



Australian Services Roundtable

Hybrid Event hosted by Moulis Legal
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Roundtable with the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Update on E Commerce/ Digital Trade Negotiations

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Date: Friday 25 March, 2022

Time: Canberra 16.00 – 18.00pm

Followed by refreshments

Moderator

James Angus Bond, ASR President

Topics for Discussion

Digital Trade Outcomes in the A/UK FTA

Regional Digital Economy Agreement and Relationship with Indo-Pacific Economic Framework

WTO JSI Negotiations on E Commerce and expectations for the WTO Ministerial Council

Advocacy for the WTO Moratorium on Customs Duties on E Commerce

Services Market Access negotiations in the A/EU FTA

Towards a Landing Zone on Digital Trade in the A/EU FTA

Panelists

Ellisabeth Bowes, First Assistant Secretary, Regional Trade Agreements Division, DFAT

Caroline McCarthy, Assistant Secretary, Digital Trade Branch, DFAT

Matthew Duckworth, Services, Investment and Intellectual Property Branch, DFAT

Amy Stuart, WTO Digital Trade Section, DFAT

Online Panelists from Geneva and Brussels at 5.15-6pm

Lee Tuthill, Visiting Fellow, Institute for International Trade (WTO E Commerce)

Pascal Kerneis, CEO, European Services Forum (AEUFTA)

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