



Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts

1 May 2013 – 31 May 2013

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/Person	Purpose of Meeting
1 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Preparation for Parliament
1 May 2013	Yaron Lifschitz, Artistic Director and Charlie Cush, General Manager, Circa; Ministerial staff	Meeting to discuss Circa's successful international program and opportunities for future growth
1 May 2013	Ministerial Staff, Premier's office; Dr Anthony van Herwaarden State Manager and Dr Andrew Johnson, Executive Officer, CSIRO Brisbane; Deputy Director-General – Department of Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts; Ministerial staff	Meeting to discuss portfolio related matters
1 May 2013	Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection; Ministerial Staff	Meeting to discuss 2013-2018 Queensland Regional Natural Resource Management Investment Program
1 May 2013	Areti Gavrilidis, Executive Consultant, Diamantina Health Partners; Ministerial staff	Networking event as part of the "Meeting of the Minds" conference
2 May 2013	Mr Zhouhua Cao, Chinese Consulate-General for Science and Technology; Ministerial staff and Departmental representatives	Meeting to discuss recent trip to China and meetings with the China Academy of Sciences and the Ministry of Science and Technology
2 May 2013	Ministerial staff and Departmental representatives	De-brief following recent trips to China and BIO 2013 (Chicago, USA)
2 May 2012	Queensland Government Chief Information Officer, Ministerial staff	Discussion on portfolio matters
2 May 2013	Treasurer and Minister for Trade and Ministerial staff	Meeting to discuss recent Trade Mission to China
2 May 2013	Director-General and Deputy Director-General Arts; Ministerial staff	Discussion on Cabinet Submission
2 May 2013	Members of back bench advisory committee	Informal discussion of policy issues over dinner
4 May 2013	Mr Jeff Cheyne, Director, Hands On Art	Minister attended opening of "Hands on Art" exhibition
6 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Regular Office meeting
6 May 2013	Director-General; Ministerial staff	Pre-Cabinet meeting
6 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet meeting
6 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Discussion on Superstar Fund
6 May 2013	Director-General; Ministerial staff	Post-Cabinet meeting
6 May 2013	Katrina Lawrence, Queensland	Meeting to discuss DELL's relationship

¹ Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistle blower matters).

	Regional Sales Manager and Bernie Kelly, ANZ Executive Director for Public and Large Enterprise Business, DELL; Senior Policy Advisor	with Queensland Government and Government initiatives in the area of IT
6 May 2013	Assistant Director General	Phone briefing on Cabinet Committee
6 May 2013	Mr Tim Fairfax	Discussion on Philanthropy in the Arts
7 May 2013	Members of the Resources Cabinet Committee	Cabinet meeting
7 May 2013	Professor Simon Kaplan, Chair, Queensland branch of the Australian Information Industry Association, and Ministerial staff	Overview of the AIIA and general discussion about the ICT industry
7 May 2013	Mr Neil Glentworth, Managing Director, Glentworth & Associates, and Ministerial staff	Discussion about the ICT industry
7 May 2013	Ms Tiina Alinen, Chief Executive Officer, BlakDance, and Senior Policy Advisor	Visit to premises and introduction to the organisation
7 May 2013	Sheryl Sandy, Chair and Milos Miladinovic, Chief Executive Officer, Aboriginal Centre for Performing Arts	Visit to premises to watch students at work and meet board and staff members
7 May 2013	Director-General and Deputy and Assistant Directors-General, with Chief of Staff and Policy Advisors	Regular meeting
7 May 2013	Natalie Weir (Artistic Director), Libby Lincoln (General Manager) and Karen Masnata (Chair), Expressions Dance Company; Ministerial staff	Discussion of Expression Dance Company's current challenges
7 May 2013	Representatives from Microsoft; Assistant Commissioner for Customer and Service Management in the Office of Enterprise Technology Minnesota, and Sharon Schoenborn, State Director – Queensland, Northern Territory and Pacific Islands, Microsoft Australia; Ministerial staff	Discussion of innovation and government service delivery
8 May 2013	Chris Freeman, Chair, Brisbane Festival; Ministerial staff	Discussion of general arts issues
8 May 2013	Members of the ICT Engagement Group	Minister attended first meeting of the ICT Engagement Group
8 May 2013	Hugh Lunn, author/ broadcaster, and Director Art Form Development - Arts Queensland; Ministerial staff	Discussion of idea for new musical production
8 May 2013	Professor Frank Gannon, Queensland Institute of Medical Research; Ministerial staff	Discussion of school science programs via teleconference
8 May 2013	Director-General and Ministerial staff	Regular update meeting
8 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Regular update meeting
8 May 2013	Applicant; Ministerial staff	Discussion regarding policy position
8 May 2013	Councillor Vicki Howard, Brisbane City Council; Assistant Minister for Multicultural Affairs; Ministerial staff	Discussion of Fortitude Valley arts precinct
8 May 2013	Director-General and departmental	ICT discussion

