IMSTEC2025 Sponsorship Prospectus

Gold Coast 08 – 11 December 2025

INVITATION

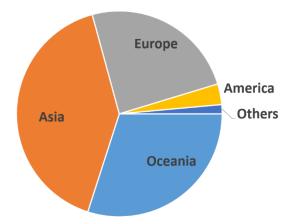
The International Membrane Science & Technology Conference (IMSTEC) is Australia's premier membrane science and technology event for connecting membrane technology researchers, developers, manufacturers and users. This year, we are pleased to announce the 12th International Membrane Science & Technology Conference (IMSTEC 2025) will be held from 8th - 11th December 2025, at Gold Coast, Australia. The conference is expecting a few hundreds of international delegates from around the world, in academic, research and commercial sectors with membrane technologies for a wide range of applications.

We cordially invite you to IMSTEC 2025 as a conference sponsor to showcase your organisation's achievements and offerings and raise your profile to a national and international audience within the membrane fabrication and application sector. You can choose from a set of sponsorship packages available or request a program specifically tailored to suit the need of your organisation.



THE CONFERENCE

IMSTEC 2025 brings together delegates from around the world, including Asia, Australia, Europe, and North America, to discuss a wide range of membrane topics.



The conference will hold a series of lecture streams running concurrently over five days where delegates will contribute to and enjoy the technical program.

For further information, visit the IMSTEC2025 website at: <u>https://www.imstec.com.au/</u>

VENUE

IMSTEC 2025 is scheduled to be held at the Crowne Plaza Surfers Paradise, a luxury venue located between the popular Surfers Paradise strip and the buzzing suburb of Broadbeach. It offers sweeping views of the Gold Coast and world-class environment to accommodate and enhance new styles of conference experience.



KEY THEMES AND TOPICS

- 1. Applications of membranes
 - industry case studies and experience (needs, challenges)
 - water treatment (purification, desalination)
 - gas separation (carbon capture, biogas upgrading)
 - o specific resource recovery (ultra-selective membranes and strategies)
 - biotechnology (bio-refinery and fuel production)
 - food security and food processing
 - o industrial usages textiles, chemical and pharmaceutical industries
- 2. Membrane processes
 - pressure driven filtration (MF, UF, NF, RO)
 - activity driven separation (FO, dialysis)
 - o electrically driven separation (electrolysis, capacitive deionisation)
 - thermal separation (membrane distillation)
 - o crystallization strategies (membrane crystallization)
- 3. Membranes in a circular economy
 - o application of membranes in resource recovery
 - recycled materials for membrane fabrication
 - o membrane engineering in circular economy
 - o circular design of membranes
- 4. Membrane operation and modules design
 - o module and configuration design
 - membrane reactors design (bioreactors, catalytic/photocatalytic membrane reactors)
 - fouling and cleaning strategies
- 5. Membrane materials
 - o inorganic membranes (ceramic membranes, metallic membranes)
 - o carbon membranes
 - o membranes from carbon-based or 2D/1D materials)
 - o ion-conducting polymer/hybrid membranes
- 6. Advanced membrane characterization techniques
 - non-destructive porous properties characterization techniques
 - o mixed matrix membranes characterization
 - application of novel surface properties evaluation
 - o techniques for fouling and scaling evaluation

KEY DATES

- Abstract submission close: 30th April 2025
- Registration open: June 2025
- Notification abstract acceptance: June 2025
- Conference: 8th 11th December 2025

IMSTEC 2025 - A MUST ATTEND INDUSTRY EVENT

IMSTEC has been running since 1983, and since then has maintained its status as the premier event for membrane science and technology in Australia, attracting membrane researchers, developers, manufacturers and users. The conference has a history of attracting distinguished international contingents from all over the world and covers all aspects of membrane science and technology. IMSTEC 2025 will be a significant international event for membrane technology researchers and industry. The conference offers a unique opportunity and platform to showcase the best and latest industry related products and services to this international group of current and future decision makers. The conference is expecting approximately 300 delegates in attendance. In addition, IMSTEC reaches out to a broader group of professionals and young researchers in the Asian and Oceania region and is affiliated in the wider international research community with associations throughout Europe and North America. IMSTEC 2025 will provide you with a unique opportunity to increase your brand awareness and inform and influence this community with the latest product, technology and service trends.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The conference committee are dedicated to providing exhibition and sponsorship opportunities to support your branding and positioning requirements. A list of standard sponsorship packages is outlined below, however, sponsorship packages can be tailored to suit individual requirements. To secure sponsorship, please use the sponsorship booking form attached to this prospectus or contact Zongli Xie (+61 3 9545 2938, zongli.xie@csiro.au) or Li Gao (+61 3 9552 3752, li.gao@sew.com.au).

