



# Melbourne

The 34th International  
Japanese-English  
Translation Conference  
5 - 6 September 2026



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# What is JAT?

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The Japan Association of Translators (JAT) was founded in 1985 to facilitate the exchange of information and ideas among translators and interpreters working between Japanese and English, and to establish and maintain professional standards in the industry. Membership is limited to individuals who are engaged in, or interested in, translation or interpreting. JAT was officially recognized as a non-profit organization (NPO) in Japan in April 2001. As of June 2025, JAT has about 550 members. JAT offers members a wide array of opportunities and resources for professional development and networking.

The logo for the Japan Association of Translators (JAT) features the letters 'JAT' in a bold, black, serif font. A red circle is positioned in the center of the letter 'A', serving as a distinctive design element.

# What is IJET?

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The International Japanese-English Translation (IJET) Conference is JAT's flagship event and the premier gathering for language professionals working between Japanese and English worldwide.

Since 1990, IJET has brought together the brightest minds in translation and interpreting for intensive networking, knowledge sharing, and skills development. Alternating annually between Japan and English-speaking countries, recent conferences in Tokyo (2023), Toronto (2024), and Fukuoka (2025) have averaged 200 industry professionals.

Japan, though an economic giant, is a relatively monolingual nation. Translation and interpreting is the key to seamless transactions between Japan and their most important trading partners. IJET is where those language professionals are expanding their abilities, knowledge and responsiveness to that market.



# IJET-34 Melbourne, 2026!

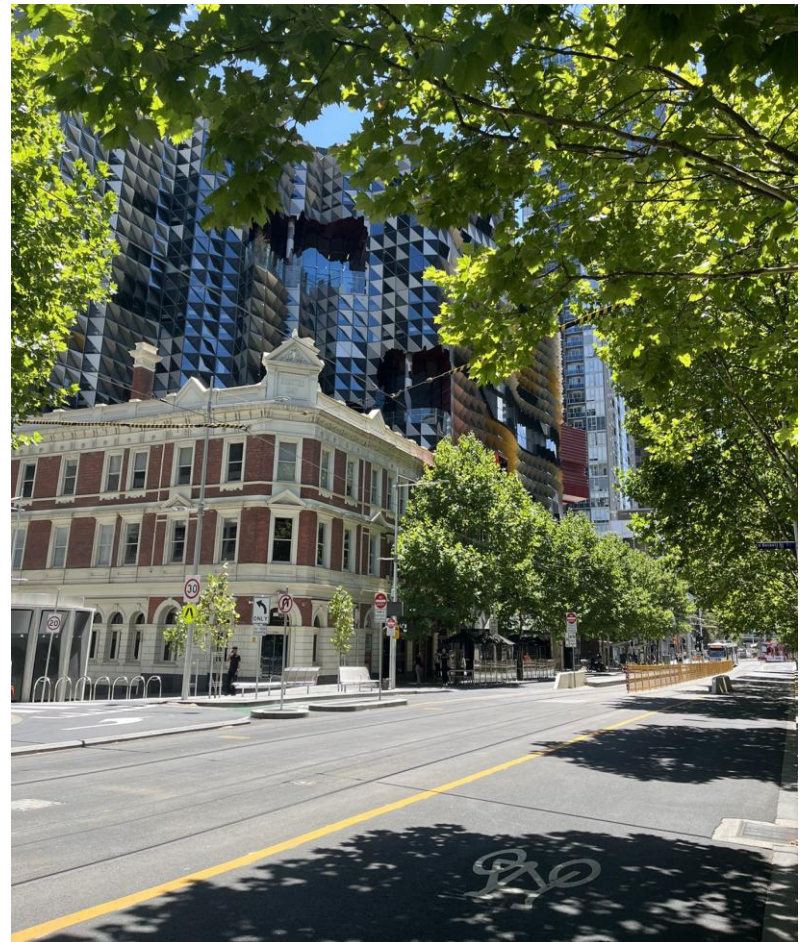
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Following successful conferences in Tokyo (IJET-31, 2023), Toronto (IJET-32, 2024), and Fukuoka (IJET-33, 2025), we are excited to bring IJET to **Melbourne, Australia**, in 2026.

