



# International Society of Ethnobiology (ISE) Congress 2026

26 - 29 July 2026 | Cairns | Australia



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**“Indigenous and Local Knowledge Connections:  
Honouring Heritage and Innovation”**

**26-29 July 2026**

Pullman Hotel | Cairns | Australia

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## SPONSORSHIP and EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS

<https://isecongress2026.org/>

We acknowledge Australia's First Nations peoples as the Traditional Custodians of Country throughout Australia and the Gimuy Walubarra Yidinji, the Traditional Custodians of Cairns and surrounding district.

We recognise their continuing connection to land, waters and community. We respectfully acknowledge the role that First Nations people continue to play in shaping Australia's democracy.

The **International Society of Ethnobiology (ISE)**, founded in 1988, is a global network focused on preserving the links between human societies and the natural world. It provides a unique platform for participants to share research and initiatives from diverse disciplines related to human-nature relationships.

The theme of the ISE Congress 2026 is  
“Indigenous and Local Knowledge Connections:  
Honouring Heritage and Innovation”

The **19th International Society of Ethnobiology (ISE) Congress** invites academics, activists, practitioners, and visionaries from across the world to explore the theme of  
“Indigenous and Local Knowledge Connections:  
Honouring Heritage and Innovation”

Hosted by the [International Society of Ethnobiology](#) in partnership  
with the [Ecological Society of Australia](#).





# Sponsorship and Exhibition Opportunities

Gold Sponsor	\$22,000 inc GST
Silver Sponsor	\$12,100 inc GST
Bronze Sponsor	\$6,600 inc GST
Session/Workshop/Field Trip Sponsor	\$5,500 inc GST
Student Sponsor	\$4,400 inc GST
App Sponsor	\$4,400 inc GST
Exhibitor Table Top	\$1,100 inc GST
Satchel Insert	\$550 inc GST
Full Page Advertisement	\$880 inc GST
Half Page Advertisement	\$440 inc GST

### Tailored Sponsorship Package

We are happy to customise a sponsorship package that meets your needs and budget.

**Please feel free to contact us by phone to +61 2 6198 3218 or email to [info@kaigi.com.au](mailto:info@kaigi.com.au).**

As the premium Sponsor of ISE2026, you will enjoy exclusive acknowledgement throughout the Congress, maximum exposure in the lead-up, and opportunities to engage with attendees before, during and after the Congress.

## Sponsorship Inclusions:

### Registration

- 4 Full delegate registrations, inclusive of daily catering
- 4 Congress Dinner Tickets
- 4 tickets to Field Trips

### Branding and Promotion

- Logo and hyperlink on the congress website home and sponsors' page
- Logo and profile on the congress app (up to 200 words)
- Logo displayed on sponsors slide throughout the congress
- Verbal acknowledgement of your support at ISE 2026 Opening and Closing sessions
- Opportunity to display 2 pull-up banners at the Congress venue (sponsor to provide banner)
- Official sponsor of Congress Satchel (including branding, 1 colour print)
- Opportunity to give a 5-minute presentation during one of the Plenary Sessions
- 2 x satchel inserts/promotional items (insert/item to be provided by sponsor)

### Exhibition Table

- Complimentary exhibition table during the Congress

# Silver Sponsor

# \$12,100 inc GST

Silver Sponsors of ISE 2026 will enjoy prominent visibility on multiple platforms, including the website and attendee app, session slides and emails to delegates.

## Sponsorship Inclusions:

### Registration

- 2 Full registrations, inclusive of all daily catering
- 2 Congress Dinner tickets
- 2 tickets to Field Trips

### Branding and Promotion

- Logo and hyperlink on congress website home and sponsors' page
- Logo and profile on the congress app (up to 150 words)
- Logo displayed on sponsors slide throughout the congress
- Verbal acknowledgement of your support at ISE 2026 Opening and Closing sessions
- Opportunity to display 1 pull-up banner at the Congress venue (sponsor to provide banner)
- 1 x satchel insert/promotional item (insert/item to be provided by sponsor)

### Exhibition Table

- Complimentary exhibition table during the Congress

# Host Organisations

## International Society of Ethnobiology

The International Society of Ethnobiology (ISE) is a global, collaborative network of individuals and organizations working to preserve vital links between human societies and the natural world.

Established in 1988, the ISE now includes researchers, academics, students, lawyers, policy-makers, and community leaders from over 70 countries. Our collective expertise spans many disciplines including ethnobiology, conservation of biocultural diversity, intellectual property and resource rights, ecology, and applied ethics.

## Ecological Society of Australia

The Ecological Society of Australia (ESA) is the peak group of ecologists in Australia, with over 1000 members from all states and territories. The ESA has a 60-year history supporting ecologists, promoting ecology and ecological research.

We aim to create a community of knowledge and understanding among ecologists, and those in related fields. Join us in promoting the scientific study of all organisms in relation to their environment and encourage the application of ecological principles in the development, use and conservation of Australia's natural resources.

## Who Will Attend?

Meeting in Australia for the very first time, ISE 2026 will welcome academics, activists, practitioners and visionaries from over 60 countries who are engaged with diverse communities and environments. The Congress will provide an opportunity for ethnobotanists, Indigenous Elders and Custodians, and scientists to come together to share and learn, work through differences, and build understandings on difficult topics.

ISE 2026 will facilitate an 'ethical space' where different world views can interact and share information across geographical and cultural boundaries within multicultural communities in Australia and worldwide, creating an interactive forum for cross-cultural exchanges.

