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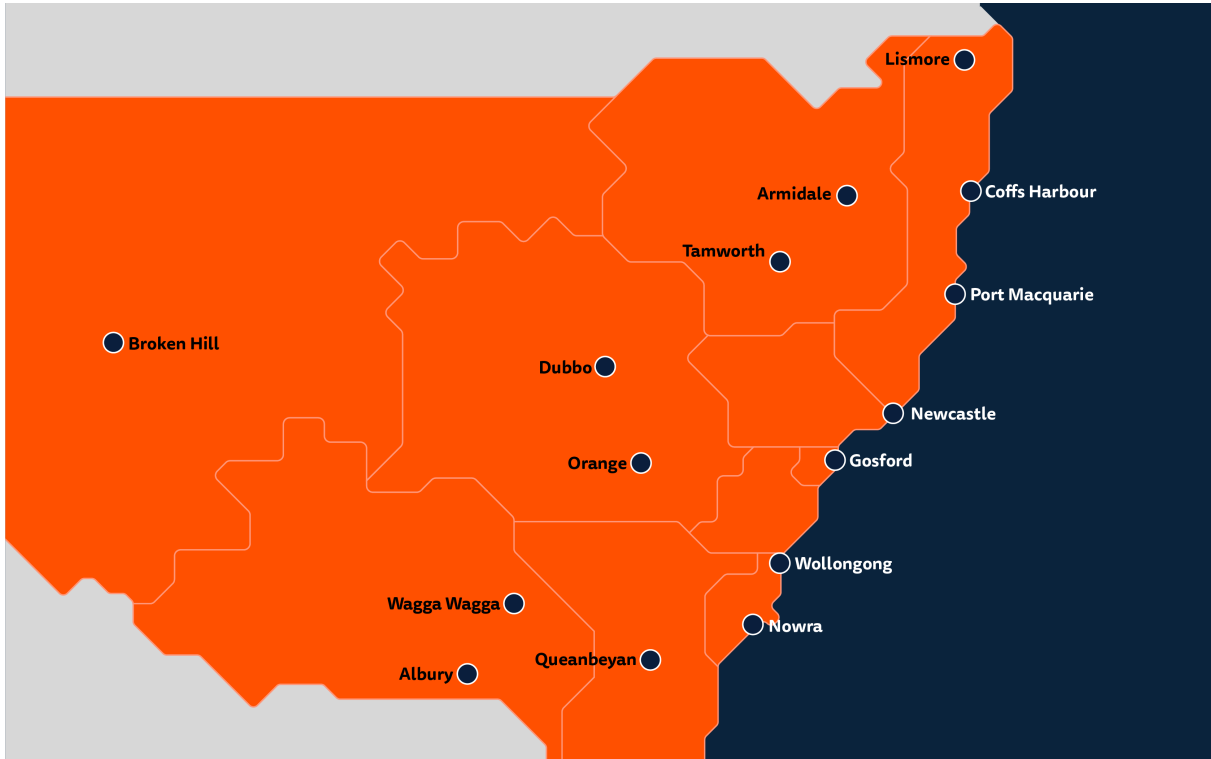
## **Contact**

The New South Wales Government's regional and international network of investment specialists provide assistance and advice to prospective investors.

### **The New South Wales state government welcomes productive foreign direct investment.**

The NSW Regional network has experts in 15 offices across seven regions which support domestic and international investors and introduce them to government support services in NSW.

## Network of NSW Regional Development Offices



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Ian Smith is the Director of the NSW Office of Regional Economic Development. Ian has over 20 years' experience in international trade and investment across a broad range of industries and multiple disciplines. In his current role, Ian leads the delivery of regional industry programs across NSW to maximise investment, build capacity and enhance employment growth.



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Mark is a highly motivated marketing and business development professional, who has held leadership positions across a number of large organisations in the engineering, shipbuilding and construction industries. Mark holds a First Class Honours Degree in Business (International) from Newcastle Business School, Northumbria University (UK). He is culturally diverse having lived and worked in four countries.



**Nigel McKinnon**

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Nigel McKinnon has over 20 years' experience in regional development. Widely regarded as an innovator in this field, he is founder, chair and chief architect of Advantage Wollongong that is setting a new standard in local economic development practice. Nigel has extensive private sector experience in both manufacturing and services, and has facilitated over 200

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Margaret is passionate about regional development and has worked and lived in Regional NSW for many years. She has worked in a range of roles with regional airlines, tourism and state government. This has included strategic development, research and marketing, and service delivery. Margaret has developed strategic relationships across government, industry, academia and the community sector.



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Craig Jenkins has more than 16 years working for the NSW Government in regional development. He has a wealth of knowledge and experience in all aspects of business attraction and investment, infrastructure delivery, innovation, community development, disaster recovery, policy and program development. Craig also has private sector experience in finance, taxation and auditing.



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Megan has extensive experience in regional development, logistics, the arts and education, particularly across projects in the Shoalhaven, Eurobodalla and Bega Valley local government areas. She has driven the development of the Shoalhaven Defence Industry Group presenting many opportunities for collaboration.



## **Darren Keegan**

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Darren has 20 years' experience working in private sector multinationals and public sector roles, and has facilitated projects in aerospace, agribusiness, defence, education, energy, food processing, infrastructure, manufacturing, skills, and transport and logistics. Darren holds a PhD in Innovation and is on the management committee of the University of New England's SMART Region Incubator (SRI).



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