# Public engagement

In preparing this study, JSA consulted with a range of organisations through meetings, roundtables, online consultation hub, and case studies. These include industry bodies, businesses, trade unions, government agencies, and non-government organisations. JSA also consulted a range of individuals, including workers, managers, and business owners – some of whom participated in focus groups. The Capacity Study has also been guided by a Steering Group, in addition to the JSA’s Ministerial Advisory Board.

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| Table 3 Consultation participants |
| ACE Community Colleges |
| Adult Learning Australia |
| Attorney-General's Department, Australian Government |
| Ascend Health Group |
| Australian Academy of Science (AAS) |
| Australian Industry Group (Ai Group) |
| Allens |
| Atlassian |
| Australian and New Zealand Institute of Insurance and Finance (ANZIIF) |
| Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC), Australian Government |
| Australian Council of Social Service (ACOSS) |
| Australian Council of Trade Unions (ACTU) |
| Australian Digital Inclusion Alliance (ADIA) |
| Australian Disability Network (ADN) |
| Australian Education Union (AEU) |
| [Australian Federation of Disability Organisations](https://afdo.org.au/about-us/what-we-do/) |
| Australian Industry Group (Ai Group) |
| Australian Manufacturing Workers Union (AMWU) |
| Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation (ANMF) |
| Australia Post |
| Australian Services Union (ASU) |
| Australian Technology Network of Universities |
| Brotherhood of St Laurence |
| Boston Consulting Group (BCG) |
| Business Council of Australia (BCA) |
| Commonwealth Bank of Australia |
| Community Mental Health Alliance |
| Community and Public Sector Union (CPSU) |
| CyberCX |
| [Data 61](https://www.csiro.au/en/about/people/business-units/Data61) |
| Deeligence |
| Deloitte |
| Department of Education, Australian Government |
| Department of Industry, Science and Resources (DISR), Australian Government |
| Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications, Sport and the Arts, Australian Government |
| Department of Health, Disability and Ageing, Australian Government |
| Digital Transformation Agency (DTA), Australian Government |
| Dilji Labs |
| Disability Advocacy Network Australia (DANA) |
| Diversity Council Australia (DCA) |
| Dr Aaron Chatterji (Chief Economist of OpenAI) |
| Engineering Institute of Technology (EIT) |
| Engineers Australia |
| Federation of Ethnic Community Councils of Australia (FECCA) |
| Finance Sector Union (FSU) |
| Future Skills Organisation (FSO) |
| Gilbert + Tobin |
| Good Shepherd AU |
| Good Things Foundation Australia |
| Google |
| HireUp |
| HumanAbility |
| Inclusive Design Collective |
| Indigenous Business Australia, Australian Government |
| Indigitek |
| International Labour Organization (ILO) |
| Jobs and Skills Councils’ CEOs |
| Komatsu |
| Literacy for Life Foundation |
| Macquarie University, Centre for Global Indigenous Futures |
| Mandala |
| Media, Entertainment and Arts Alliance (MEAA) |
| Meta |
| Microsoft |
| Mindful in May |
| National Artificial Intelligence Centre (NAIC) |
| [National Ethnic Disability Alliance](https://neda.org.au/) |
| National Tertiary Education Union (NTEU) |
| NBN Co |
| NGNY |
| New South Wales Nurses and Midwives' Association (NSWNMA) |
| \_nology |
| Nous Group |
| Public Skills Australia |
| Productivity Commission, Australian Government |
| Physical Disability Australia |
| Quantium |
| Queensland University of Technology (QUT) |
| ReadyTech |
| Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology (RMIT) |
| Salesforce |
| Service and Creative Skills Australia (SaCSA) |
| SEEK |
| Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees Association (SDA) |
| Suncorp |
| TAFE NSW |
| TAFE QLD |
| TAFE SA |
| Tech Council of Australia (TCA) |
| The Smith Family |
| The Treasury, Australian Government |
| UNSW Sydney |
| University of Queensland |
| University of Sydney (USYD) |
| University of Technology Sydney (UTS) |
| University of the Sunshine Coast |
| University of Wollongong |
| Victorian Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions |
| Victorian Skills Authority |
| Victorian Trades Hall Council |
| Victoria University (VU) |
| Western Sydney University |
| [Women’s Health in the South East (WHISE)](https://whise.org.au/about-us/our-staff-and-board/) |
| Workday |
| Withyouwithme (WYWM) |
| WorkVentures |
| Woolworths |