	staff; Ministerial staff	
9 May 2013	Representatives of Trade and Investment Queensland; Departmental staff, Ministerial staff	Post-BIO teleconference
9 May 2013	Rod Ainsworth, Director, Creative Regions; Peter Rankine, Contraband Limited; Ministerial staff	Discussion of new opera
9 May 2013	Professor Ian O'Connor, Vice Chancellor, Griffith University; Ministerial staff	Visit to Griffith University Nathan Campus to view Eskitis Institute, the Micro- and Nanotechnology Centre and the Queensland Compound Library
13 May 2013	Director-General; Ministerial staff	Pre-Cabinet meeting
13 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet meeting
13 May 2013	Director-General; Ministerial staff	Post-Cabinet meeting
13 May 2013	Departmental representatives	Minister attended Department of Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts Recognition of Excellence Awards and presented major awards
13 May 2013	Deputy Director-General, Arts	Discussion on portfolio matters
13 May 2013	John Mickel, Consultant	Discussion of Trade Issues
13 May 2013	Peter Collyns, QANTAS	Hand-over of Chairman's Lounge membership paperwork
14 May 2013	Director-General and Deputy Directors-General	Regular discussion
14 May 2013	Director-General and Ministerial staff	Regular update meeting
14 May 2013	Applicant; Ministerial staff	Discussion on policy position
14 May 2013	Greg Hallam, CEO and representatives of Local Government Association of Queensland	Discussion of Arts and cultural issues as they relate to Local Government
14 May 2013	Dr Martin Albrecht AC, Chair Wesley Research Institute; Paul Darrouzet, Board member and Chairman of the Lifestream Foundation; Ministerial staff	Discussion of Wesley Research Institute activities
14 May 2013	Representatives from Brisbane Festival; and Ministerial staff	Discussion of Brisbane Festival future events
14 May 2013	Her Excellency the Governor of Queensland, Ms Penelope Wensley AM	Minister attended reception at Government House for "Encounters: India" Festival
15 May 2013	Ministerial staff, Premier's office; Ministerial staff	Introduction to Premier's new Advisers
15 May 2013	Ms Jennifer Haynes, Principal, with other staff and students of Moreton Bay College	"Turning the sod" ceremony to mark the start of construction of new Science Building
15 May 2013	Kyl Murphy, State Director Queensland, and Trustees of the Committee for Economic Development of Australia (CEDA); Ministerial staff	Minister addressed a boardroom lunch on issues related to his portfolio
15 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Regular update meeting
15 May 2013	Henry Smerdon, Chair; John Kotzas, Chief Executive Officer, Queensland Performing Arts Centre; Ministerial staff	Discussions about QPAC operations

