

FREE EVENT!

Solomon Lecture 2026



Monday, 28 September
9.30am – 11.30am
Premiers' Hall
Parliament House
Brisbane / Meanjin

Professor Peter Greste

Australian-born journalist, author, media freedom activist and academic



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'Journalists and Public Servants: Building trust in an age of misinformation'

In an era of digital media, misinformation and disinformation can spread faster than facts, making access to accurate, trustworthy information more important than ever. In this thought-provoking talk, media freedom advocate Professor Greste explores the vital roles journalists and public servants both play in helping the public navigate an increasingly complex information environment. Challenging traditional assumptions about the relationship between media and government, Professor Greste offers a fresh perspective on how both can contribute to public trust, democratic resilience, and a more open, transparent and accountable government.

The keynote will be followed by a panel discussion.

This event marks International Access to Information Day (IAID) in Queensland. The theme for IAID is *'Fact vs fake: Tackling information disorder in the digital age'*.

Also featuring...



Tom Rogers, AO
Former Australian Electoral
Commissioner



Linda Waugh
Queensland Integrity
Commissioner



Stephanie Winson
Queensland Right to
Information Commissioner



Melissa Coade
Journalist at The Mandarin
Emcee & Panel Facilitator