



AMBASSADOR International model
Anja Christoffersen
Friday 1st November - 11am

OFFICIAL PROGRAM

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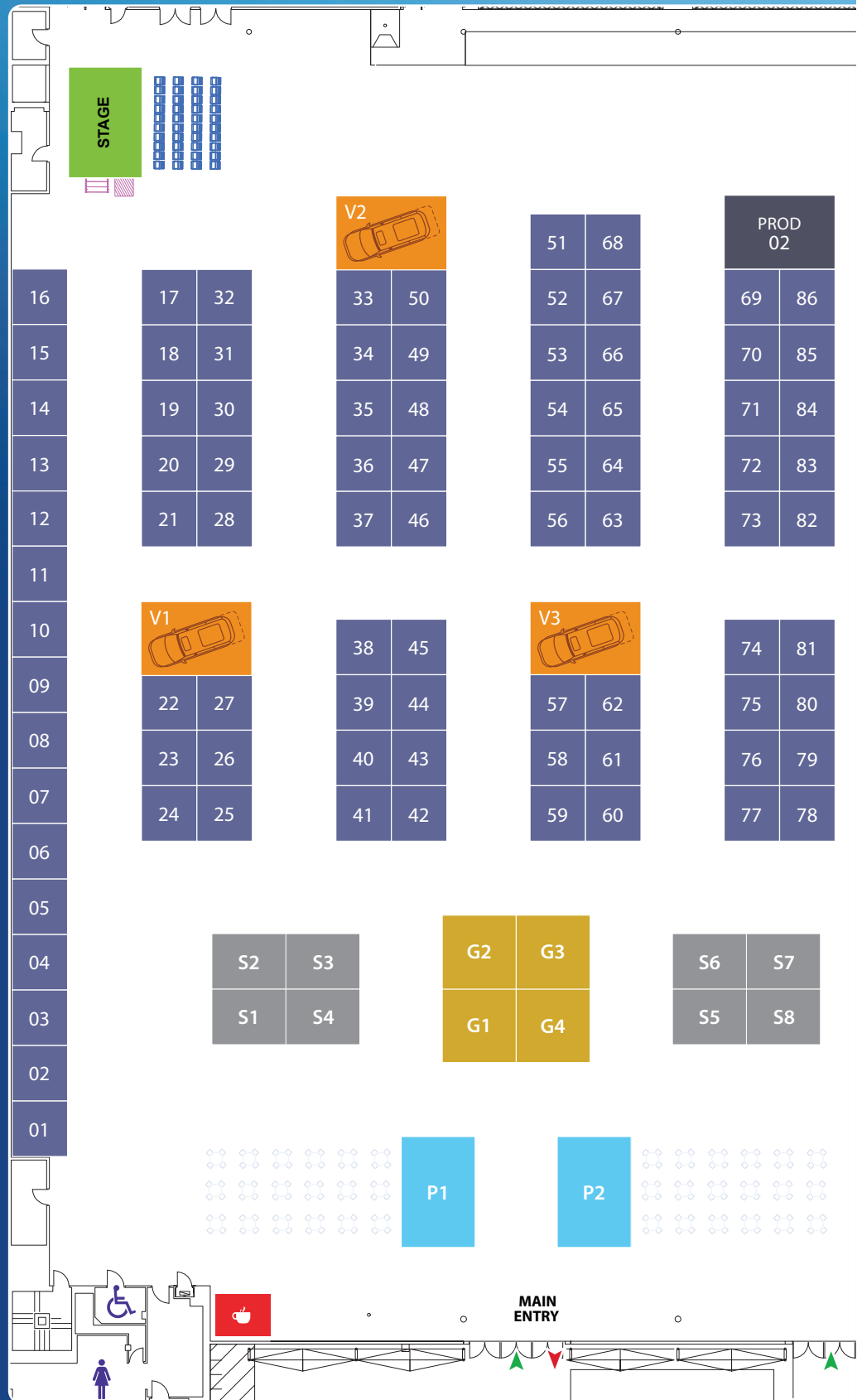


