

COLLABORATIVE GOVERNANCE FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEBINAR PROGRAM

Date	Friday, 12 June 2026
Time	2.00–3.30 pm
Location	Online (Microsoft Teams)
Video conference	<i>MS Teams link in meeting invitation</i>
Facilitator	Simon Pryor, Director Research and Policy, RAI

Time	Item	Responsible
(10 minutes)	<p>Welcome and RAI Introduction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Opening remarks - Acknowledgement of Country - Overview of session and objectives - RAI collaborative governance project 	<p>Liz Ritchie CEO, RAI</p> <p>Simon Pryor, RAI</p>
(15 minutes)	<p>Keynote: Collaborative Governance in Australia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ANZSOG’s project on co-governance – Working Together Better - Role of collaborative governance in addressing complex place-based policy challenges - Implications for regional development policy 	<p>Dr Shona Bates, UNSW</p>
(60 minutes)	<p>Panel Discussion: Collaborative Governance and Regional Development in Practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community-led, place-based impact initiatives - Self-determination and co-governance models - Multi-government City Deals - Regional development organisations <p>Speaker presentations and Q&A</p>	<p>Dr Luke Craven, PLACE Australia</p> <p>Alister Ferguson OAM, Maranguka Community Hub</p> <p>James McKee, RDA Tasmania</p> <p>Dr Shona Bates, UNSW</p>
(5 minutes)	<p>Finish:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Summary of key themes and takeaways - Next steps and upcoming outputs - Thank you and close 	<p>RAI</p>

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