

# **Know Your Assembly**

### A Seminar for Professionals and Interested Territorians

Know Your Assembly is designed to give you a better understanding of the role and functions of the Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory with a focus on the relationship between the Parliament and Executive Government

**Know Your Assembly** is a free program and is available to anyone with an interest in learning more about how your parliament works and how laws are made

#### What you will learn?

- Develop an understanding of the role and functions of the Legislative Assembly
- Understand the stages of the law making process
- Understand committee inquiries and functions
- Understand the working relationship between the public sector, Ministers, Members and the Parliament
- Develop the tools to work with Members, engage with the Assembly and participate in the democratic process

#### What will be covered?

- Overview of the structure and function of the Legislative Assembly
- Scrutiny of Government
- The proceedings of a typical meeting day, including how to obtain information on business of the House
- Agency involvement in the preparation of documents used by Ministers and Members in the Assembly
- · The passage of legislation
- The role of a Member of the Legislative Assembly and a Minister in Government
- The role of Cabinet
- Committee inquiries and functions

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## 2025 Seminar Dates

Monday24/02/25DarwinWednesday7/05/25Alice SpringsWednesday16/07/25DarwinTuesday11/11/25Darwin