

Our purpose and values

The purpose of the ANAO is to support accountability and transparency in the Australian Government sector through independent reporting to the Parliament, and thereby contribute to improved public sector performance



Respect Integrity

Excellence

Our strategic priorities



Keeping our purpose at the heart of all we do – better public services and outcomes for Australians

Engaging helpfully with the Parliament – as well as the public sector and Australians – to fulfil our purpose

Using the **right products at the right time** to have the most impact for the Parliament and public sector and manage our resources sustainably

Focusing our efforts where we can make a difference – auditing to risk and influencing frameworks and institutions for enduring change

Performance through innovation

Embed a **culture of trust, collaboration and continuous learning** to spark innovative thinking, drive change and lift performance

Innovate our audit methods, products and processes to deliver risk-informed, efficient and high-quality work

Strengthen our data, technology and digital capabilities for smarter auditing and decision-making

Embrace emerging technology – including AI – while thoughtfully managing risk for responsible and effective adoption

Inspire and develop our people

Develop, empower and inspire **capable**, **curious and adaptable leaders** at all levels of our organisation

Embed a high-performance, inclusive and wellbeing-focused culture where people are recognised as our most important asset

Attract, retain and celebrate diverse talent — and grow our own — by offering meaningful career pathways

Provide opportunities for **learning**, **mobility and experience** across our audit products as well as the public and private sectors

as at 11 July 2025

Our strategic enablers







Relationships and engagement

