



# MEMBERSHIP

# It Pays to Belong

The Peak National Organisation  
Representing the Irrigation Industry



Training



Certification



Conferencing



Regional Activities



Publications

# IRRIGATION AUSTRALIA

Irrigation Australia is the peak national organisation representing the irrigation industry. We provide a range of services to our members and to the whole industry which includes industry certification, training, publications, conferencing, networking and regional events. Irrigation Australia is a registered training organisation (RTO: 91313) under the name Irrigation Training Australia, providing the industry with nationally accredited training and qualifications. Irrigation Australia is committed to improving the industry standards by working closely with federal, state and local government as well as other stakeholders to improve water efficiency and increase land productivity.

“ Townsville City Council has been a member of Irrigation Australia for over 15 years, both supporting & benefitting from the professionalism of the irrigation industry within Australia. This is what being a member of the peak industry body achieves.

Irrigation is largely an unregulated industry, Irrigation Australia has led the way in Australia developing industry standards & certified professionals to provide for the challenges & opportunities that already exist and those that lie ahead from water supply uncertainty.

As Australia is largely a dry continent, to prosper into the future, irrigation in Australia needs to be innovative & lead the world. In my opinion anyone that is involved in an irrigation business would benefit from being a member of the peak industry body and in doing so, contribute to the future development & professionalism of the irrigation industry in Australia.

## Brian Walters

SENIOR IRRIGATION PLANNER & DESIGNER

## Dave Cameron

CEO IRRIGATION AUSTRALIA



## MESSAGE FROM THE CEO

*Irrigation Australia is committed to leading the irrigation industry into the future.*

*As a Registered Training Organisation we provide and facilitate training and certification programs that aim to improve the industry standards and education for the efficient use of water in irrigation.*

*Irrigation Australia also hosts the biennial Irrigation Australia Conference and Exhibition which offers seminars on essential irrigation topics with key speakers from government, agriculture, and horticulture, as well as environmental and landscape industries. A major industry trade show is also held in conjunction with the conference which provides a great opportunity for our industry colleagues to meet and learn more about new industry products, services and technologies available. Future trends in water supply and irrigation are demonstrated at this internationally recognised conference. Additionally, Irrigation Australia has been active in the areas of education and certification.*

*We also represent our members at federal policy level, working closely with other organisations such as the National Irrigators' Council and other stakeholder groups to meet the major challenges facing our planet's most valuable resource - water.*

*Irrigation Australia is also the Australian representative of the International Commission on Irrigation & Drainage (ICID). ICID is a leading scientific, technical, international not-for-profit, non-governmental organisation which its headquarters in New Delhi.*

*Irrigation Australia also produces a number of publications including our flagship - Irrigation Australia Journal, the leading quarterly digital industry publication covering irrigation issues in Australia and our monthly eNewsletter IrriNews. In WA we produce a digital magazine called The Overflow.*

*We encourage all industry stakeholders to join Irrigation Australia to support the sustainable future of our important industry.*

# Irrigation Australia Membership Categories:



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IRRIGATION - FOR PROSPERITY AND AFFILIATED ORGANISATION

## TESTIMONIAL

**Kath Eden**

GREENE EDEN  
WATERING SYSTEMS  
PTY LTD



Greene Eden Watering Systems Pty Ltd has been part of the irrigation industry in South Australia for over 40 years, and also enjoyed an affiliation with Irrigation Australia Limited (SA Region) for most of that time.

Sometimes in small business it's easy to feel isolated, but being part of the association has meant we were embraced by the irrigation industry family, broadening our friendship base, and our knowledge, and enabling us to become more aware of our responsibilities as a professional and ethical contractor. Importantly, through this affiliation, we have been kept up to date with changes in industry standards and codes of practice. During our years of membership I have enjoyed contributing to the South Australian industry through time on the Regional committee, and also, Nationally, as a Board member.

Irrigation Australia continues to evolve and grow, reflecting the changes in the industry and its members.

So - whether you can contribute to your Regional Committee, have the opportunity to be involved at a National level, need training or just want to be kept informed - being a member of the IAL will reflect your pride and enthusiasm at being part of the irrigation industry in Australia.

# MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS



## 1. Irrigation Journal Copies

Receive four digital copies of the only national Irrigation Journal per annum. Each journal contains valuable industry information about new projects, technologies and techniques for Agriculture, Landscape & Domestic Irrigation



## 2. Free Listing on Irrigation Australia's Website

List your business on Irrigation Australia's Website Directory which attracts significant page views every month.



## 3. Training Discounts

Receive significant member discounts on nationally accredited irrigation training and qualifications delivered by Irrigation Australia in major cities and regional towns.

## 4. Certification Discounts

Receive significant member discounts on the joining fee and renewal fee to the Certification Program administered by Irrigation Australia.

Certification is a voluntary, national program of industry recognition. Certification adds instant credibility with customers, increases job opportunities and demonstrates your commitment to efficient water management. Visit our website to learn more [www.irrigationaustralia.com.au](http://www.irrigationaustralia.com.au)



## 6. Members Only Portal

Gain access to the Members Only Portal on the Irrigation Australia website. Here you can manage your Irrigation Australia membership, download your current certificates, access members only documents, conference presentations and other materials



## 5. Conference & Tradeshow Discounts

Member discounts on attending and exhibiting at the Irrigation Australia Biennial International Conference & Exhibition.

## 7. Access to eKnowledge

Irrigation Australia's eKnowledge repository has numerous resources available including technical and conference papers, Journals and resources available only for Members.

### 8. Discounts on Publications and Merchandise

Irrigation Australia offers a wide range of books, eBooks and other merchandise through its online store. Members receive significant discounts on materials.



### 9. Invitations to Regional Meetings & Events

Irrigation Australia hosts a number of regional meetings, events and site visits across Australia. This is a great opportunity for members and industry colleagues to come together to discuss new challenges, technologies and network.



### 10. IrriNews Newsletter

Receive the monthly Irrigation Newsletter with the latest information on upcoming training, events as well as new products, information and industry news.



### 11. International Representation

Be part of the global irrigation community and gain access to international contacts via Irrigation Australia's membership of the International Commission on Irrigation and Drainage (ICID).

### 12. Discounts on Waterwise endorsement

Receive significant member discounts on the Waterwise endorsement programs, relevant for domestic irrigation contractors, installers, landscapers and retailers. Benefit from Waterwise marketing and merchandise to promote yourself as a Waterwise irrigation professional to the community.



See [www.waterwiseprograms.com.au](http://www.waterwiseprograms.com.au) for more information.

## ADDITIONAL MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

(EXCLUDES PRIMARY PRODUCERS, INDIVIDUALS & RETIRED MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY)

### 13. Free Online Job Listing

Looking for staff? Place a free job listing on the exclusive industry's Job Board. Opportunities are available to upgrade to a featured listing.



### 14. Journal Advertisement Discounts

Receive significant discounts on advertising in the Irrigation Journal.



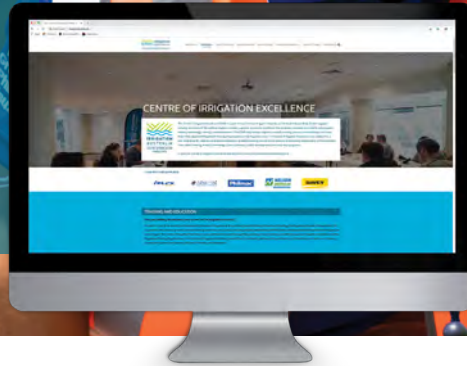
## To Become a Member of Irrigation Australia



Join online by visiting [www.irrigationaustralia.com.au](http://www.irrigationaustralia.com.au) or contact us at **1300 949 891** or email [membership@irrigation.org.au](mailto:membership@irrigation.org.au)

# CENTRE OF IRRIGATION EXCELLENCE

A platform designed for irrigation employers/employees, students seeking a career in our industry and industry stakeholders to find and learn more about training, industry knowledge, career pathways, career development and study tour programs.



## Thanks to our Sponsors



## Limited sponsorship opportunities are available for Irrigation Australia's Centre of Irrigation Excellence.



To enquire if your business meets the eligibility criteria, contact one of our Team

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