

19th SGA Biennial Meeting Perth Australia



The University of
Western Australia
29 Aug - 2 Sep

**Partner with the Global Ore Deposit Geoscience Community
Support Innovation, Discovery, and the
Next Generation of Applied Geoscientists**



SPONSORSHIP AND
EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS



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INVITATION TO PARTNER

The SGA 2027 Biennial Meeting invites organisations to partner with the conference, supporting the ongoing advancement and application of ore deposit and mineral systems science.

SGA is, and always has been, a science-first conference. It is recognised globally for the quality of its peer review, the strength of its technical program, and the calibre of discussion it brings together. Delegates attend for rigorous science, practical insight, and the opportunity to engage with respected peers from across academia and industry.

Partnering with SGA 2027 is an opportunity to align your organisation with:

- High-quality, peer-reviewed scientific content
- Evidence-based approaches to geoscience and exploration
- An international network of leading researchers and industry professionals
- The continued development of the geoscience profession

Partners are recognised for the role they play in enabling the meeting — supporting the delivery of a strong technical program, broad participation, and an environment where ideas can be openly shared, tested and progressed.

We welcome partnerships with organisations who value credible science, meaningful engagement, and long-term contribution to the sector.

On behalf of the SGA 2027 Convenors



Conference host: SGA

The SGA (Society for Geology Applied to Mineral Deposits) is an international society that promotes the science related to mineral deposits and exploration. Its worldwide membership (over 1300) is composed of researchers, professionals and students. Its associated publication, *Mineralium Deposita*, is recognised as a premier international journal on mineral deposits geology.

ATTENDANCE AND AUDIENCE

SGA 2027 brings together global leaders in economic geology, geochemistry, mineralogy, geophysics, datadriven earth sciences, and resource sustainability, forming an internationally respected community dedicated to advancing ore deposit and mineral systems science.

Participants include:



**Leading scientists and
researchers shaping
international research
agendas**



**Senior industry technical
leaders applying scientific
insight to complex exploration
and resource decisions**



**Advanced analytical and
technical specialists
contributing methodological
and technological innovation**



**Early career scientists and
postgraduate researchers
who represent the future
leadership of the discipline**

This audience is distinguished by its influence on scientific direction, technical standards, and professional practice. It is a community that recognises and values organisations that contribute meaningfully to the stewardship of science.



HOST CITY

Perth, Western Australia

Perth holds a strong position in global ore deposit science as the gateway to Western Australia's world-class mineral provinces. The region is home to some of the most significant gold, iron ore, nickel and emerging critical mineral systems in the world, which have shaped both international exploration success and the evolution of modern mineral systems thinking.

With a high concentration of research institutions, geological surveys and industry expertise, Perth offers an environment where scientific insight is closely connected to real-world application — making it a natural setting for SGA 2027 and for organisations committed to supporting the science that underpins discovery, innovation and responsible resource development.

THE VENUE

The University of Western Australia

SGA 2027 will be hosted at The University of Western Australia (UWA), a leading research institution with a strong foundation in earth and environmental sciences.

Located in Perth along the Swan River, UWA provides a collegiate academic setting that supports focused scientific exchange, technical dialogue, and meaningful interaction across the SGA community.



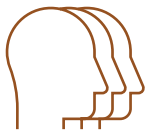
WHY PARTNER WITH SGA 2027

Partnering with SGA 2027 aligns your organisation with world-class science and supports the ongoing development of geoscience globally. By partnering with SGA 2027, organisations can:



Elevate Scientific Reputation and Credibility

Associate your organisation with an internationally respected, science first conference attended by the world's leading geologists and resource professionals. Sponsorship signals commitment to rigorous, peer reviewed science and positions your organisation alongside those who actively support the advancement of ore deposit and mineral systems knowledge.



Support Future Talent and Capability Development

Engage with students and early career geoscientists at a formative stage of their professional development. Sponsorship demonstrates visible support for the next generation of scientific leaders, strengthening workforce sustainability and reinforcing longterm investment in the profession.



