

DEVELOPING NUTRITION LEADERS IN THE OCEANIC REGION

What is the ONLP?

The Oceanic Nutrition Leadership Platform (ONLP) is a newly initiated network of emerging and established nutrition leaders from across the Oceania region. It was set up to allow members to develop leadership skills, facilitate collaboration, share knowledge and opportunities, acquire peer feedback, and create new avenues to support good nutrition practice, and foster capacity building.

The ONLP was initiated by the Nutrition Society of Australia in partnership with the Nutrition Society of New Zealand and representatives from the Pacific Islands. It is modelled on, and forms part of, a Global Nutrition Leadership network which includes well-established and successful leadership platforms in Europe, Africa, South-East Asia, the Middle-East and Latin-America.

What is the ONLP course?

The ONLP course is an intensive 7-day, biennial program that enables early- and mid-career individuals working in nutrition-related fields within Pacific countries/ jurisdictions to develop the diverse skills and knowledge needed to support improvement in nutrition and food security in the region, and is the gateway to joining the ONLP alumni network. The ONLP course focuses on development of key areas including leadership, communication, team building, social responsibility and influencing policy. Learning is enhanced by experiential learning through team and committee activities, case-studies and real-life experiences shared by established nutrition leaders. The inaugural ONLP course (ONLP 2016) was held in October 2016 in NSW, Australia. The second ONLP course (ONLP 2018) was held in July in Cairns, Qld, Australia.

“Meeting and learning from nutrition colleagues across Oceania has made me feel more connected and empowered in my role.”



ONLP18 participant quote - Dr Katherine Livingstone, IPAN, Deakin University, Australia

“I would like to take what I have learned and experienced and teach others in our Unit to be good leaders and to empower people of Tonga for healthy lifestyle and better health.”



ONLP18 participant quote - Dr Esiteli Tu'i, Tonga

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Next ONLP?

The 3rd course (ONLP 2020) will be held 5-13 July 2020 in Cairns, Northern Queensland.

Vision and Mission

Working together towards sustainable food and nutrition security for Oceania by developing, inspiring and connecting a new generation of visionary leaders in nutrition.

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Sponsorship Opportunities

Platinum Sponsorship 10,000 AUD; 10,000 NZD; 7,000 USD	Platinum sponsors help maintain continuity of ONLP, providing support for administration and communication costs, as well as discretionary support for course participants in need.
Help fund an ONLP course facilitator 3,000 AUD; 3,000 NZD; 2,100 USD	Our facilitators are carefully selected, and identified as being leaders in their field of expertise. Many volunteer their time, but there are still costs involved in their attendance. See individual biographies here: www.onlp.org
Full Scholarships (excluding travel) 4,000 AUD; 4,000 NZD; 2,800 USD	Sponsorship will cover the full participant fee including board and lodging, enabling attendance of a nutrition professional who would otherwise be unable to attend. The funder can stipulate who the scholarship should fund, or provide a partial scholarship, e.g. travel costs only.
Pacific Islands Travel Scholarships 3,000 AUD; 3,000 NZD; 2,100 USD	We aim to provide two travel scholarships for participants from the Pacific Islands.
Welcome Reception 2,000 AUD; 2,000 NZD; 1,400 USD	The ONLP course commences with a welcome reception where the participants meet for the first time.
#Evening Excursion Out 3,000 AUD; 3,000 NZD; 2,100 USD	The Evening Excursion Out mid-way through the ONLP Course allows for a change of scene and a break from the pressure of the course schedule.
#Graduation Ceremony Dinner 4,000 AUD; 4,000 NZD; 2,800 USD	The Graduation Ceremony Dinner is on the final night of the ONLP course and celebrates the new leadership network that has been established.

#The ONLP course participants organise these events, which provides them with the opportunity to apply the leadership and communication skills that they have acquired during the course whilst also contributing to team and relationship building - essential for the development of the ONLP network beyond the course.

We welcome enquiries about other options for sponsorship

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