PACKAGES

PLATINUM

PLATINUM SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE, \$18000

- Exhibition space
- \circ \quad Two full page advertisement in the conference proceedings
- One opportunity to insert promotional material into the delegate satchel
- A delegate list
- o 5 complimentary attendee registrations (incl conference gala dinner)
- \circ $\,$ Opportunity for 10 minutes speech at opening ceremony
- o Opportunity for 10 minutes speech at dinner
- o Acknowledgement as platinum sponsor through corporate logo on conference signage
- Acknowledgement as platinum sponsor through corporate logo on proceedings
 - Company logo and 200-word company synopsis in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website
 - o Company logo featured in IMSTEC 2025 promotional materials
 - Brochures distributed at conference

GOLD SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE, \$12000

	0	Exhibition space
GOLD	0	One full page advertisement in the conference proceedings
	0	One opportunity to insert promotional material into the delegate satchel
	0	A delegate list
	0	3 complimentary attendee registrations (incl conference gala dinner)
	0	Opportunity for 5 minutes speech at opening ceremony
	0	Opportunity for 5 minutes speech at dinner
	0	Acknowledgement as gold sponsor through corporate logo on conference signage
	0	Acknowledgement as gold sponsor through corporate logo on proceedings
	0	Company logo and 100-word company synopsis in conference proceedings AND on
		conference website with hyperlink to your company website
	0	Company logo featured in IMSTEC 2025 promotional materials
	0	Brochures distributed at conference

SILVER SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE, \$8000

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SILVER	 Exhibition space
	 One half page advertisement in the conference proceedings
	 One opportunity to insert promotional material into the delegate satchel
	 A delegate list
	 2 complimentary attendee registrations (incl conference gala dinner)
	• Acknowledgement as silver sponsor through corporate logo on conference signage
	 Acknowledgement as silver sponsor through corporate logo on proceedings
	• Company logo and 50-word company synopsis in conference proceedings AND on
	conference website with hyperlink to your company website.
	 Brochures distributed at conference
	NZE SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE, \$4000
	 Exhibition space
NZE	 One quarter page advertisement in the conference proceedings
	 One opportunity to insert promotional material into the delegate satchel
	 A delegate list
Z	 1 complimentary attendee registration (incl conference gala dinner)

• Acknowledgement as bronze sponsor through corporate logo on conference signage

Acknowledgement as bronze sponsor through corporate logo on proceedings
 Company logo and 50-word company synopsis in conference proceedings AND on

conference website with hyperlink to your company website

Brochures distributed at conference

ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SINGLE EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

WELCOME RECEPTION

\$3000 (EXCLUSIVE)

- Banner displayed prominently at event
- 1 complimentary attendee registration
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website

EXHIBITOR

\$2500

- $\circ\quad \text{Exhibition space}$
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website
- 1 complimentary attendee registration

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS ADVERTISEMENT

\$1000 (TEN SPACES AVAILABLE)

- One full page advertisement in the official conference proceedings (design to be supplied by sponsor)
 - Company logo displayed on conference website with hyperlink to your company website

POSTER SESSION \$1500 (EXCLUSIVE)

- Banner displayed prominently at event
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website

SESSION THEMES & TOPICS \$1000 PER TOPIC (5 TOPICS AVAILABLE)

- Exclusive company logo and advertisement displayed in one introductory slide of the session and the break before the session
- One A4 size advertisement on the IMSTEC2025 website
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website

BARISTA CART

\$2000 (EXCLUSIVE)

- Banner displayed beside barista cart
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website
- 1 complimentary attendee registration

GALA DINNER

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITY

\$4000 (EXCLUSIVE)

- o A tabletop exhibition display
- Opportunity to give a short address at the beginning of the dinner
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website
- 2 complimentary attendee registrations

NAME BADGE AND LANYARD

\$1500 (EXCLUSIVE)

- Company logo displayed on delegate name badge and lanyard
- Company logo displayed in conference proceedings AND on conference website with hyperlink to your company website

SPONSORSHIP BOOKING FORM

To book your sponsorship package please read, complete and sign the booking form AND the terms & conditions form (see next page), and return by email to the contact listed below. Alternatively, to discuss tailoring a package to your specific needs please contact Zongli Xie (+61 3 9545 2938, zongli.xie@csiro.au), or Li Gao (+61 3 9552 3752, li.gao@sew.com.au).

