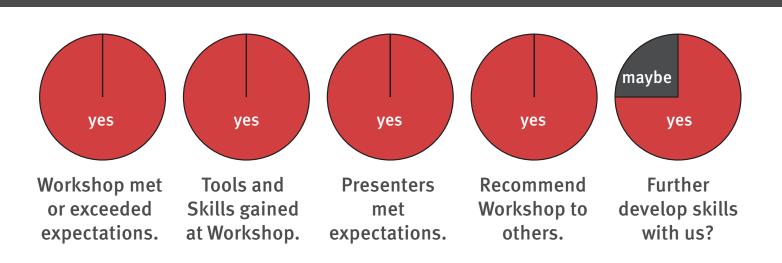


Writing for policy results

Brisbane 30-31 October 2018

WORKSHOP FEEDBACK



Tell us what you liked most about the workshop.	I like how the workshop tailored to our needs and employment. Very informative and relevant to my work. I was able to ask my questions.
	Flexibility to focus on areas of interest/needs of attendees.
	The small group and willingness of all participants to contribute and get involved.
	Practical examples. Real life case studies. Focus on relevant areas.
How well did the workshop meet your expectations?	I didn't have any expectations but I was very satisfied with the content and delivery.
	Very well.
	Met and exceeded my expectations. Nonie and Sandra regularly checked in to see if our expectations had been addressed and pivoted to ensure they could address our expectations.
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What are any understandings, tools and skills you gained and what difference will these make in your practice following the workshop?	The content was very useful. I believe the workshop has provided me with the basic knowledge and understanding of policy writing and overall government scope. Writing for different audiences and use of tone and tense. This is resulting in more effective and targeted communications. Write some of my learnings were affirmation of some of the practices I already follow. They provided 'real life' and practical ways you can approach policy writing and writing in general (eg. Mind maps and first drafts) Further understanding of governmental mechanics and culture.
How well did the presenters meet your expectations?	Really good 'rules' for writing that I have been using every day. Sandra and Nonie were outstanding and provided real experiences and knowledge of government policy and protocols. Exceptionally well. Nonie and Sandra were both passionate and knowledgeable about their subject which made learning with them a powerful lesson. Both highly experienced and strong communicators – good balance between theory and practice.
Would you recommend the program to others?	Yes. I guess the next steps after this workshop. Maintaining stakeholder engagement. Yes. Yes. Yes.
Would you like to develop further policy skills with us?	Yes. Yes. Evaluating policy. Yes. Evaluation. Maybe. Still new to my position so not sure as of yet.
Would you like to hear from us about further programs?	Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes.
Further comments:	Thank you to you both for sharing your passion and knowledge on the topic of writing for policy. It is one of the best writing courses I have done where I have left feeling like I have learnt some practical tips that I can and will be able to use daily.

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