

AUSSIE CON5

Thursday 27 July to Monday 31 July, 2028

We're thrilled to be hosting the 86th World Science Fiction Convention in Brisbane, Australia! Thanks to everyone who supported the bid, voted in Site Selection, and has committed to volunteering and helping out.

Aussiecon5 will be held in Brisbane Australia at the Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre. BCEC is in the middle of the city next to a flowing river, inner-city swimming pools and lagoons, Queensland Museum, the Gallery of Modern Art (GoMA), and more than 100 cafes and bars.

We've got a number of Guests of Honour that we're thrilled to announce – with more Special Guest announcements in the coming months. To hear about these first, sign up to our mailing list which can be found at **aussiecon.org**.



Coming to Australia early? The total eclipse on July 22, 2028 passes through Sydney—and will plunge the city into total darkness for the first time since 1857.



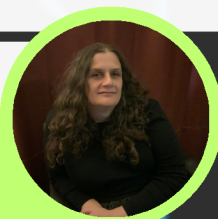
Seanan McGuire is a multi-talented award-winning author who has been nominated for awards every year since 2010. Seanan is a writer, singer, musician and podcaster. She is the author of over 50 novels, more than 200 short stories, comics, collections and critical work, and five albums.

Our guest Artist is the award winning illustrator, poet, short story writer and novelist, Kathleen Jennings. Kathleen won the World Fantasy Award for Best Artist in 2020, and a number of Ditmars for her art and fiction. She has been a finalist for the Hugos and the Locus Awards.



David Gaider is founder & Creative Director at Melbourne game developer, Summerfall Studios, where his best known work is Stray Gods: The Roleplaying Musical (2023). Gaider has writing credits on numerous games, notably Baldur's Gate II: Shadows of Amn & award winning Dragon Age: Inquisition (2014)

Claire G. Coleman is a Noongar woman whose family have belonged to the south coast of Western Australia since before history started being recorded. She is an essayist, novelist, short story writer and poet, a journalist and an art writer. Claire is the author of multiple award winning sf novel Terra Nullius (2017).



Jonathan Strahan is Reviews Editor of Locus and an award-winning editor, anthologist, critic and podcaster. He has edited more than 70 anthologies and 20 single-author collections, including four Locus Award-winning Best Anthologies and seven Aurealis Award winners. He has won Locus, Aurealis, Ditmar and World Fantasy Awards and co-hosts the Hugo Award-winning Coode Street Podcast.

Perry Middlemiss was the DUFF delegate in 1996 and won the Ditmar Award in 1998. In 1999 he chaired Aussiecon 3, and in 2010 co-chaired Aussiecon 4 with Rose Mitchell. In 2021 he was awarded the A. Bertram Chandler Award, for services to Australian sf.



Membership Type	WSFS Membership	Attending Supplement	Total
Adult Attending – Regular	80	250	330
Adult Attending – First Worldcon	80	170	250
Adult Attending – First Nations	80	170	250
Adult Attending – Best Motel	80	570	650
Young Adult Attending (18-24 on 27 July 2028)	80	125	205
Teen Attending (13-17 on 27 July 2028)	80	55	135
Child Attending (7-12 on 27 July 2028)	Optional 80	FREE	-
Kid in Tow (6 & under on 27 July 2028)	N/A	FREE	-
WSFS Only	80	N/A	80

Virtual and Day memberships will be released for general purchase at a later date. All prices are in AUD and are inclusive of GST where relevant. All transactions will be processed in AUD. Prices valid until 31st January 2027

