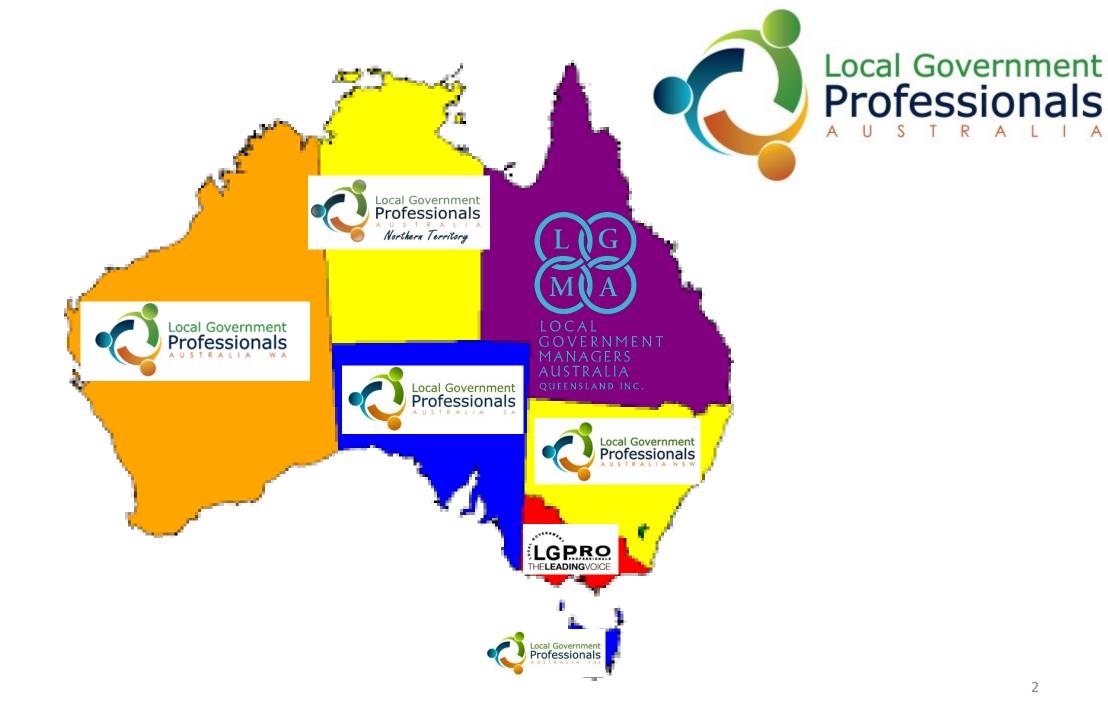
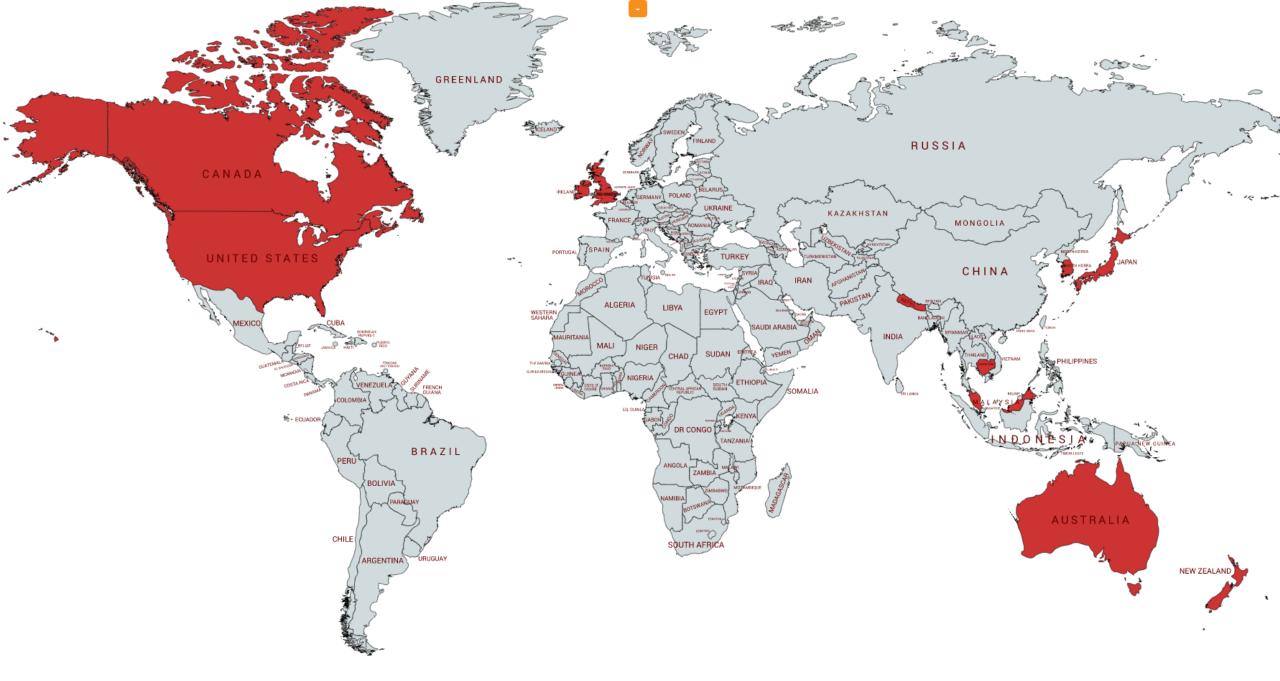


