



Australian Risk Policy Institute



Electric Infrastructure Security Council

Australian Risk Policy Institute (ARPI) – Electric Infrastructure Security Council (EIS)

Partnership for Collaboration

We are pleased to announce a partnership between the Australian Risk Policy Institute (ARPI) and the Electric Infrastructure Security Council (EIS) to promote awareness, understanding and application of ARPI's new thinking, new approaches and new frameworks about leadership, decision-making and risk for application to resilience of critical global infrastructure.

ARPI is the author of Strategic Risk Policy™ ('SRP'), Risk 4.0, purpose-designed for today's global environment, challenges and opportunities in order to facilitate informed decision-making. This is facilitated through greater situational awareness hence anticipation, predicated on paradigm change by leaders from silo-centric to network-centric thinking, being where information resides today. This enables strategic consideration of risk at a point of 'potentiality' or 'vulnerability' rather than later and reactively when risks arise or worse still, crises or wicked problems occur.

'We are delighted to support the EIS Council' said Tony Charge, ARPI Chairman. 'ARPI leads a Global Risk Policy Network and enjoys collaborative partnerships including the Australian National University and The Brenva Institute, with which it has created the Centre for Advanced Risk Policy Studies (CARPS) focusing on innovation in the field of global, sovereign and regional resilience.'

The Electric Infrastructure Security Council (EIS) facilitates national and international collaboration and planning to protect societies' critical utilities against uniquely severe Black Sky Hazards.

In welcoming the partnership, John Heitzel, Director of Resilience Planning said 'EIS programming and special projects help utilities and their partners develop and implement cost effective, consensus-based protection measures by hosting frameworks for sustained co-ordination, planning and best practice development.'

Adding that 'The EIS Council EARTH EX is one of the largest cross-sector training and awareness exercises in the world focused on resilience and preparedness. Over 41 countries were represented in EARTH EX 2019. This year's exercise is focused on the Electromagnetic Pulse and Cyber threats to our shared critical infrastructure. EARTH EX is free, self-facilitated and self-evaluated.'

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