15 May 2013	Deputy Director-General Arts; Ministerial staff	Discussion of Cairns Indigenous Art Fair
15 May 2013	Assistant Director-General Shared Services; Ministerial staff	Discussion of the contestability framework
15 May 2013	Jeff Weigh, CEO; Victor Hoog Antink, Chairman, South Bank Corporation; Ministerial staff	Discussion of South Bank precinct
15 May 2013	Associate Professor Dr Ann Black, University of Queensland Law School	Minister presented an award at the Annual University of Queensland Law School Awards Ceremony
16 May 2013	Minister for Housing and Public Works, Director-General Department of Housing and Public Works, Director-General of Department of Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts	Discussion on social housing ICT systems
16 May 2013	Premier of Queensland, Ministerial staff and Executive Director, Science Development, Department of Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts	Briefing on announcement of 2013 Premier's Science Fellowship
16 May 2013	Governor in Council	Executive Council Meeting
16 May 2013	Steven Tait, Nick Behrens, Chamber of Commerce and Industry Queensland; Maree Adshead, TLC iT Solutions; Ministerial staff	Discussion on the digital economy
16 May 2013	Councillors Krista Adams and Amanda Cooper, Brisbane City Council; Ministerial staff	Discussion on Brisbane CBD
16 May 2013	Minister for Health and Ministerial advisor; Professor Peter Høj, Vice Chancellor, University of Queensland; Ministerial staff	Tour of University of Queensland Institutes: Australian Institute of Bioengineering & Nanotechnology (AIBN), Institute of Molecular Bioscience (IMB), Queensland Brain Institute (QBI) and Centre for Advanced Imaging (CAI)
16 May 2013	Greg Wanchap, Chair and Libby Anstis, Interim CEO, Queensland Symphony Orchestra; Ministerial staff	Discussion of the orchestra's pit services and challenges for orchestras nationally
16 May 2013	Justin O'Neill, Chair, Brisbane Powerhouse; Ministerial staff	Discussion of the role of Brisbane Powerhouse in Brisbane's cultural scene
16 May 2013	Michael Back and Dee Morris, Queensland Theatre Company Legal Chapter	Minister attended a pre-performance function and performance of "Red" by John Logan
17 May 2013	Sue Donnelly, Executive Director, Queensland Theatre Company; Melanie Pitt, Queensland Coordinator, Creative Partnerships Australia, Ministerial staff	Minister attended the Queensland Theatre Company lunch
18 May 2013	Brisbane Choir	Minister attended a concert in St Paul's Presbyterian Church, Spring Hill
18 May 2013	Queensland Performing Arts Centre	Minister attended "An Evening with Julie Andrews"
21 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Preparation for Parliament
21 May 2013	Premier of Queensland	Meeting of all Ministers

21 May 2013	Ministerial staff; Ministerial staff from office of Minister for Natural Resources and Mines; Departmental staff	Discussion on cross-portfolio matters
21 May 2013	Treasurer, Asst. Under Treasurer and advisor; Ministerial staff and Director-General	Discussion on telecommunications
21 May 2013	Pip Marlowe, Managing Director, Sharon Schoenborn, State Director – Queensland, Northern Territory and Pacific Islands, Microsoft Australia, Ministerial staff	Discussion of establishment of services in Australia
21 May 2013	Deputy Chief Whip, Ministerial staff	Discussion of Estimates process
21 May 2013	Director and Executive Officer Directorate, Queensland Art Gallery/Gallery of Modern Art; Ministerial staff	Discussion of Strategic Plan
22 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Preparation for Parliament
22 May 2013	Director-General, Ministerial staff	Discussion of ICT audit
22 May 2013	Director-General, Deputy Director-General Arts, Ministerial staff	Portfolio update
22 May 2013	Paul Low, Director and other representatives of KPMG; Ministerial staff	Discussion of the capability of KPMG to support Government
22 May 2013	Mr Rob Katter MP, Member for Mount Isa; Ministerial staff	Discussion of opportunities for development of rural residential land in remote areas
22 May 2013	Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection	Lunch – Discussion of portfolio matters
22 May 2013	Queensland Ballet	Minister attended and spoke at pre-performance function, attended opening night performance of <i>Giselle</i> in Toowoomba
23 May 2013	Minister for National Parks, Recreation, Sport and Racing; Ministerial staff	Discussion of ICT services on the Sunshine Coast
23 May 2013	Ministerial staff	Preparation for Parliament
23 May 2013	Member for Lockyer, Ministerial staff	Discussion of Queensland Government Service Centres
24 May 2013	Liz Burcham, Chief Executive Officer, Metro Arts; Ministerial staff	Site visit to Metro Arts and discussion of its vision and strategy
24 May 2013	Mr David Dart, Enterprise Account Manager, Salesforce.com; Ministerial staff	Discussion of cloud computing services
25 May 2013	Mr Peter Allen, Deputy Chairman, Wesley Research Institute	Minister attended a Gala Dinner for the Wesley Research Institute, and spoke as representative for Assistant Minister for Health
26 May 2013	Representatives from Torres Strait community	Community Cabinet Deputations
26 May 2013	Professor Ian Wronski, Australian Institute of Tropical Health and Medicine (AITM)	Meeting and site visit
26 May 2013	Government Ministers and community representatives	Community Cabinet Official Government Reception
27 May 2013	Government Ministers	Community Cabinet
28 May 2013	Mayor of Cairns Regional Council	Meeting to discuss matters relating to

