

MoU Meet the Buyers Events

The MoU Partnership Facilitators convene regular 'Meet the Buyer' events to connect resource sector procurement practitioners with a range of Indigenous businesses looking to enter resource sector supply chains.

Greater contracting with Indigenous businesses is a significant industry trend as resource companies look to increase their supplier diversity and support local businesses. These events are hosted in partnership with a range of Indigenous business support agencies, including: the local Indigenous Chamber of Commerce, the Queensland Departments of State Development, Manufacturing Infrastructure and Planning (DSDMIP) and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships (DATSIP), Indigenous Business Australia (IBA), Supply Nation, Many Rivers, Industry Capability Network (ICN) and the Black Business Finder.



The Meet the Buyer events provide a unique opportunity for resource sector representatives to meet with Indigenous businesses one-on-one to consider their products and services, identify any potential contracting opportunities and develop ongoing business relationships. They are run as speed-networking events, with resource companies and contractors stationed at tables and Indigenous businesses have 5 minutes at each table to present their business capabilities and exchange contact information.

