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# Site visit to Sydney Metro's operations and maintenance facility

Sydney Metro North West opened earlier in May, operating as the first fully automated rapid transit system in Australia. The operational context is very different to the conventional heavy rail and light rail networks in NSW.

It is very important for rail professionals to understand the differences in running a metro and heavy rail network.

The visit will include a tour of the Operations Control Centre (OCC) where train controllers constantly monitor the entire metro system, controlling rolling stock, tunnels and platforms to deliver a safe and reliable journey.

The visit will also include a tour of the train stabling and maintenance facility, which incorporates latest technology for

- Train washing
- Inspection and repairs
- Major train maintenance
- Wheel maintenance

### **About Metro Trains Sydney:**

Metro Trains Sydney (MTS) is the operator of the Metro North West Line, which runs along the Sydney Metro Northwest. It is a joint venture between MTR Corporation (60%), John Holland (20%) and UGL Rail (20%) formed in September 2014. It operates the network with a fleet of 22 Alstom Metropolis trains under a 15-year contract.

#### **VENUE**

Convene at Tallawong station

#### **DATE & TIME**

26<sup>th</sup> August 2019 11:45 am for Noon start

## **TICKETS (incl. GST)**

EA and RTSA Members: Free Non-members: \$20

This event requires registration. Please follow the instructions by clicking the link below





Registrations close on 19th August

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