CAUTHE 2025 Workforce & Employment SIG meeting

Wednesday 12 February
16:00 - 17:30 (AEST)

Time	Item
16:00	**Introduction** / summary of purpose of SIG **Co-Chairs:** David Solnet / Anna Kralj / Richard Robinson / Shelagh Mooney
16:05	**Refresh** on last year meeting / focus on policies (Shelagh) Introducing Tim Myatt
16:10	Tim Myatt, Austrade **– short presentation** Focus: • Austrade's role in the VE • THRIVE 2030 and its vision for workforce • Some of the key data and stats on tourism workforce • Government initiative supporting tourism workforce
16:20	**Q&A** Using padlet with QR code on slide to allow attendees to submit questions anonymously as well as possibly hand raised in the room. Summary and thanks for Tim
16:40	**Call** for a new committee and discussion around the appointment system
16:50	Proposed **Special Issue** on Work and Employment - Scope, roles, etc (Anna)
17:00	**Group activity** Building on last year's meeting, identify 4-5 important workforce related issues in the hospitality industry Small groups (4-5 members). In the next 15 minutes, discuss one potential policy approach to address one of these issues (consider feasibility, impact, and potential barriers). Groups share
17:30	**Close** and continue over casual dinner at 6pm at the Plough Inn: 29 Stanley St Plaza, South Brisbane - see map below.

To get to Plough Inn from Brisbane City Hall

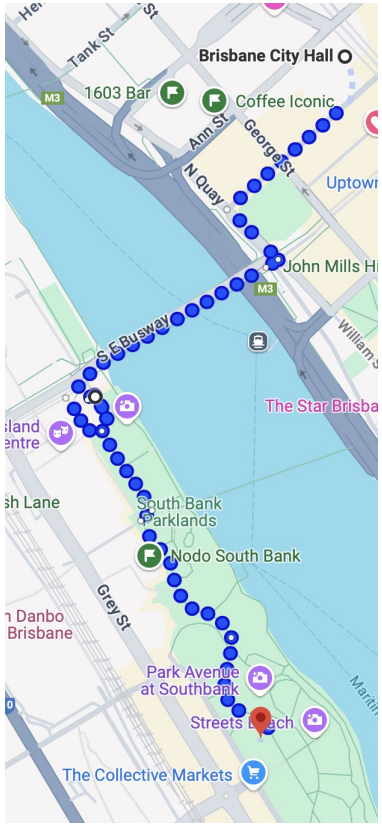
1. 20 min (beautiful) walk to Plough Inn: 29 Stanley St Plaza, South Brisbane QLD 4101

Directions (option 1): walk down Adelaide St towards the river. Walk over the Busway bridge, preferably on the left side of the bridge (heading to South bank). Walk by a Brisbane sign, get a picture, keep walking along the river, towards Little Stanley St.

Directions (option 2) - try the newly opened pedestrian bridge): Walk down Adelaide st towards the river, turn left onto George St. Walk down the street towards the Star Brisbane casino, walk over Neville Bonner bridge and walk through the South Bank to Plough Inn.

2. 10 min Uber ride to Plough Inn: 29 Stanley St Plaza, South Brisbane QLD 4101 **Note**: the pick up spot is tricky. Make sure you order Uber to **pick up from Adelaide St**, 63 or 67).

Option 1



Option 2

