

Australian Indigenous Minority Supplier Council

With the help of the NMSDC, AIMSC was launched in September 2009 as a three year pilot project funded by the Australian Government. AIMSC provides a direct business-2-business purchasing link between corporate Australia, government agencies and Indigenous-owned businesses.

AIMSC is a not-for-profit company, and is a membership body for Australian companies and government departments.

AIMSC's vision is to contribute to the creation of a sustainable, vibrant and prosperous Indigenous enterprise sector in Australia.

AIMSC'S mission is to:

- facilitate the integration of Indigenous businesses into the supply chain of private sector corporations and government agencies
- advocate on behalf of the Indigenous business community to foster business to business transactions and commercial partnerships between corporate Australia, government agencies and Indigenous business
- exchange information, conduct research and lead the integration of Indigenous business into the Australian economy

AIMSC MEMBERS

AIMSC membership provides corporate Australia and government agencies with a tangible way to effectively engage with Indigenous suppliers on a business level. This type of engagement is not based on charity or hand outs and therefore has mutual commercial benefits for both members and suppliers. AIMSC members are some of Australia's largest organisations, some of whom are committed to supplier diversity on a global basis via their parent companies or affiliates.

For a fully up to date list of AIMSC members please visit our [website](#).

AIMSC CERTIFIED SUPPLIERS

The purpose of certification is to assure AIMSC members that the Indigenous suppliers they seek to contract with are majority Indigenous Australian owned, managed and controlled.

Becoming an AIMSC certified supplier provides Indigenous-businesses with greater opportunities to compete for contracts in the corporate and government sectors.

AIMSC certified suppliers also have access to AIMSC events including its Annual Business Opportunity Fair as well as business development, mentoring and support provided by AIMSC's strategic partners.

AIMSC PARTNERS & AFFILIATES

AIMSC partners with a number of Australian business development and Indigenous organisations. It is also proud to be part of the global network of supplier diversity development councils through its affiliation with NMSDC, CAMSC, MSD China and MSD UK.

Chairman : Stephen Roberts, CEO, Citi Australia

CEO: Natalie Walker

