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TRUST & TECHNOLOGY: THE FUTURE OF FINANCE

Time	Wednesday, 28 October 2026
10.30am - 12.00pm	• TechnologyOne User Group meeting - *Banheep A (upstairs)* • Pre-conference workshop: Grants, Assets and Superannuation - *Banheep B*
12.00pm - 1.00pm	Lunch - *Upper Foyer A (upstairs)*
1.00pm - 3.00pm	**Learning Sessions - council type** • Metropolitan - *Darrwal A* • Interface/Growth - *Banheep A* • Regional City and Large Rural - *Darrwal B* • Small Rural and Borough - *Banheep B*
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea and Exhibition
	Session 1 | Chair: Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne
3.30pm - 3.35pm	**Welcome to the FinPro Conference 2026:** Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne
3.35pm - 3.40pm	**Platinum Sponsor:** Michelle Wise, TechnologyOne
3.40pm - 4.40pm	**Keynote Presentation: The Human Algorithm: Leading with Body & Voice in the Age of AI -** Dr Louise Mahler Sponsored by Alcaston Partners
4.40pm - 4.45pm	**Day 1 Conference Close** - Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne
5.00pm - 6.00pm	Accommodation check in
6.30pm - 7.00pm	Pre-dinner drinks overlooking the Bay
7.00pm - 10.00pm	**Opening Dinner w guest speaker: Simon Taylor** Sponsor: Davidson | Dress code: Smart casual

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Session 2 | Chair: Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne	
9.00am - 9.05am	**Welcome from the President:** Tony Rocca, President, FinPro
9.05am - 9.40am	**Sponsor Showcase**
9.40am - 10.30am	**Keynote Presentation: Unlocking Potential to Deliver Productivity and Impact –** Trent Fuller, Young Guns Container Crew
10.30am - 11.00am	Morning Tea and Exhibition
Session 3 | Chair: Belinda Johnson, Horsham Rural City Council	
11.00am - 12.00pm	**Trust in Government -** Christine Kotur AM
12.00pm - 12.45pm	**Financial Sustainability in Practice: Glen Eira's Multi-Lever Approach and Rate Cap Variation Journey -** John Vastianos, Glen Eira City Council
12.45pm - 2.00pm	Lunch and Exhibition | Mentoring Program 26/27 meet up
Session 4 | Chair: Melissa Baker, Casey City Council	
2.00pm - 2.05pm	**Gold Sponsor:** Jesse Kirkpatrick, AMEX
2.05pm - 3.00pm	**Economic Update -** Phin Ziebell, TCV
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea and Exhibition

Session 5 | Chair: John Vastianos, Glen Eira City Council	
3.30pm - 3.35pm	**Gold Sponsor:** Vanessa Hood, Payble
3.35pm - 4.30pm	**Connecting Service Reviews and Service Planning: a more holistic approach to financial sustainability** - Jen Reid and Liesl Westberry, StrategyLab
4.30pm - 5.00pm	**On the couch with Deep and Mel:** Audit and Risk Committee Superannuation Tax Ruling - Implications for Contractor Payments, Governance and Compliance
5.00pm - 5.10pm	**See y'all at the Wild West shindig!** Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne
6:30 pm - 12:00 am	**Welcome to the Wild West!** Sponsor: Maddocks | Dress code: country western
Time	**Friday, 30 October 2026**
Session 6 | Chair: Caroline Reidy, Frankston City Council	
9.00am - 10.00am	**Panel discussion: Contemporary local government issues across Australia** Moderator: Tony Rocca, President, FinPro Panellists: Lauren Fitzgerald, City of Subiaco (WA); Cadel Blunt, City of Holdfast Bay (SA), Oliver Pring, Gympie Regional Council (Qld)
10.00am - 11.00am	**Keynote Presentation: How the ChatGPT revolution is changing work and business forever -** Adam Spencer
11.00am - 11.30am	Morning Tea and Exhibition
Session 7 | Chair: Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne	
11.30am - 12.45pm	**CEO Panel** Moderator: Adam Spencer Panellists: Gail Gatt, CEO, Horsham City Council; Glenn Patterson, CEO, Casey City Council; Andrew Day, CEO, Manningham City Council
12.45pm - 1.00pm	Closing Notes and Sponsor Prize Draw - Alan Wilson, City of Melbourne