

Deadly Housing Summit #5

Rydges Sydney Central on Gadigal Country



AGENDA - DAY 1 – Tuesday 12 May

8:30 am **Registration, Cuppa & Yarn**

9:15 am **Welcome & Housekeeping**

9:30 am **Welcome to Country & Performance**
Metro LALC

SESSION 1 - Affordable Housing Through Community Land Trusts
10:00 am Professor Louise Crabtree-Hayes, Institute for Culture and Society,
Western Sydney University

10:40 am **Morning Tea Break**

11:20 am **SESSION 2 - Waddi Housing 50th Anniversary**
Margret Gilbert, Operations Manager, Waddi Housing

12:00 pm **SESSION 3 - Direct Dealings**
Lisa Marigliano, Executive Director, Portfolio Development

1:00 pm **Lunch Break**

1:50 pm **Group Photo**

2:00 pm **SESSION 4 - Yarning with an SME**

2:40 pm **SESSION 5 - Success across Funding Programs**
Lauren Harris, Collaborator Consultants

3:20 pm **Afternoon Tea Break**

3:40 pm **SESSION 6 - Model Management and all things Rate Exemptions**
Elizabeth McDonald, Chalk & Behrendt

4:20 pm **Recap of the Day & Evaluations**

4:30 pm **Day 1 Closing**

6:30 - **Performance & Light Refreshments**
10:00 pm Performance by TBC

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AGENDA - DAY 2 – Wednesday 13 May

8:30 am **Registration, Cuppa & Yarn**

9:15 am **Welcome Back**

9:30 am **SESSION 7 - People, Place & Environment**
Romiatta Selwyn & Grant Whitbourne, Talyama

10:10 am **SESSION 9 - Awabakal Ltd Showcase**
Kalah McIntosh, General Manager, Awabakal Ltd

10:50 am **SESSION 9 - Homes & Granny Flats**
Christopher Sarkis, Founder, X?

11:30 am **Morning Tea Break**

12:00 pm **SESSION 9 - Yarning with an SME**

12:40 pm **SESSION 10 - CERT IV Social Housing**
TBC

1:20 pm **Lunch Break**

2:00 pm **Recap of the Day & Gifts to Participants**

2:30 pm **Event Close**



Don't forget to register for Deadly Housing Summit #5

Join us on 12–13 May 2026 on Gadigal Country at Rydges Sydney Central for two days of connecting, capacity building, and strengthening Aboriginal-led housing across NSW. To register, follow the link or scan the QR Code.

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