1. CONTACT DETAILS

Company contact name for correspondence

Title (Prof. Dr. Mr. Mrs)				
Name				
Job Title				
Organisation				
Address				
State/Country				
Post/ Zip Code				
Telephone				
Email				

2. SPONSORSHIP TYPE (SELECT ONE OR MORE)

Platinum Sponsor	\$18,000
Gold Sponsor	\$12,000
Silver Sponsor	\$8,000
Bronze Sponsor	\$4,000

ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY

BRANDING AND VISIBILITY

	Welcome Reception	\$3,000
	Exhibition Display	\$2,500
	Conference Proceedings	\$1,000
	Advertisement	
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	Name badge and lanyard	\$1,500
	Barista Cart	\$2,000
	Gala Dinner	\$4,000

3. HOW TO PAY

Total Amount Payable \$AUD

□ I agree to be invoiced for the items selected

I will arrange a bank transfer to Membrane Society of Australasia. Please send me the payment details

4. SIGN AND DATE THE FORM

I have read and agree to abide by the SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION TERMS AND CONDITIONS as outlined below, and I understand that this form confirms my booking. I accept that from now on charges will be imposed for cancelled bookings, and that up to the full fee will be payable

Signature

Date

5. RETURN TO

Return booking form to:

MSA Contact: Dr. Andrea Merenda Address: Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology, University of Technology Sydney Building 11, Level 6, Room 211, 81-113 Broadway, Ultimo NSW 2007 Phone: +61 406113635 Email: Andrea.Merenda@uts.edu.au

SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITION TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The following terms and conditions apply to your application to sponsor and/or exhibit:

1. DEFINITIONS

Event means the event referred to in the Booking Application

Us/We refers to the conference organising committee

You refers to the entity submitting the booking application form to sponsor and/or exhibit

- APPLICATION You will submit the Booking Application Form to sponsor and/or exhibit
- 3. APPROVAL

The sponsorship/exhibition will be confirmed upon return to You of the approved booking application form, together with a tax invoice for payment of a 50% deposit. Payment of the 50% deposit is required to confirm your sponsorship/exhibition and is required 14 days after receipt of the invoice. Your company logo and profile will only feature on the conference website and any documentation once this deposit has been paid.

4. PAYMENT

Payment of the 50% deposit is required upon confirmation of your sponsorship/exhibition. The deposit is non-refundable and will be deducted from the booking fee. Of the balance owing, the final 50% will be due 30 days prior to the conference. Failure to pay your sponsorship/exhibition invoice may result in your sponsorship item or exhibition stand being released for sale. All booking applications received within 30 days of the commencement of the Event must include full payment. International payments must include provision for bank fees and exchange rates in the payment amount.

5. CANCELLATION

If You cancel your sponsorship/exhibition, your deposit will not be refunded. If You cancel your sponsorship/exhibition within 60 days of the Event, you will not receive any refund.

6. CHANGES

We reserve the right to amend existing unsold sponsorship packages or add additional sponsorship packages as required without notice to confirmed sponsors and exhibitors. We reserve the right to rearrange the floor plan and/or relocate any sponsorship or exhibition display without notice to You. The organising committee reserves the right to change the venue, dates or duration of the Event if circumstances demand. In the event of a change of venue, date or duration, the agreement to participate will remain in force as long as the sponsor/exhibitor is informed at least one month before the planned Event.

7. STANDS / EXHIBITOR SPACE

Exhibition space and placement will be offered to sponsors first and then sold in accordance with the date of exhibitor application receipt. We must be advised of details of custom-built exhibit stands a minimum if six weeks prior to commencement of the Event. All display structures require our approval.

8. INSURANCE

Public liability insurance to a minimum of AUD \$10million must be taken out by You. A copy of the insurance certificate must be provided to Us at least four weeks prior to the Event.

9. EXCLUSIONS

All information supplied to You in relation to the Event is accurate to the best of our knowledge and does not constitute a warranty. Any inaccuracy or mistake will not entitle You to cancel your booking without penalty. All estimates of attendee/delegate numbers attending the Event are estimates only, and You agree that We are not responsible for any discrepancy in these estimated numbers.

10. FORCE MAJEURE

In no event shall We be responsible or liable for any failure or delay in the performance of our obligations arising out of or caused by, directly or indirectly, forces beyond our control.

11. WAIVER OF LIABILITY

You expressly waiver all rights, if any, to assert any claims against Us, and release Us from all liability for any loss (including consequential losses), damage or claims arising out of injury to members of the public or damage to any persons' property, materials or possessions by reason of the works, acts or omissions of You, your employees, servants or agents.