Engage with Global Research and Innovation Leaders

Connect with researchers, technical specialists, and innovation leaders who are developing new approaches, methodologies, and insights relevant to mineral exploration, discovery, and responsible resource development. SGA provides a scientifically literate environment where ideas are exchanged at depth and with purpose.



Strengthen your position within the Geoscience Community

Align your organisation with the advancement of geoscience knowledge and its application in industry. Your involvement supports the delivery of a strong technical program, builds capability across the sector, and contributes to the conversations shaping future directions.

PROPOSED SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

SYMPOSIUM**1**Metallogenic provinces of Australasia

SYMPOSIUM**2**Geodynamic controls on mineral systems

SYMPOSIUM**3**Fundamental drivers on the genesis of giant ore deposits

SESSION**1**Fertility and Source Reservoirs

SESSION**2**Integrating analytical techniques from macro to pico scale to maximise success across the value chain

SESSION**3**

Mineralising processes associated with ortho- and felsic-magmatic and hydrothermal mineral systems (Includes mineral system such as: Orogenic Au, Porphyry Cu-Au, Epithermal Au-Ag, Komatiite hosted Ni, Pegmatite Li, BIF-Fe, Uranium, Kupferschiefer Cu-Ag, IOCG Cu-Au-U, Carbonatites REE-Nb-P etc.)

SESSION**4**Structural and architectural controls on mineralisation

SESSION**5**Mine-waste and end of mine life into new resources and opportunities

SESSION**6**Experiment-driven insights into ore forming processes

SESSION**7**Data to knowledge translation through AI

SESSION**8**Computational, thermodynamic, and numerical modelling into multi-scale mineralising processes

SESSION**9**Geophysical insights into lithospheric architecture and multi-scale mineralising processes

SESSION**10**New search space for ore deposits of the future

SESSION**11**Interactions between ore and surface environments (regolith)

FIELD TRIPS AND WORKSHOPS



Field Trips

A series of pre- and post-conference field trips will be offered as part of SGA 2027,

providing delegates with the opportunity to experience some of Australia's most significant mineral systems first-hand.

Led by experienced geoscientists, these trips are designed to connect conference themes with real-world geology – from major ore systems and exploration settings to emerging critical mineral provinces. They offer a valuable extension to the technical program, combining on-site learning, discussion and professional exchange.

Spanning key regions across Australia, the program includes:

Pre-Conference

1. Porphyry and epithermal deposits of the Macquarie Arc, New South Wales
2. Distal footprints of mineral deposits in Southwest Western Australia: cover-basement links
3. The Mount Isa mineral system: drivers, fluids and controls to ores and exploration
4. Mineral systems of the Yilgarn Craton
5. Lithium pegmatites of the North Pilbara Craton, Western Australia

Post-Conference

1. Geology and mineral deposits of the Broken Hill Block
2. Tasmania's diverse array of base, precious, critical and strategic metal deposits
3. Magmatic Nickel and PGE Systems of the Western Pilbara
4. Gold Across the Southern Alps, New Zealand



Workshops

A comprehensive workshop program will be delivered as

part of SGA 2027, offering practical, skills-based learning across a range of contemporary exploration and geoscience topics.

Led by industry experts and leading researchers, these sessions are designed to provide hands-on insights into current tools, techniques and approaches being applied in mineral exploration – from data integration and geophysics through to core analysis, regolith interpretation and emerging technologies.

The workshops are structured to complement the technical program, giving delegates the opportunity to deepen their knowledge, build capability and apply learnings in a practical setting.

