Countries that **embrace innovation** this century will lead the world.
Who we are
Innovate Australia was established in 2014 to encourage, assist and proactively promote Australian innovation by putting ideas into practice to generate value. The organisation works with industry to bring about and encourage innovation, to showcase innovation, and to develop innovative programs and innovation networks. It is a not for profit, independent facilitator with a wide national footprint.

Who we do it with
We are bi-partisan and collaborate equally with industry, academia and government.

What we do
Innovate Australia operates industry innovation networks in fields as wide ranging as energy, medicine, the built environment, defence, life sciences, aged care, telecommunications, mining, manufacturing, space technology, transport and agriculture.

Each year we hold a wide range of events including several high profile summits.

We also:
- advocate for, and promote the benefits of, innovation across Australia
- have a campaign to build influence and outcomes nationally
- are expanding our reach and resources in collaboration with our partners to deliver increasing value to the community.

Our programs
Australia’s world rankings in creativity, talent, and innovation and related measures

Australia’s Innovation Rankings:

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Where does Australia sit?

According to international publications Australia is rated #1 for talent and #1 for creativity. Australia is currently ranked number #20 on the Global Innovation Index. If we apply our great talent and creativity to the challenge there is enormous potential for us also to become the world’s great innovators. All we need to do is to get better at putting our ideas into practice for the benefit of all Australians.

Our goal

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We want Australia to be the #1 country in the world for innovation and we want you to be part of it...

Australia 2030
Prosperity through Innovation.

A plan for Australia to thrive in the global innovation race.
Innovation doesn’t just happen. It requires people to act and to put their great ideas into practice. And it comes from looking outside the box and interacting with new people with different ideas.

You can be the next great Australian innovator!

- Come to one of our many interesting events.
- Join one of our innovation networks.
- Tell us about your innovation successes.

Reach out and join us in making Australia the #1 country in the world for innovation.

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Innovation is not separate; it’s part of life. It’s part of what we do every day. Breathing, sleeping, innovating.

As a society, we need to work out how to push boundaries to make the world a better place for everybody.

Winthrop Professor Fiona Wood FRACS AM
Director, Burns Service of Western Australia
2005 Australian of the Year