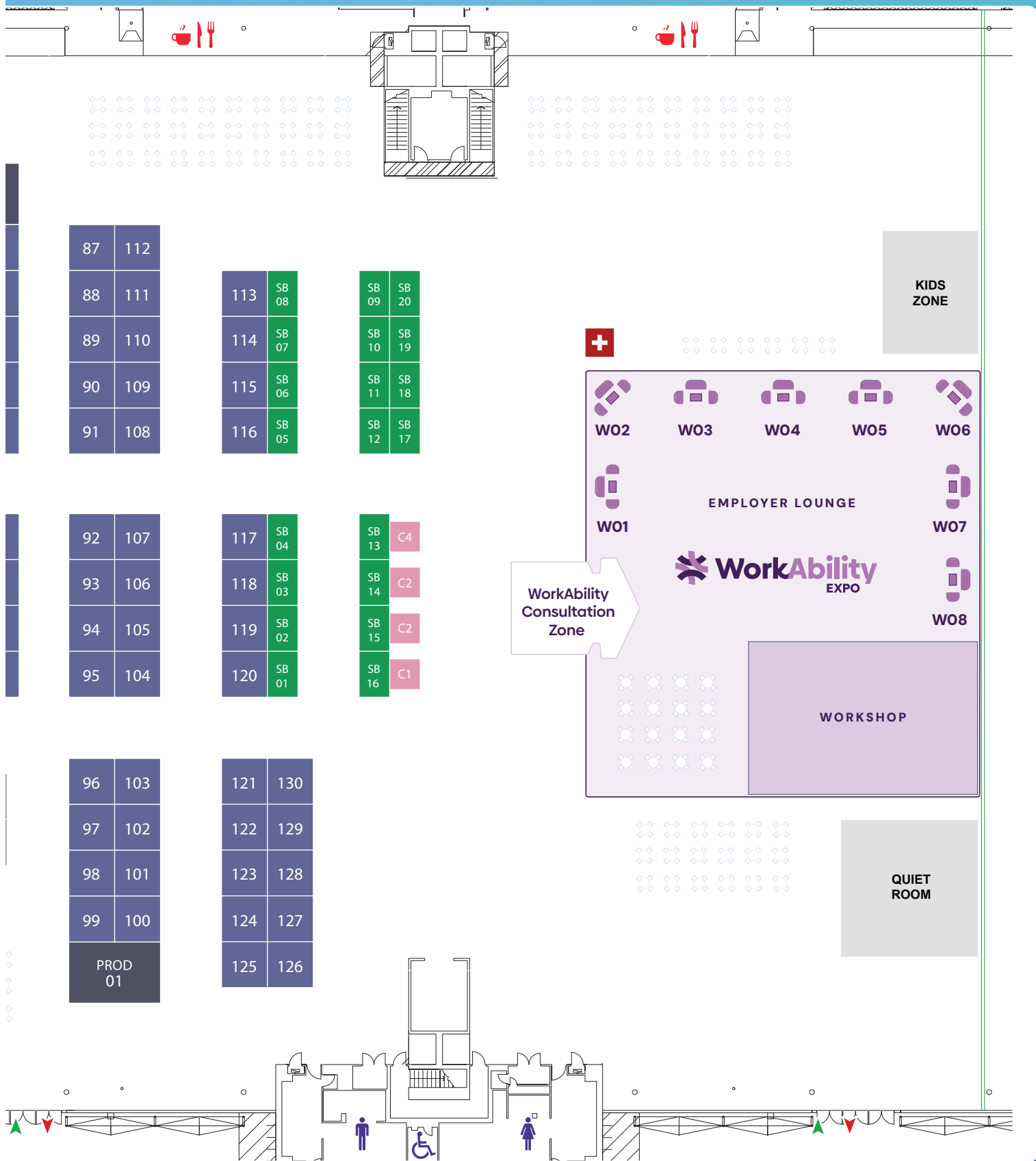
FLOOR MAP

Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre



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Accessible Services



Wheelchairs: Free hire at registration desk (deposit required)



Live Captioning in operation for the main stage



















Auslan Interpreters: in operation for the main stage



Accessible Toilets with Hoist
























EXHIBITOR LIST A-Z

 Advocacy	 Allied Health Professionals	 Financial & Legal Services
 Accommodation/Housing	 Education & Training	 Government
 Aids & Equipment	 Employment Services	 Health & Medical