1. Hyperdimensional Prospectivity: Integrating Spatial, Deep-Time Spatiotemporal Data and Artificial Intelligence for Mineral Discovery
2. Core through Western Australia - Perth Core Library
3. Iron-oxide Cu-Au deposits of the Olympic Cu-Au Province, SA

4. Regolith geochemistry and landscape context with an emphasis on semi-arid terrain
5. LandScape+ Regolith interpretation and geochemical data analysis tool
6. Earth Observation Information for regolith mapping, mineral exploration and mine site monitoring
7. Geophysical Approaches to Mineral System Science and Exploration
8. New tools for mineral exploration
9. Microanalytics Applied to Mineral Deposit Characterisation
10. The AuScope National Virtual Core Library – a treasure chest for mineral explorers
11. Clay mineral identification and quantification using X-ray diffraction analysis
12. Exploring for Minerals using Geophysical Methods: An Introductory Course for Exploration Geoscientists.
13. Metal transport and concentration processes in magmatic-hydrothermal systems: from Mantle to Ore
14. Exploration for Base metals (Cu, Pb, Zn) in sedimentary and metamorphosed sedimentary basins
15. Metallogenesis of the Central Andes

OPPORTUNITIES AT A GLANCE

All packages are designed to support the scientific integrity, industry outcomes, and professional development objectives of SGA 2027. Recognition reflects contribution and respects the independence of the scientific program.

All packages listed in Australian Dollars and exclusive of Australian Goods & Services Tax.



Patron

**AU\$90,000
+ GST**

This package represents the highest level of scientific support for SGA 2027. The Patron is recognised as a principal contributor to the scientific program and industry outcomes of the conference, with deep engagement across plenary content, session leadership, and student and early career initiatives.



Diamond

**AU\$75,000
+ GST**

This category provides significant support for the SGA 2027 scientific program and offers structured involvement in keynote level content, session leadership, and recognition within the conference proceedings and community activities.



Gold

**AU\$35,000
+ GST**

Supports core scientific exchange at SGA 2027 and enables engagement through technical program recognition, exhibition presence, and participation in key industry-student and early career events.



Silver

**AU\$18,000
+ GST**

The Silver package provides visible support of the conference and its scientific exchange activities, with recognition aligned to posters, abstracts, and industry networking environments.



Bronze

**AU\$8,000
+ GST**

Allows organisations an accessible opportunity to support SGA 2027 and demonstrate commitment to the geoscience community through conference recognition and participation.



OPPORTUNITIES AT A GLANCE

	 Patron AU\$90,000 + GST Exclusive	 Diamond AU\$75,000 + GST 4 Available	 Gold AU\$35,000 + GST 6 Available	 Silver AU\$18,000 + GST 8 Available	 Bronze AU\$8,000 + GST Unlimited
Scientific program					
Plenary session sponsor	✓	✓			
Session chairing	2 sessions	1 session	-	-	-
Technical presentation	Plenary	Keynote	-	-	-
Abstracts/proceedings recognition	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Attendance					
Registrations	10	6	5	4	3
Complimentary tickets for Student-Industry night*	4	3	2	1	NA
Complimentary tickets for EMCR breakfast*	4	3	2	NA	NA
Exhibition and trade					
Trade display space	Double space prime location	Double space prime location	Single space in prime location	NA	NA
Acknowledgement/logo displayed					
Verbal acknowledgement	✓	✓	✓	-	-
Sponsor signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Conference website including hyperlink	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Company profile on conference app	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Delegate communications	✓	-	-	-	-
Promotion					
Company profile on the conference app	300 words	200 words	100 words	75 words	
Advertisement in the program booklet	Two-pages	One-page; premier location	One-page	Half-page	Quarter-page
Company individual powerpoint slide	✓	✓	-	-	-
Additional recognition					
	Name badge/lanyard	Breakout lecture theatre			
	Main plenary lecture theatre				

* EMCR breakfast and industry-student night are elaborated below on p11

EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS



Educational Partnerships allow organisations to support **scientific exchange, student development, and early career engagement** at SGA 2027. These opportunities are eventspecific, highly visible within the conference community, and directly aligned with SGA's educational mission. Organisations will receive the standard entitlements outlined below unless otherwise specified:

Recognition on:

- Sponsor signage
- Conference Website including hyperlink
- Company profile on Conference App

Attendance:

- 1 complimentary registration to attend the Conference.