## Why Melbourne?

Melbourne, Australia's cultural capital, is the perfect Asia-Pacific location for IJET's global community:

- ✓ **Strategic location** – Excellent international connections make Melbourne easily accessible from Japan, Asia, and beyond
- ✓ **Cultural hub** – World-class dining, arts, and entertainment create an inspiring backdrop for professional development
- ✓ **Major Japanese presence** – over 200 Japanese corporations are based here in manufacturing, trade, logistics, resources, automotive and services.
- ✓ **Thriving language industry** – Australia's multicultural landscape and strong ties with Japan make it ideal for translation and interpreting professionals



# IJET-34 Overview

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**Name:** The 34th International Japanese-English Translation Conference (IJET-34)

**Dates:** Sept 5–6, 2026 (Saturday to Sunday)

**Theme:** “Communication, Connection, Creativity:  
The things only humans can do”

**Venue:** Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology (RMIT)

**Attendees:** 100–150 translators and interpreters from around the world working between Japanese and other languages

**Website:** [ijet.jat.org](http://ijet.jat.org)

**Program:** TBA



# Why Sponsor IJET-34?

- ✓ **Direct access to top talent** – Connect with the world's leading Japanese-English translators and interpreters. Bringing together practitioner with deep specialised knowledge and extensive practical experience. Meet them directly rather than via generic recruitment processes.
- ✓ **Lead Acquisition** - High-level access to decision-makers. Many of the participants are self-employed or managers in specialised fields, to whom you can pitch your company's services with pinpoint accuracy.
- ✓ **Boost awareness of brand and values** – IJET-34 is an industry-leading, high visibility event that may act as a springboard to the APAC market. A strong presence will push brand recognition well beyond borders.

# Who Will Attend IJET?

- ✓ Most attendees are professionals in highly specialized fields, such as medicine, finance, law, patents, IT, and entertainment. They are notable for their mastery of not only the traditional tools used, and services provided, by translators, but also of the latest products and technology.
- ✓ This is a high-engagement environment. Over the two days you will get to know a wide range of people with insight and experience not easily found online. This goes beyond simple awareness-raising and leads to the cultivation of deep and mutually beneficial relationships.
- ✓ There are a number of flexible plans available, tailored to suit different objectives. In addition to four tiers of packages, we also offer hallway exhibits, session sponsorship, and more. You can create combinations that maximize effectiveness to suit your budget and profile.

# Key Dates

- Sponsorship applications open - 1 February 2026
- Early-bird attendee registration opens - 1 March 2026
- Sponsorship application deadline - 31 July 2026
- Keynote speaker announcement - (TBA)
- Promotional items delivery deadline - (TBA)
- IJET - 5 & 6 September 2026

# Sponsorship Packages

STANDARD PACKAGE (number of sponsors)	DIAMOND (only 1)	GOLD (up to 5)	SILVER (up to 10)	BRONZE (no limit)
Cost	AUD 5,000	AUD 3,000	AUD 1,500	AUD 500
Complimentary full registrations	2	1	0	0
Banner on IJET website	Large	Medium	Small	Small
Introduction on sponsor page on IJET website	Logo + 200 words	Logo + 100 words	Logo + 50 words	Logo & name
Visual recognition: All sponsor logos prominently displayed on slide at various times during conference	Large	Medium	Small	Small
Verbal recognition	Opening ceremony and banquet	Banquet	One breakout session	--
Sign by registration table (provided and removed by sponsor)	Yes	--	--	--
Promotion on IJET social media channels	Unique post	Combined gold post	Combined silver post	Combined bronze post
Promotional items in tote bags for attendees (provided by sponsor)	Unlimited	1	1	--
Display banner stand in venue (provided by sponsor)	Yes	Yes	--	--

ADD-ON OPTIONS				
Booth in hallway (up to 5 sponsors, first come first served)	AUD 500	AUD 500	--	--
Verbal recognition and logo presentation at keynote speech (speaker TBA)	AUD 500	AUD 500 (up to 2)	--	--
Logo on digitally issued speaker certificates	Included	AUD 200	--	--
Logo featured on sponsor sign at refreshment table	AUD 100	AUD 100	AUD 100	--
Name mentioned as session sponsor at one breakout session	AUD 50	AUD 50	AUD 50	--



# Ready to be a part of IJET-34 Melbourne?

If you are interested in participating in IJET-34 as a sponsor, please complete our online sponsorship form at: [IJET-34 Sponsor Application \(English\)](#)

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