i>Sponsor Tiers Comparison</i>	Gold \$5,000	Silver \$3,000	Bronze \$2,000	Coffee Cart \$8,000	Messina Cart Variable Price	Conference Dinner \$8,000
Sponsor Ticket	4	3	2	4	2-4	2
Exhibition Table	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo displayed on conference website and venue signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo displayed on all promotional material (Social media, email campaigns and newsletters)	✓	✓	-	✓	With 2/3 day sponsorship	-
Opportunity to run workshop/demonstration session	✓	✓	-	✓	With 2/3 day sponsorship	-
Delegate list access pre-conference	✓	✓	-	✓	With 2/3 day sponsorship	-
Verbal acknowledgement during Opening/Closing Ceremony	✓	-	-	✓	With 3 day sponsorship	✓
5-minute Speaking Session	✓	-	-	✓	With 3 day sponsorship	-
Conference Dinner Tickets	2	-	-	2	2 tickets with 3 day sponsorship	3
Opportunity to sponsor lucky dip prizes	✓	-	-	✓	With 3 day sponsorship	-
Pull-up banner at Roundhouse	✓	-	-	✓	With 3 day sponsorship	-
Sponsor of award ceremony at conference Dinner	-	-	-	-	-	✓
Pull-up banner at Conference Dinner	-	-	-	-	-	✓



SPONSORSHIP SHOWCASE SESSION

Exclusive to Gold and Silver Sponsors

- Gold, Silver, Coffee cart and 3-day Messina Cart Sponsors have the opportunity to deliver a specialised 20 - 30 minute event showcasing their equipments/products. Delivered alongside the main conference program, these sessions may take the form of workshops, roundtables and/or other interactive formats aligned with the conference theme and key topics.
- Please contact the sponsorship committee to discuss your idea(s) about this session.



VENDOR SUPPORT

Post sign-on Information

Vendor Information Post Sign-on

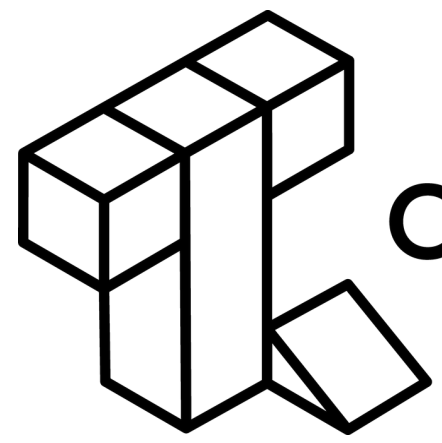
- Closer to the conference all sponsors will be provided with a detailed Vendor Information Sheet, covering:
 - Bump-in and bump-out times
 - Parking access
 - Communications regarding exhibitor requirements
 - Stall setup guidelines and venue logistics
- Key contact details for the conference organising team
- Important dates and deadlines relevant to sponsors and exhibitors

Vendor Support during the Conference

- All vendors will be provided with:
 - A parking permit to the Barker St Carpark
 - One exhibitor table per sponsor
 - Access to power (where required)
 - Basic IT support during the conference

Refund Policy

- **Full refund** will be provided for cancellations made **more than three (3) months** prior to the conference start date
- **50% refund** will be provided for cancellations made **up to one (1) month** prior to the conference
- **No refund** will be eligible for cancellations made **within one month** of the conference.



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REGISTRATIONS OPEN MONDAY, JUNE 1ST

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU ON THE 2ND OF DECEMBER