Poster Happy Hours

AU\$4,000 + 10% GST per session
3 opportunities available (Monday–Wednesday)

Held at the conclusion of the day's technical sessions, poster happy hours provide space for continued scientific discussion in a relaxed setting. These events support extended engagement with research content and promote interdisciplinary exchange.

Student–Industry Networking Night

AU\$4,000 + 10% GST
Exclusive opportunity (1 available)

The Student–Industry Networking Night is a key networking event designed to connect students and early and mid-career researchers with experienced professionals through informal discussion and shared experiences. In addition to the standard entitlements the sponsor will receive exclusive naming rights of the Student–Industry Networking Night and two tickets to the event.

Early & Mid-Career (EMCR) Researcher Breakfast

AU\$4,000 + 10% GST
Exclusive opportunity (1 available)

The breakfast provides a focused forum for postgraduate students and early and mid career researchers to engage with senior scientists and industry professionals in a structured yet informal environment. In addition to the standard entitlements the sponsor will receive exclusive naming rights for this event and two tickets to the breakfast.

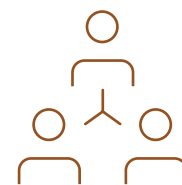
Session Sponsor

AU\$4,000 + 10% GST
Multiple opportunities

With the release of the program, organisations will have the opportunity to sponsor individual sessions. This provides a targeted way to align your organisation with topics that reflect your expertise, products or services, or areas you are looking to support and invest in.

Session sponsorship offers focused visibility within the program and positions your organisation alongside the technical content most relevant to your work.

NETWORKING PARTNERSHIPS



Networking Partnerships support the delegate experience and wellbeing at SGA 2027 by enabling shared moments of connection throughout the conference. These partnerships provide highly visible, event based recognition within informal settings where delegates gather, reflect, and continue conversation between technical sessions.

Both Networking Partnerships are offered on an exclusive basis.

Organisations will receive the standard entitlements outlined below unless otherwise specified:

Recognition on:

- Sponsor signage
- Conference Website including hyperlink
- Company profile on Conference App

Attendance:

- 1 complimentary registration to attend the Conference.

Welcome Reception

AU\$6,000 + 10% GST
Exclusive opportunity

The Welcome Reception is the first official social event of SGA 2027, providing an opportunity for delegates to reconnect, meet new colleagues, and commence the conference in a relaxed, collegial environment.

In addition to the standard entitlements the sponsor will receive **exclusive naming rights for this event and five tickets to the reception.**

Conference Dinner

AU\$10,000 + 10% GST
Exclusive opportunity

The Gala Dinner is a signature social event of SGA 2027, bringing together delegates for an evening of shared experience and connection at a key moment in the conference program.

In addition to the standard entitlements the sponsor will receive **exclusive naming rights for this event and five tickets to the Dinner, logo recognition on menus.**

BRANDED OPPORTUNITIES



Branded Opportunities at SGA 2027 provide visible, conferencewide recognition through key delegate touchpoints that support the delivery and experience of the event.

These opportunities are designed to integrate seamlessly into the conference environment, offering sustained visibility without interfering with the scientific program.

Organisations will receive the standard entitlements outlined below unless otherwise specified:

Recognition on:

- Sponsor signage
- Conference Website including hyperlink
- Company profile on Conference App

Attendance:

- 1 complimentary registration to attend the Conference.

Conference App

AU\$8,000 + 10% GST

Exclusive opportunity

The **Conference App** is the primary digital platform used by delegates throughout SGA 2027 and one of the most frequently accessed resources during the conference. It provides delegates with comprehensive information at their fingertips, including the technical program, speaker biographies, sponsor and exhibitor listings, venue information, and realtime updates.

The App also encourages active engagement, allowing delegates to comment, upload photos, and interact through the news feed. Sponsors and exhibitors are able to use this channel to highlight activity at their exhibition stand and engage with delegates throughout the conference.

