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Federal Conference Dates Set

This year's MLAANZ Federal Conference is to be held in Brisbane on September 30 and October 1, hosted by the MLAANZ Queensland Branch.

Following the Annual General Meeting on the Thursday afternoon, the official program will commence that evening with a dinner at Customs House and the delivery of the Dethridge Memorial Address by Emeritus Professor Nick Gaskell.

A full-day conference programme will be held on the Friday at the University of Queensland, St Lucia campus.

In line with the conference theme of "Shipping, interrupted", an informative program of speakers and sessions is being developed to examine interruptions and incidents occurring within the maritime industry and ongoing developments and reforms.

We are pleased that Justice Sarah Derrington has agreed to provide the keynote address to open the conference. Conference sessions include speakers from Government, industry, academia and the legal profession. The full conference program is proposed to be finalised and released in July.

A limited number of speaker spots for the conference are still available and the Queensland Branch invites contact from any members who would like to present at the conference.

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