COMPANY NAME	BOOTH															
Ability Consultants	115				●											
Able Australia	69		●		●								●			●
Access Easy English	SB20	●				●										●
Access Lifecare	14	●								●						
Adapt Housing (SDA)	103		●													
Adaptability Therapy	45				●											
★ Adaptive Equipment	G2			●												
Afford ✳	40		●				●						●			●
AllIM Choices	73 & 82											●				
AimBig Employment ✳	27						●									
All Abilities Cricket Program	C04												●			
ALL Support Plus	124									●			●			●
Allinto Australia Limited	54									●						●
★ APM Employment Services ✳	G4						●						●			
Apollo SDA	87		●													
Are-Able ✳	17					●	●									
Astalty NDIS Software	79												●			●
Asuria ✳	76						●									
At Home Care	120															●
ATSICHS Brisbane	97												●			
Atwork Australia ✳	72						●									
Autism Camp Australia	126												●			
Automobility	V1									●						
BETTAbility	34 & 35												●	●	●	●



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 Modified Vehicles/Home	 Social, Leisure or Travel	 Transport Services
 Plan Management	 Support Services	 Other
 Post School Services	 Technology	

COMPANY NAME	BOOTH																	
BindiMaps 	1			●													●	
Blitzit Plan Manager	25											●						
Blue Wing Care Professionals	60		●		●					●	●	●						●
Body Smart Health	49				●													
Breakthru * 	46				●	●	●							●	●	●		
Brighter Living Australia	15		●															
Brothers Support Network	41														●			
Bus Stop Films * 	C02					●	●											●
Carers Collective	111														●			
Centacare	66		●							●				●	●	●		●
Claro Aged Care and Disability	104		●															●
ClearSky Allied Health	121				●					●					●			
Clickability	22																	●
Cloud 9 Youth & Supports	61														●			
ClubMates Travel	96														●			
CO.AS.IT Community Services	55				●					●					●			●
Cocoon SDA Care	52		●		●													●
CODA Disability Support	2											●		●	●			●
Country Care Group	18 & 19				●					●					●			
Department of Employment, Small Business and Training * 	23						●		●									
Department of Social Services * 	65						●		●									
DependableCare DRPS	47		●	●	●					●		●			●		●	●
Disability Support Guide	29																	●
Easy Care 4 You * 	SB02		●				●								●	●	●	●

* WorkAbility Exhibitor


















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★ Endeavour Foundation ✨	G3	●			●	●					●	●	●	●	●		
Enrich Abilities	50												●	●			●
Enterprise & Training Company ✨	130				●	●						●					
EPIC Assist ✨	105				●	●				●				●			
Ethni ✨	SB04				●	●				●				●			
Everyday Independence	77				●												
Ezy Care	4	●								●				●			●
Fair Work Ombudsman ✨	123					●		●									
First Step Solutions	24				●	●							●				
First2Care	3											●					
Fit Your Ability	62				●								●	●			
Flexigrow	16														●		
Flexihome Care ✨	75	●				●					●					●	●
Flexiwell Group	SB17									●							
Fragile X Australia	C01													●			
Free Home Physiotherapy Session	7			●	●					●							●
Free Spirit the Ability To be You	SB14												●				●
Freedom Motors Australia	V3										●					●	
Gourmet Meals	32													●			●
★ Great Mates	G1	●												●			
Greenleaf Care Services	92	●									●						●
Guide Dogs.	117	●			●												
HECSA	81									●							
Help Enterprises Limited ✨	5 & 6	●				●							●	●			●


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HelpAlong	113		●												●	●			●
Hireup	63 & 64														●	●			●
Housing Hub	39		●												●				
HYPAR Group	86		●												●				
iCare Youth & Community SERVIC	36		●								●				●				●
IDEAL Plan Management	31											●							
Inclusive Disability Assist	48											●			●				●
Independent Living Specialists	43 & 44			●						●									
JMJ Disability services	33														●				●
JPS Disability Support	127		●											●	●				●
Just SDA Management	125	●	●																
★ KARE Support Services	P2														●	●		●	●
Lagunas Respite and Activities	112		●							●					●				●
Lifestyle Solution/Possability *	95		●			●									●				
LiveBig	26				●														
★ LiveLife Alarms	S6			●													●		
★ Meridien Group	S8		●														●		
Mix The Arts / Articulated Cat	SB16	●		●	●	●				●					●				●
Mobile Attendant Care Service	93														●				
MTC Australia *	56					●	●						●		●				
Multicap *	53			●		●								●	●				●
My Plan Manager	78											●							
My Supports	21		●												●				
Myxa	12		●							●					●				