As the exclusive Conference App sponsor, your organisation will receive continuous exposure, with your logo displayed prominently at the top of the App each time it is accessed, ensuring sustained visibility across the entire delegate community.

Barista Cart

AU\$6,000 + 10% GST

Multiple Opportunities

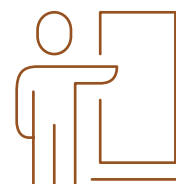
Fuel the conference with a premium barista experience, positioned in a high-traffic area to maximise engagement.

With your branding featured on coffee cups and barista aprons, this activation keeps your organisation front of mind as delegates connect, recharge and move between sessions.





EXHIBITION SPACE



The SGA 2027 Conference will include a select, technically focused exhibition designed to support scientific exchange and professional dialogue alongside the formal program.

The exhibition at SGA functions as an extension of the technical conference, providing a setting for informed, peer level discussion around analytical methods, data, tools, services, and applied approaches relevant to ore deposit and mineral systems science.

The conference program is designed to integrate the exhibition into the daily rhythm of the meeting. All catering breaks will take place within the exhibition space, making it the primary forum for informal scientific exchange, networking, and followup discussion between sessions.

Exhibition Space

AU\$5,000 + 10% GST

Exhibitor Entitlements*

- Trade Display Space
- Acknowledgment: 75-word organisation profile including contact person name and company logo on the conference App and Website.
- Attendance: 2 x full registrations including tea breaks, lunches, Welcome Reception and access to Conference sessions.
- Delegate List: Standard delegate list including name, position, organisation, state and country (subject to privacy legislation) within two weeks of the completion of the conference.

BOOKING FORM



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Please return this completed form to: events@encanta.com.au

Contact details

Please note all correspondence including invoice will be sent to the contact details below. Please ensure your billing address is correct.

Name:					
Organisation:					
Position:					
Address:					
Suburb:		State:		Postcode:	
Country:					
Mobile:		Telephone:			
Email:					
Website:					

Partnership Opportunities

✓ Partnership package

Price exclusive of GST

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☐ Poster Happy Hours	AU\$4,400 + 10% GST
☐ Student-Industry Networking Night	AU\$4,400 + 10% GST
☐ Early & Mid-Career (EMCR) Researcher Breakfast	AU\$4,400 + 10% GST
☐ Session Sponsor	AU\$4,400 + 10% GST
☐ Welcome Reception	AU\$6,600 + 10% GST
☐ Conference Dinner	AU\$11,000 + 10% GST
☐ Conference App	AU\$8,800 + 10% GST
☐ Barista Cart	AU\$6,600 + 10% GST
☐ Exhibition space	AU\$5,000 + 10% GST

☐ I agree to the Sponsorship and
Exhibition Terms and conditions and
agree to be invoiced for the total of:

Total Cost excluding GST:

AU\$

Name:

Signature:

Date:

General information

- The registration included in the purchase of an exhibition table includes access to sessions, tea breaks and lunches.
- For additional staff who do not wish to access the sessions, an additional registration can be purchased at \$450 per person (excludes dinner).
- An exhibition manual containing information on move in and out times will be distributed to exhibitors and sponsors closer to the event.

Please Note: All sponsorship and exhibition amounts are in Australian Dollars and exclude Australian Goods and Services (GST) Tax.

All benefits will be extended subject to the time of confirmation of sponsorship and or exhibition. In some cases, deadlines may have expired, and the benefits cannot be extended.

