

AIMS Annual Report 2023-2024

External Committees

External Committees and Non-Government Organisations and Positions.

In 2023/24 the Australian Institute of Marine Science advised on the following external committees:

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- AIMS@CDU – Management Committee
- AIMS@JCU – Management Committee
- AIMS@JCU – Scientific Advisory Committee
- AIMS@UWA – Management Committee
- ANZLIC Marine Community Profile Metadata Standards Governance Committee
- AusSeabed Executive Board
- Australian Animal Tagging and Monitoring System – Scientific Committee
- Australian Association for Uncrewed Systems Maritime Working Group
- Australian Coral Reef Society – Council Member
- Australian Hydrographic Office, RAN – Permanent Committee on Tides and Mean Sea Level
- Australian National Committee on the International Indian Ocean Expedition-2
- Australian Ocean Data Network Technical Advisory Group
- Bureau of Meteorology Northern Territory Marine Reference Group
- Coastal, Ocean and Port Engineering Panel for Western Australia (Engineers Australia)
- Darwin Harbour Advisory Committee (DHAC)
- Darwin Harbour Integrated Marine Monitoring & Research Program Coordination Committee (IMMRP)
- Defence and National Security S&T PFRA Round Table
- Dry Tropics Partnership for Healthy Waters
- EPA (WA) Stakeholder Advisory Panel - Technical Guidance for Marine Fauna
- eReefs Advisory Board Member
- eReefs User Reference Group
- Fisheries Research and Development Corporation (FRDC) – Indigenous Reference Group (IRG)
- Fitzroy Partnership for River Health Independent Science Panel
- Forum for Operational Oceanography (FOO) Steering Committee
- Forum for Operational Oceanography (FOO) Surface Currents Working Group
- Forum for Operational Oceanography (FOO) Surface Waves Working Group

- Great Barrier Reef Foundation Biophysical Technical Advisory Group
- Great Barrier Reef Foundation COTS Working Group
- Great Barrier Reef Foundation Partner's Circle
- Great Barrier Reef Foundation RRAS/COTS Traditional Owner Technical Working Group – Chair and Members
- GBRMPA COTS Advisory Committee
- GBRMPA Local Marine Advisory Committee for the Capricorn Coast
- Gladstone Healthy Harbour Partnership (GHHP) Independent Science Panel
- Government Scientists Group
- Healthy Rivers to Reefs Partnership Regional Report Card Technical Working Group
- Integrated Marine Observing System (IMOS) – Board Member
- IMOS Animal Tracking Facility – Advisory Committee
- IMOS Animal Tracking Facility Data and Scientific committee
- IMOS Animal Tracking Facility – Task Team (Chair and leader)
- IMOS Animal Tracking Facility and Biologging Committee
- IMOS Coastal Wave Buoys Facility – Steering Committee
- IMOS National Reference Stations Scientific Steering Committee
- IMOS Ocean Glider Facility Scientific Steering Committee - member
- IMOS Satellite Remote Sensing Facility
- IMOS Science and Technology Advisory Committee (STAC, Chair
- IMOS Sub-facility for Event Based Sampling (leader/coordinator for National Steering Committee)
- IMOS Queensland and Northern Australia moorings (leader)Integrated Marine Observing System: Queensland (Q-IMOS) Node leader
- Integrated Marine Observing System: Queensland (Q-IMOS) Technical Reference Group
- Integrated Marine Observing System: Western Australia (WAIMOS) Scientific Reference Group
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Executive Committee
- Indian Ocean Marine Research Centre (IOMRC) – Executive Committee
- Indian Ocean Marine Research Centre (IOMRC) – Management Committee
- Indian Ocean Marine Research Centre (IOMRC) – Research Committee
- IP Australia Indigenous Knowledge Working Group - Member
- Lions Marine Research Trust – Scientific Advisory Committee
- Marine Monitoring Program (MMP) Project Committee
- Marine National Facility Steering Committee
- Maritime Environmental Working Group – Royal Australian Navy
- National BRUVS Working Group
- National Marine Science Committee (NMSC) – Executive member and Deputy Chair
- Port of Townsville Independent Technical Advisory Committee

- Queensland Water Modelling Network Climate Change Modelling Review Steering Committee
- Queensland Water Modelling Network External Engagement Program Management Committee
- Reef 2050 Integrated Monitoring and Reporting Program (RIMReP) Steering Committee
- Reef 2050 Integrated Monitoring and Reporting Program (RIMReP) Operations Committee
- Reef 2050 Integrated Monitoring and Reporting Program (RIMReP) Executive Committee
- Reef 2050 Long Term Sustainability Plan – Independent Expert Panel
- Reef 2050 Long Term Sustainability Plan – Reef Advisory Committee (RAC)
- Reef 2050 Traditional Owner Implementation Plan Steering Group - Member
- Reef and Rainforest Research Centre Pty Ltd (RRRC) – Non-executive director
- Reef Restoration and Adaptation Program (RRAP) – Executive Committee
- Reef Restoration and Adaptation Program (RRAP) – Steering Committee
- Reef Water Quality Protection Plan Independent Science Panel
- Remote Undersea Surveillance STaRShot – Community Advisory Group
- Research Leaders in Queensland Group
- Science in Australia Gender Equity (SAGE) Heads of Institutions Forum
- Western Australian Marine Science Institution (WAMSI) - Partners

International fora

- Australia New Zealand Marine Biotechnology Society Management Committee
- Climate and Ocean – Variability, Predictability, and Change (CLIVAR) Research Focus on Marine Heatwaves in the Global Oceans - member
- Convention on Migratory Species, Sharks MOU Conservation Working Group member
- Coral Research and Development Accelerator Program (CORDAP) - Initiative Governing Committee
- Coral Research and Development Accelerator Program (CORDAP) - Scientific and Advisory Committee
- Global Coral Reef Monitoring Network - host organisation
- Global Environment Outlook (GEO-7) Indigenous Knowledge and Local Knowledge Dialogues - Member
- Great Barrier Reef Foundation - International Scientific Advisory Committee (ISAC) member
- International Coral Reef Society (ICRS) Conservation Committee – member and Council representative

- Ocean Acidification Expert Review Committee to the United Nation's Convention on Biological Diversity
- Red Sea Research Centre (RSRC) Advisory Board committee member
- Science Committee of the International Quiet Ocean Experiment
- Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry, Australasia – Regional representative board members
- Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry, Asia-Pacific – Board member
- Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry, Advisory Panel on Chemical Management