## Why Sponsor?

**Brand Exposure:** Increase visibility and awareness of your brand and products. Sponsors of the event will be promoted across the entire Congress network.

**Networking Opportunities:** connect directly with leaders and decision-makers.

**Enhance Brand Value:** Partner with a trusted brand, respected and valued by consumers and employees, strengthening your brand credibility.

**Business Opportunities:** Generate new sales, strengthen existing relationships, and foster long-term connections. Direct exposure to target markets.

**Demonstrate Leadership:** Differentiate yourself from competitors, and lead in your industry.

**Strong Corporate Social Responsibility:** Investing in and supporting solutions that benefit people and the planet.

Showcase your commitment to ISE 2026 and the industry. Benefit from logo visibility on Congress materials.

### Sponsorship Inclusions:

#### Registration

- 1 Full registration, inclusive of all daily catering
- 1 Congress Dinner ticket

#### Branding and Promotion

- Logo and hyperlink on congress website home and sponsors' page
- Logo and profile on the congress app (up to 100 words)
- Logo displayed on sponsors slide throughout the congress
- 1 x satchel insert or promotional item (insert/item to be provided by sponsor)

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## Session/Workshop/Field Trip Sponsor

\$5,500 inc GST

Align your organisation with one of the themed sessions and be part of a memorable experience for ISE 2026 attendees.

### Sponsorship Inclusions:

#### Registration

- 1 Full registration, inclusive of all daily catering
- 1 Congress Dinner ticket
- 1 ticket to a Field Trip (if Field Trip Sponsor)

#### Branding and Promotion

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- Logo and profile on the congress app (up to 150 words)
- Logo displayed on sponsors slide throughout the congress
- 1 x satchel insert or promotional item (insert/item to be provided by sponsor)
- Opportunity to give a 5-minute presentation at the start of your sponsored session

### ISE 2026 Congress Themes:

Edible & Medicinal Plants

Education

Two-Way Science – Rangers & Researchers Projects

Agriculture / Industries

Intellectual Property

Ethics

Database

Social

Showcase your commitment to ISE 2026 and the industry by supporting a young professional's development by providing access to a key industry event.

### Inclusions for sponsored student:

- 1 Full registration, inclusive of all daily catering
- 1 Congress Dinner ticket
- 1 ticket to a Field Trip
- Accommodation for duration of congress
- Return economy flights from nearest capital city

### Branding and Promotion

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- Logo and profile on the congress app (up to 100 words)
- Logo displayed on sponsors slide throughout the congress

***Sponsorship can be negotiated depending on the number of students you would like to sponsor and what the sponsorship could include.***

You organisation will be in the palm of every delegates hands.

### Sponsorship Inclusions:

#### Registration

- 1 Full registration, inclusive of all daily catering
- 1 Congress Dinner ticket

#### Branding and Promotion

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- Logo and profile on the congress app (up to 150 words)
- Logo displayed on sponsors slide throughout the congress
- Splash image on the app loading page (provided by sponsor)
- Company featured on the footer of each app page as sponsor



## Exhibitor Table Top

\$1,100 inc GST

Showcase your organisation by exhibiting at the Congress! All catering will be provided throughout the exhibition.

### Registration

- 1 Full registration, inclusive of all daily catering
- 1 Exhibition only registration, inclusive of all daily catering (does not include sessions)

### Branding and Promotion

- Your logo on the Congress website and congress materials
- Acknowledgement on congress sponsor slides of your support
- Your profile on the Congress website & Attendee App (up to 100 words)

## Satchel Insert

\$550 inc GST

Be in the minds of the delegates long after the congress is over.

### Inclusions:

- Provide 1 x insert/promotional item for inclusion in the congress satchel (insert/item to be provided by sponsor)

## Full/Half Page Advertisement

\$880/\$440 inc GST

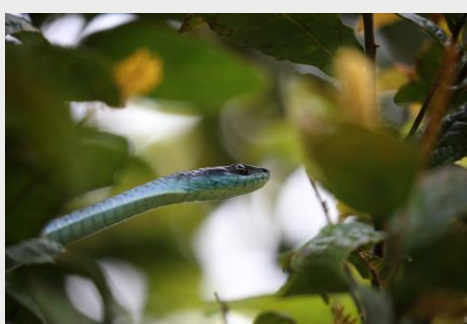
- Sponsor to provide full or half page advertising for inclusion in Congress handbook
- Sponsor must provide artwork to specification as advised by the Congress Secretariat
- Sponsor must provide artwork by due date provided by Congress Secretariat

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# Sponsorship Booking Form

Sponsorship packages will be allocated in order of booking forms and payments received (subject to approval by the Organising Committee).

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Organisation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Office phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**All pricing below is in AUD and inclusive of GST.**

**Gold Sponsor** **\$22,000**

**Silver Sponsor** **\$12,100**

**Bronze Sponsor** **\$6,600**

**Session/Workshop/Field Trip Sponsor** **\$5,500**  
Session name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Sponsor (insert sponsorship amount)** **\$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**App Sponsor** **\$4,400**

**Exhibitor Table Top** **\$1,100**

**Satchel Insert** **\$550**

**Full page advertisement** **\$880**

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**Total to Pay** **\$ .....**

Please invoice me for payment by EFT

Please charge my credit card (VISA / MasterCard / AMEX) +2% merchant fee applies

Name on card: ..... Expiry Date: ...../..... CVV:.....

Card Number: ..... Card Type: .....

**Return form to Congress Secretariat:**

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