Terms and conditions

- By returning a booking form via online or printed copy confirms your acceptance of these terms and conditions.
- All bookings are subject to approval by the Organising Committee who reserve the right to refuse an application.
- We (Encanta Event Management, SGA 2027 Local Organising Committee as the Conference Organisers) reserve the right to alter any aspect of the SGA 2027 program and floorplan without notice. Please refer to the SGA 2027 website for the latest information on the conference.
- We will take all diligent care to fulfil the above sponsorship & exhibition commitments. Sponsors and exhibitors are responsible for providing all their requirements i.e. banners, promotional material and any other material by the due dates requested by the Organisers.
- We reserve the right to introduce new packages and additional exhibition booth should the opportunity arise.
- Sponsors and exhibitors are required to make the necessary payments as per the payment schedule below (unless otherwise negotiated) one full payment is also accepted:
 - 50% due within one month of invoice date.
 - Remaining 50% is due by no later than Wednesday 21 April 2027.
- Sponsors and exhibitors are responsible for the security of their own equipment and materials during the Conference and in transit to the Conference venue.
- Sponsors and exhibitors understand that all attendees must register officially and entry to the exhibition will not occur unless the attendee is wearing the appropriate identification. Visitor badges are provided as a gesture of goodwill and not for use by the organisation's representatives.
- The exhibitor shall take all reasonable care when installing/dismantling their equipment and stand as not to cause damage to the venue carpet, walls, ceilings, fixtures and floors and the shell scheme booths supplied by the appointed stand contractor including panels, fascia, spotlights, and furniture. The exhibitor is deemed liable for repairs if the structures are damaged.
- The Organisers reserve the right to request removal of any items that may be deemed unacceptable and impacts fellow exhibitors.
- All promotion must be conducted from your booth.

Postponement and Cancellation Policy

Postponement Policy

We (Encanta and SGA 2027 Local Organising Committee) may, in its absolute discretion, nominate to either postpone or cancel the event by providing the sponsor/exhibitor with notice in writing.

Cancellation or postponement may be necessary due to acts, events or causes beyond our reasonable control, including, but not limited to, acts of God, industrial disputes, failure in electricity supply or gas supply, war, civil strife, flood, storm, fire, accident, unavailability

of raw materials or supplies, explosion, global or national health emergency (including without limitation coronavirus (COVID-19), epidemic, breakdown of plant, machinery or equipment or shortages of labour, transportation, fuel, power, plant, machinery, equipment or material). If the event is postponed to a later date (as nominated by the organisers and notified to the sponsor), the terms and conditions of this agreement will continue to apply.

Any sponsorship contribution paid up to the postponement will be applied to the new event date with any outstanding sponsorship contribution balance due thirty (30) days prior to the new event date.

Cancellation Policy

- The submission of an application by a representative from your organisation is regarded as a firm booking.
- All cancellations must be made in writing to the organisers and notice acknowledged in writing by the organisers.
- Any reduction in exhibition allocation (once accepted by the organisers) will be considered a cancellation and the cancellation policy will apply.
- Should the balance of payment be outstanding at time of cancellation, the sponsor and/or exhibitor is liable for the balance as per the cancellation policy.
- If the event is cancelled, it is SGA's hope that the sponsor/exhibitor will continue to support the event and have the funds rolled over to the Event to be held on a date to be fixed.
- If the sponsor/exhibitor agrees to have the sponsorship/exhibition booth rolled over, the terms and conditions of this agreement will continue to apply, and all sponsorship/exhibition contributions already paid will be applied to the next SGA event date and any outstanding balance will be due thirty (30) days prior to the event date.
- If the sponsor/exhibitor does not agree to have the sponsorship/exhibition roll over to the next SGA event and the SGA event is cancelled, then the below cancellation dates will apply.

Cancellation Dates

- Cancellations made more than 180 days before the Event BumpIn (that is, before 1 March 2027) will incur an administrative fee of AUD \$150.
- Cancellations made between 91 and 179 days before the Event BumpIn (from 2 March 2027 to 29 May 2027, inclusive) will incur a cancellation fee equal to 10% of the total value.
- Cancellations made between 45 and 90 days before the Event BumpIn (from 30 May 2027 to 14 July 2027, inclusive) will incur a cancellation fee equal to 50% of the total value.
- Cancellations made less than 45 days before the Event BumpIn (from 15 July 2027 onwards) will incur a cancellation fee equal to 100% of the total value.
- No refunds will be issued after the applicable cancellation period has passed.