PIANC Australia & New Zealand

2023 Strategic Plan



Why do we exist?

Our core purpose is to:

• Provide leadership in the field of waterborne transport infrastructure to advance the communities, economies and environments in Australia and New Zealand.

How do we do it?

To fulfil our core purpose, we:

- Partner with governments and the private sector to advance the design, development and maintenance of waterborne transport infrastructure in our region.
- Bring together people in our region and beyond to share knowledge about waterborne transport infrastructure.
- Contribute to the body of knowledge in waterborne transport infrastructure, by conveying Australian and New Zealand experience to the wider PIANC community.

What do we do?

What we do to fulfil our core purpose:

Share industry knowledge and best practices

- Deliver major events in our region, including Coasts and Ports the pre-eminent forum for professionals to discuss multi-disciplinary issues related to coasts and ports.
- Deliver local events to share knowledge relevant to our members.
- Promote PIANC Technical Reports and other publications.

Bring people in our industry together

• Run events which provide opportunities for our people to meet and network.

Provide industry leadership

• Work with government and other industry bodies to positively influence policy and guidance which relates to waterborne transport infrastructure in our region.

Contribute to the international body of knowledge

- Nominate and support PIANC Australia & New Zealand members to join relevant PIANC Working Groups.
- Actively contribute knowledge and experience for the development of PIANC publications.

Support the next generation of professionals in our industry

- Provide education and guidance which fills the gap beyond academic studies.
- Create opportunities for young professionals to meet and network with the broader industry.
- Grow technical and professional knowledge within our organisation through our Mentorship program.

Represent the interests of our members

- Provide representation on relevant PIANC Commissions.
- Actively engage and work with PIANC headquarters to influence positive outcomes for PIANC as a whole.

What is most important for PIANC Australia & New Zealand, right now?

Our overarching goal for 2023

The single focus shared by the board of PIANC Australia & New Zealand that we must accomplish by end of 2023.

Take PIANC Australia and New Zealand operations to the next level

Our motivation

The board of PIANC has lofty ambitions for 2023 and beyond. We intend to build off our many years of strong performance to:

- Provide great experiences and value for our members, ensure that member experience is consistent across our regions in Australia and New Zealand, and attract new members to the PIANC community.
- Strongly support our members who get involved with PIANC. This includes international working groups, regional chapters, event committees, our mentoring program and board activities.
- Strengthen our position of leadership in the field of waterborne transport infrastructure in Australia, New Zealand and beyond.

To meet these ambitions, PIANC Australia &New Zealand must continue to mature and improve. In 2023 we will focus on making our operations more robust, consistent, and efficient for the benefit of our members.

Objectives and outcomes

Supporting objectives

The following objectives are the key components that will support achievement of our overarching goal for 2023.

Enhance PIANC Provide a great Strengthen our position Run successful major Australia & New of leadership experience to events Zealand operations members across our regions Key people Luke C (Chair), Neil L, Jackie Claire T (Lead), Joel B, Rhys Jackie S, Will B., Scott K, Ron C, Neil L, Luke C, S, Chris C, Peter E, Mike G. Greg B, Will G., Int'l L Laurence B. Michel de V. Laurence B. Joel B. commission reps

Standard operating objectives

Ongoing priorities of PIANC Australia & New Zealand that we - as a team - must focus on and monitor.

