

MISSION

TIMOR-LESTE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Timor-Leste's development is well founded on its sensible use of its petroleum wealth to finance high-quality, sustainable investments in physical and human capital.

The 2019 mission will provide the opportunity to learn about the future plans of Timor-Leste and understand the emerging business opportunities.

ABOUT THIS EVENT

Austrade will be working with the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade to evaluate and identify potential participants.

This event follows the Timor-Leste investment conference in Melbourne. The mission will include a focus on new infrastructure plans, and the oil and gas developments onshore and off shore. Timor-Leste GDP is expected to grow by 4.8 per cent in 2019 and 5.4 per cent in 2020.

Several infrastructure developments are taking place including Tibar port in Dili. The government has agreed to purchase the equity of two existing stakeholders in the offshore Greater Sunrise gas field. New onshore reserves are being explored as well as the development of the onshore processing of gas at Beacu on the South Coast. This will include a road linking Beacu to Suai where an international airport is planned.

WHY YOU SHOULD PARTICIPATE

- Meet with government ministers and Timor-Leste's Trade Investment agency
- Hear from the Asian Development Bank and World Bank representatives to learn about new infrastructure plans
- Benefit from meeting Timor-Leste's state owned oil company and Greater Sunrise oil field operator, TIMORGAP
- Develop an understanding of the Timor-Leste market first hand and how to do business
- Meet potential customers and contacts at networking events and tailored one-on-one appointments.

Important information

Date: 15-18 July 2019

Location: Dili, Timor-Leste

Express interest by: 28 June 2019

Who should attend?

Australian businesses in:

- oil and gas industries
- building and constructions materials and supply chains
- infrastructure services
- vocational training services
- professional advisory services.

"Great opportunities are ready to be unlocked. The potential is there. Timor-Leste is a beautiful country and offers so many opportunities based on its precious natural resources."

Daniel Hunter
Director Consulting Timor-Leste
CARDNO

Express interest at www.austrade.gov.au/timorlestemission

MISSION

TIMOR-LESTE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

MISSION PROGRAM

The program has been designed to maximise your visit.

Date	Details
Monday 15 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrive Dili
Tuesday 16 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meeting with Timor-Leste's trade and investment promotion agency, Timor-Tradeinvest to discuss the investment environments and government incentives for foreign business to start in Timor-Leste.• Discuss major government infrastructure investments with the World Bank and International Finance Corporation.• Meeting with ANZ bank.• Round table with mining industry executives and meeting with TIMORGAP.• Evening networking function hosted by the Australian Ambassador.
Wednesday 17 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meeting with Timor Resources. Lunch meeting with Jape Development Company, owner-operator of Dili Central. Learn about Timor-Leste's ease of doing business improvements and business enabling environment with the business registration and monitoring service.• Networking function with Australian business community in Dili.
Thursday 18 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Depart Dili or free for private appointments

PARTICIPATION PACKAGE

Package inclusions	Cost
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dili program and meetings arranged by Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade• Some networking and lunches• Logistics for travel between meetings	No charge

Note:

Participants are responsible for:

- their own travel and accommodation costs
- ground transport to and from the airport
- all meals unless otherwise stated.

MISSION

TIMOR-LESTE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

[CLICK HERE TO EXPRESS INTEREST](#)

Register your interest in attending this mission on the Austrade website (click link above). As places are strictly limited, all registrations will be reviewed by our country and industry specialists for suitability. If you are accepted, you will be offered a place which will be confirmed when you make your payment. Once you are confirmed, we will work with you to ensure you are prepared to make the most of this opportunity.

Please refer to the event [Terms & Conditions](#) for further details.

You may be eligible to claim some marketing and promotion costs associated with this mission through the Export Market Development Grant scheme. For more information, visit www.austrade.gov.au/grants or call 13 28 78.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

If you are considering this mission, Austrade recommends that you consult 'Smartraveller', the Australian Government's travel advisory service, which is available at www.smartraveller.gov.au. Travel advice is updated regularly on this site.

Please note that Austrade will only work with clients that maintain appropriate business ethics, and demonstrate a commitment to legal obligations including anti-bribery laws, both in Australia and overseas markets. Review further information on anti-bribery at <http://www.austrade.gov.au/Australian/Export/Guide-to-exporting/Legal-issues/Bribery-of-foreign-public-officials>.

KEY CONTACTS

To discuss your participation options further, please contact:

Australia

Adrian Weeks

Trade Commissioner Pacific & Timor-Leste

Austrade Brisbane

T +61 7 3364 7735

E adrian.weeks@austrade.gov.au