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NDIS *	108 & 91						●	●										
Night n Day Group	11			●											●			
No Limbits Adventures	68																	●
Northcott	109				●													
Nurse Next Door Home Care Services	PROD1																	
Octec Employment Services *	129						●											
Oncall Group Australia	99		●		●	●									●	●		●
Ozil Lifts	SB09			●														
Pain Free Physio & Allied Health	94				●													
Planet PUBERTY	80									●								
Positive Pathways Services *	SB05		●				●			●	●				●	●		●
Pure Balance Physiotherapy	SB12				●													
QAMH: Psychosocial Peak Body	C03	●								●								
Racing Hearts Therapy Inc	8									●								●
Saimaa Support Services	SB13		●								●		●	●	●		●	●
★ Silkwood Homes	S5		●															
Sky-High Health & Disability	106											●		●	●			●
Spectronics	101&102			●														
Staffing options	71											●			●			●
★ Sunnyleaf Hub	S3									●			●	●		●		●
Sunshine Social work	SB03	●			●										●			
Superior Healthcare	28									●								●
Support Services For You	118	●								●	●		●	●		●		●
Supporting Your Way of Life	10																	●

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swara	90		●							●			●	●					
TAG 5	122	●	●									●	●	●	●				●
Tender Loving Care *	P1		●		●	●						●		●	●			●	●
Tesseract Apps	SB15			●															●
The Brain Injury Community	38	●																	●
The Chooze Shop	107			●															
The Disability Housing Centre	57		●																
The Good Feet Store	98			●						●									
The Therapy Collective	59			●		●											●		
Therapy Pro	37			●															
Thrive House	119		●			●								●	●	●			●
Transcord Community Transport	67																	●	
Transitcare	100																	●	●
Tursa Employment & Training *	116					●	●												
uLaunch *	83			●	●	●				●					●				●
Unique StarShine	SB01									●							●		●
UnitingCare *	51					●									●				●
VIP Access	42			●							●								
★ WDEN + SHH!T Happens *	S7	●				●	●			●									●
★ XSTO Mobility Australia	S4			●						●									●
You and Me OT	128			●															
Youngcare	74	●	●												●				

Connecting employers & people with disability

WorkAbility Expos, funded by the Australian Government Department of Social Services, are designed to help people with disability, including those with high support needs, find meaningful employment.

The Brisbane WorkAbility Expo is integrated with Brisbane Disability Expo on both Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd November, with the WorkAbility Consultation Zone and Workshops open on Friday 1st November only.



The expo will connect you with your local employers and support services, provide practical workshops to get you workplace ready, and offer valuable resources to support your journey to employment.

WorkAbility Workshops

WorkAbility Expos provide practical workshops to support your journey to employment and get you workplace ready.

FRIDAY ONLY

Time	What's On	Who
10:00	NDIA Employment Assistance	National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA)
10:30	Connecting with Genuine and Supportive Employers	Panel with Professor Paul Harpur OAM – The University of Queensland Law School
11:00	Overcoming Employment Barriers	Taymon Kenton Smith & Karni Liddell – Paralympians
11:30	Reasonable Adjustments in the Workplace	Department of Social Services (DSS)
12:00	Pathways to Possibility: Employment Readiness for People with Disabilities	Kathrine Peereboom
13:00	Training and Employment in Horticulture	Nathan Freney – Swallowtail Nursery
13:30	From Seeking a Job to Building a Career	Anja Christoffersen – Champion Health Agency

