



The Society of Construction Law Australia is pleased to invite you to join us for a panel session event at Clayton Utz Melbourne

“International Women's Day – Building equality through procurement”

on
Tuesday 12 March 2024
at
5:45 pm – 7.00 pm AEDT

Clayton Utz and the Society of Construction Law invite you to join us for a co-hosted panel session event in person at Clayton Utz in Melbourne.

The panellists are:

- **Jo Teagle**, Partner at Clayton Utz in the Major Projects and Construction team;
- **Angé Anczewska**, Director, Policy and Innovation at the Suburban Rail Loop Authority;
- **Jennifer Irwin**, Senior Legal Counsel at John Holland; and
- **Nancy Gergis**, New Business Manager for Victoria at Built.

The moderator of the panel will be **Lucy Wells-Andrews**, Senior Associate at Clayton Utz.

Lucy will invite the panellists to share their insights on:

- the role of the Victorian Government's Building Equality Policy;
- the benefits of diversity and inclusion in the construction industry; and
- the importance of professional development and mentoring for women.

Registration is from 5:45pm. The panel discussion will commence at 6:00pm and finish at 7:00pm, followed by light refreshments.

This event will be in person only and will not be recorded.

The event will be hosted by **Clayton Utz** at its Melbourne offices at the following address:

Location of Event: Clayton Utz (Melbourne)
Level 18, 333 Collins Street
Melbourne Victoria 3000

Please click on the link below to register for this event.

More information on our speakers can be found on the following page.

We look forward to seeing you there

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Jo Teagle



Jo is a Partner in Clayton Utz's Major Projects and Construction team. She is a specialist in procurement, construction, facilities management and maintenance outsourcing for government and the private sector. Her expertise spans sectors including social housing, Defence, corrective services, telecommunications, energy, banking and commercial property.

She has also played a pivotal role in assisting a number of government bodies over the last 15 years with their disaster recovery, remediation and recovery activities, including having advised the Victorian Government since 2009.

Jo sits on the Board of the Facilities Management Association and is the Deputy Chair of the Property Council's Operations and Facilities Diploma Committee.

Jennifer Irwin



Jennifer is a Senior Legal Counsel John Holland with over 20 years' experience as a lawyer, over 15 of which have been in the construction industry in Australia and the UK. Jennifer specialises in the delivery phase of projects with a focus on contentious issues that arise on major projects, including major infrastructure, PPP's and building projects.

She is a current Director of the Society of Construction Law Australia and an advocate in support of true diversity in the construction industry. Between 2014 and 2016 Jennifer held the role as the Education Committee Chair for the National Association of Women in Construction.

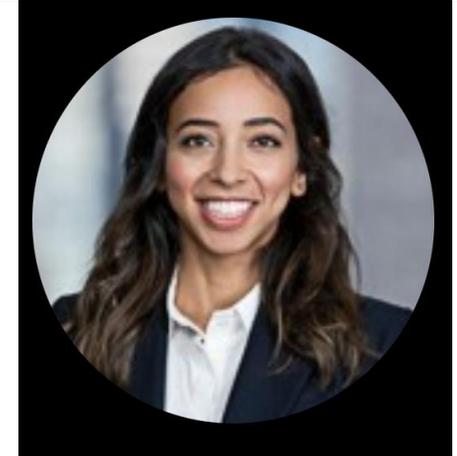
Angé Anczewska



Angé is the Director of Policy and Innovation at the Suburban Rail Loop Authority. Angé has experience in implementing the Victorian Government's Building Equality Policy in relation to the Suburban Rail Loop project – one of Victoria's largest ever infrastructure projects. She is uniquely placed to provide insights on the policy's challenges and benefits in the infrastructure space.

Following the completion of a Doctor of Jurisprudence (J.D.) degree in Houston, Texas USA, Angé migrated to Australia and began work with a harm-prevention charity focussed on level crossing safety and trauma prevention. She established the rail industry's partnership with the R U OK charity and oversaw the launch of the inaugural Rail R U OK Day.

Nancy Gergis



Nancy is an experienced New Business Manager for Victoria at Built sitting across various sectors and business units in Melbourne. Graduating at the University of Melbourne and having over 15 years' experience in the industry, she started her career as a Quantity Surveyor and an Estimator, and is now focused on Business Development roles which include researching and mapping the Victoria market, reporting and achieving financial revenue, Client and Consultant engagement.

Nancy's current passion within the industry is the push for Diversity and Inclusion in the workplace and work in championing women in construction at Built, including as Director of TEN Women, which aims to empower women and proactively support the industry by offering advice, philanthropy, mentoring & networking.

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