# LG Professionals Tasmania National Update

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## International Mentor Program

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DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY.





#### Register

Applications for the 2019 Program are now closed.

If you would like to become a mentor and share your local government skills and experience with a mentee overseas for 2020



#### Energy-efficient schools in Nepal

Nepal-based Parikshya Singh and local government consultant Andy Farrant have been working together to address a universally common issue: how can they make schools energy-efficient and self-sustaining?



## Access to clean drinking water in Cambodia

For most people in Australia, we turn on taps, showers and dishwashers every day without a moment's thought. But a lack of access to clean and safe drinking water can be a life-



## LGBTQ education in Nepal

Sushmee is a passionate advocate for the LGBT community in Nepal and visits communities to raise awareness. Her IMP mentor Judy Toll, has seen this first-hand. The IMP mentor went above and







#### Objectives of the International Mentor Program

The International Mentor Program (IMP) aims to strengthen the capacity of young emerging leaders from Cambodia and Nepal. Networks between skilled Australian local government professionals and young future leaders in partner countries and built through mentoring in practical workplace and project management skills. The program addresses a wide range of issues, from gender equity to inclusive governance, community development and environmental sustainability.

The Program has been well-received and now is approaching the final stage. As a sponsor of this year Program, M<sup>c</sup>Arthur is proud to support Local Government Professionals Australia to create a positive learning journey for each and every mentor and mentee.

As learning is often two-way, the mentee/mentor relationship is invigorating and rewarding for both parties. We are excited to share an update on a mentoring experience from one of our mentors this year.

### Learning a new culture and perspective from a young future leader in Cambodia



Paul Gravett is the Manager of Community Engagement at City of Kwinana, Western Australia and a mentor in Local Government Professionals Australia's International Mentoring Program.

Paul is currently mentoring an emerging leader in Siem Reap, Cambodia as part of the Young Leaders Stream of the program."Having worked across local and state government in community development and engagement for the past twenty years in Western Australia, I was excited about the prospect of mentoring someone from another country to make a difference in their local community. After our initial session, my mentee settled on her project: facilitating first aid instruction for young people in Siem Reap, Cambodia. This comprised identifying partners and an approach to deliver this initiative to a group of fifty eager youth.

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A few weeks ago my Cambodian mentee let me know that he had finished his Masters in Belgium. He has done a great job and I hope I can keep assisting him where possible. The program was run through LG Professionals Australia and I would encourage people to consider getting involved.#pro #proudtobeyourcouncil #council



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