WORKABILITY CONSULTATION ZONE EXHIBITOR LIST**FRIDAY ONLY****COMPANY****BOOTH**

Endeavour Foundation

W01

John Badwater

W02

Multicap

W03

NDIS

W04

RACQ

W05

Tursa Employment & Training

W06

uLaunch

W07

Woolworths

W08

WORKABILITY EXPO FLOOR EXHIBITOR LIST**FRIDAY & SATURDAY****COMPANY****BOOTH****COMPANY****BOOTH**

Afford

40

Fair Work Ombudsman

123

AimBig Employment

27

Flexihome Care

75

APM Employment Services

G4

Help Enterprises Limited

05 & 06

Are-Able

17

Lifestyle Solution/Possability

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Asuria

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MTC Australia Limited

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Atwork Australia

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uLaunch

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EPIC Assist

105

UnitingCare

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Ethni

SB04

WDEN + SHH!T Happens

S4










STAGE SCHEDULE




FRIDAY

Time	What's On	Who
10:00	Portable Long Service Leave for the Community Services Industry 	Andrew Stephenson
10:30	Connected We Rise 	Sophia Fletcher
11:00	Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acknowledgement of Country Words of Welcome from Mark Jones Official Opening from Ambassador 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mark Jones (ImpactInstitute) Anja Christoffersen (Ambassador)
11:30	Ambassador Interview 	Anja Christoffersen
12:00	From Diagnosis to Leader of the Year 	Justine Martin
12:30	Employment of People with Disability 	Ellie Cole
13:00	NDIS Information Session 	NDIA Community Engagement Team
13:30	Practical Safety Solutions for the Disability Community 	Kathrine Peereboom
14:00	The Power of Performance 	Off Broadway Theatre Group

SATURDAY

Time	What's On	Who
10:00	Yellow Wiggle 	Costa
10:30	Finding Joy Beyond the Labels 	Nicola Irvine and Thomas Pearson
11:00	Subjective Observations by Two Sit Down Comedians 	Samantha Dwyer and Jamie-Lee Dwyer
11:30	Living with a Brain Injury 	Angela Kalantzis
12:00	Embracing the Beauty of Disability 	Julie Fisher
12:30	Ability Thinking 	Fiona Demark
13:00	NDIS Information Session 	NDIA Community Engagement Team
13:30	Cultivating Opportunities: Empowering Individuals with Disabilities through Horticulture 	Nathan Freney
14:00	DJ Remix 	DJ Dimpz

 All verbal speaking presentations and stage performances will be accompanied by an Auslan interpreter & Live Captioning

A photograph of Anja Christoffersen, a young woman with blonde hair, wearing a black, strapless, ruffled dress. She is looking towards the camera with a slight smile. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

ANJA CHRISTOFFERSON

*Anja Christoffersen will appear as event ambassador at the Brisbane Disability Expo!
Appearing at the Expo's opening ceremony and throughout the day on Friday, November 1st*

Behind the smile, the real Anja emerges

International model and speaker, Anja Christoffersen has an impressive CV. Not only has she received accolades including the QLD Young Achiever of the Year - Leadership Award and the Women in Technology Consumer Strength Champion Award, but she's also the author of her own autobiography, *Behind the Smile*.

Born with a congenital disability that altered her digestive, skeletal, reproductive, circulatory, urinary, and respiratory systems, her first surgery was at just five hours old.

Once Anja realised her life wasn't ordinary, she decided she didn't want an ordinary life either – extraordinary became the goal. Now, Anja goes from surgical theatres to chasing her dreams as an international model and keeps smiling, no matter what.

Building up your business through WDEN – Women with Disabilities Entrepreneur Network

Anja's newest adventure delves into the world of entrepreneurship.

"18 months ago, I started the beginnings of the network. I was feeling burnt out, feeling sick all the time, so I came to the realisation that product-based businesses held a lot of opportunity for people with disability."

Thus, WDEN (Women with Disabilities Entrepreneurship Network) was born. It's designed to nurture members' dreams of starting their own businesses, as well as challenge negative perceptions. By supporting product-based businesses, Anja and her team have been able to show the true capability of people with disability.

Growing your understanding through Disability Expos

As a regular attendee of expos, Anja sees the personal value firsthand.

"Being able to go to these expos and walk around and see the different providers has been fantastic. I'm also able to go and make so many personal connections, hear people's stories, and get the message out about my own product. So even from a business standpoint, it's truly incredible."





JOIN THE FUN!

Get ready to be entertained! Our line-up of fun on the Stage will get you moving and signing. Check out our program of roaming entertainment and performances across Friday & Saturday.

BALLOON TWISTING
FRI & SAT 10AM - 2PM

KIDS ZONE



FACE PAINTING

Saturday only
10am - 2pm



JACK'S BUTTERFLIES

Both days
9am - 3pm

STAGE ENTERTAINMENT



SOPHIA FLETCHER

Connected We Rise
Friday - 10:30am



OFF BROADWAY THEATRE GROUP

Friday - 2:00pm



COSTA

Yellow Wiggle
Saturday - 10:00am

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