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Department of Communications

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About us

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Our work

The Department has four strategic priorities.

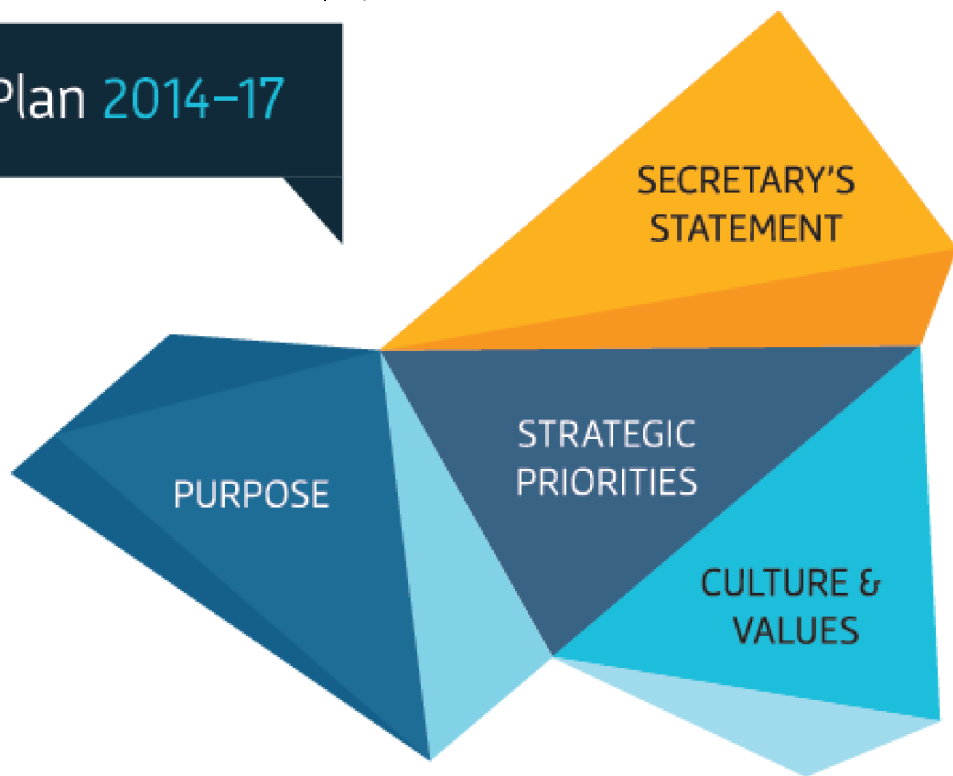
- enhancing digital productivity
- enhancing digital infrastructure
- promoting efficient communications markets
- strengthening our capabilities.

Corporate Plan

Read more about the Department's purpose, role, strategic priorities, culture and values in the 2014-17 Corporate Plan.

[Corporate Plan 2014-17](#)

Corporate Plan 2014-17



[Corporate Plan 2014-17 \(PDF, 1 MB\)](#)

[Corporate Plan 2014-17 \(DOCX, 48 KB\)](#)

To print the Corporate Plan (PDF), please select 'print both sides' or 'two-sided' in your print dialogue settings and 'flip on short edge'. This will print the plan in landscape orientation as a concertina tri-fold document.



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Key people and organisational structure

Find the responsibilities of senior executive staff and see how operational areas of the department are grouped.

- ↗ [Key People](#)
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The Department implemented a new organisational structure from September 2014 to support the delivery of its strategic priorities for 2014-17.

Social Media Public Policy

The Social Media Public Policy explains how the Department engages in social media. It outlines what you can expect from us and the things we expect from you when you engage with us. This policy relates to all of our social media activities.

[Social Media Public Policy \(DOC, 149 KB\)](#)

[Social Media Public Policy \(PDF, 211 KB\)](#)

Accountability and reporting

The links below provide access to a range of resources with detailed information on different aspects of administration of the department.

- ↗ [Agency Multicultural Plan](#)
- ↗ [Annual reports](#)
- ↗ [Client Service Charter](#)
- ↗ [Complaints Handling Policy](#)
- ↗ [Department Contracts Senate Order](#)
- ↗ [Freedom of Information \(FOI\)](#)
- ↗ [File Listing](#)
- ↗ [Incoming government brief](#)
- ↗ [News and events](#)
- ↗ [Reconciliation Action Plan](#)
- ↗ [Reporting requirements and reviews](#)
- ↗ [Work Health and Safety Policy Statement](#)

- ↗ [APP Privacy Policy \(PDF, 144 KB\)](#)
- ↗ [APP Privacy Policy \(DOC, 66 KB\)](#)

Public Interest Disclosure

The *Public Interest Disclosure Act 2013* came into effect 15 January 2014 and replaces existing legislation relating to whistleblowing in the Australian Public Service.

- ↗ [Public Interest Disclosure](#)

Australian Government Budget

- ↗ [Australian Government Budget - Communications Portfolio](#)

Careers

Find details of current vacancies and graduate recruitment activities and how to apply, and the benefits of employment with the department.

- ↗ [Careers](#)
- ↗ [Current positions vacant and online applications](#)
- ↗ [Graduate program](#)
- ↗ [Enterprise agreement](#)

Tenders

Details of contracted service providers that deliver a range of departmental services are published in accordance with the government's Competitive Tendering and Contracting initiative.

- ↗ [Tenders](#)
- ↗ [Procurement support to other agencies](#)

Departmental archive

Information about the policies, programs and publications from previous iterations of the Department, such as the Department of Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy, and the Department of Communications, Information Technology and the Arts can be found on the National Library's online digital archive, PANDORA and Australian Government Web Archive. The websites are listed below.

Departmental website records

<http://www.archive.dbcde.gov.au> [Australian Government Web Archive link](#)

<http://s2.communications.gov.au> [PANDORA link](#)

<http://www.nbn.gov.au> [PANDORA link](#)

<http://blog.staysmartonline.gov.au> [PANDORA link](#)

<http://www.archive.dcita.gov.au> [PANDORA link](#)

Ministerial website records

http://www.minister.dbcde.gov.au/anthony_albanese [PANDORA link](#)

http://www.minister.dbcde.gov.au/kate_lundy [PANDORA link](#)

http://www.minister.dbcde.gov.au/sharon_bird [PANDORA link](#)

http://www.minister.dbcde.gov.au/ed_husic [PANDORA link](#)

<http://www.minister.dbcde.gov.au/conroy> [PANDORA link](#)

<http://www.minister.dcita.gov.au/coonan> [PANDORA link](#)

<http://www.minister.dcita.gov.au/brandis> [PANDORA link](#)

<http://www.minister.dcita.gov.au/kemp> [PANDORA link](#)

Contact us

How to email or otherwise contact the department or the Minister.

- ↗ [Contacts](#)
- ↗ [FOI disclosure log](#)
- ↗ [IPS Information Publication Scheme](#)