



# GTA TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



## ARBITRATOR TRAINING WORKSHOP

COMPLIMENTARY TO GTA MEMBERS

3 July 2025 11.00am—1.30pm AEST

Delivered via Zoom



### Presenter: Geoff Farnsworth

Geoff is a lawyer with **over 25 years experience, whose specialty is in transport and commodities related law.** He is also a **qualified Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators.**

Geoff acts as Secretariat to GTA Arbitration Tribunals. He regularly advises major transport and commodity companies in relation to contracting and dispute resolution.

Geoff is a regular presenter at conferences and seminars, and a director of Grain Trade Australia Ltd.

This is a **FREE** annual workshop for all existing and potential GTA Arbitrators.

The workshop is designed for existing GTA Arbitrators as a refresher course as well as those who would like to become a GTA Arbitrator.

The workshop provides an appreciation and **understanding of the role of arbitration**, the process and the legislative framework along with the processes that should be followed at the commencement of and duration of arbitration. Topics covered include:

- GTA Arbitrators—their appointment, role and responsibilities
- Commencing and Conducting an Arbitration
- Common Issues faced by Arbitrators
- Awards & real life examples from past arbitrations



**A must to attend for GTA Arbitrators**

**Delivered by an experienced industry expert**

**A short refresher course (2.5hrs)**

*This GTA Course offered to GTA Members considering becoming a GTA Arbitrator and all current GTA Arbitrators. Ongoing training is encouraged and recommended as the primary means to become and remain a GTA Arbitrator.*

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