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Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

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PROGRAM FOR THE VISIT TO:

WASHINGTON DC, UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

MONDAY 30 JUNE – FRIDAY 4 JULY 2025

This program is current as at **1640, 28 June 2025** and is a guide only. Precise information on meetings and events will be provided in the daily program.

OFFICIAL

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Local Time	Monday 30 June 2025	Canberra Time
1045	Arrive Dallas, United States of America	0145 (1 July)
1500	Depart Dallas on American Airlines flight AA1978	0600 (1 July)
1859	Arrive Washington DC, United States of America	0959 (1 July)
Local Time	Wednesday 2 July 2025	Canberra Time
1730	Depart Washington DC on American Airlines flight AA096	0830 (3 July)
2002	Arrive Los Angeles	1102 (3 July)
2150	Depart Los Angeles on Qantas flight QF0094	1250 (3 July)
Local Time	Friday 4 July 2025	Canberra Time
0645	Arrive Melbourne, Australia	0645
0835	Depart Melbourne on Qantas flight 0675	0835
0925	Arrive Adelaide	0955

PROGRAM

MONDAY 30 JUNE 2025

Local Time	Monday 30 June 2025	Canberra Time
0600	Depart Adelaide	0630
0820	Arrive Sydney	0820
1025	Depart Sydney	1025
1045	Arrive Dallas (4hr 15min layover)	0145+1
1500	Depart Dallas	0500+1
s 47E(d)		
1859	Arrive Washington DC <i>Venue: Reagan National Airport (DCA)</i> <i>Met by:</i> - HE the Hon Dr Kevin Rudd AC, Australian Ambassador to the United States - s 47F(1), Visits Manager	0859+1
1915	<i>Transfer to The Jefferson Hotel</i> <i>1200 16th St NW, Washington DC</i>	0915+1
1945	Arrive at The Jefferson Hotel <i>Met by:</i> - s 47F(1), Hotel Duty Manager - s 47F(1), s 22(1)(a)(ii), Post Visit Coordinator	0945+1
2000	Room service or casual dinner	1000+1

Venue: The Jefferson Hotel / nearby restaurant

End of official engagements

TUESDAY 1 JULY 2025

Local Time	Tuesday 1 July	Canberra Time
0600	Opportunity for exercise <i>Venue: The Jefferson Hotel</i>	2000
<i>s 47E(d)</i>		
0715-0815	Breakfast briefing <i>Venue: Private cellar, The Jefferson Hotel</i> <u>Attendees:</u> - <i>Senator the Hon Penny Wong, Minister for Foreign Affairs</i> - <i>Ambassador Rudd</i> - <i>Dr Anna Oldmeadow, Chief of Staff to the Minister for Foreign Affairs</i> - <i>Ms Taylah Hill, Media Adviser to the Minister for Foreign Affairs</i> - <i>Ms Elly Lawson, Deputy Secretary, Strategic Planning and Coordination Group, DFAT</i> - <i>Mr Jason Robertson, Deputy Head of Mission</i> - <i>Mr Justin Whyatt, Assistant Secretary, Quad and Partnership Branch, DFAT</i> - <i>Ms Celeste Powell, Minister Counsellor (Political)</i> - <i>Mr Ian Gerard, Minister Counsellor (Strategic Communications)</i>	2115-2215

Local Time	Tuesday 1 July	Canberra Time
	- s 47F(1)	
0815-0830	Opportunity to refresh Venue: The Jefferson Hotel	2215-2230
0832	Transfer from hotel to Fairmont	2232
0845-0920 s 47E(d)	Bilateral with Japanese Foreign Minister Iwaya Venue: Marshall Room, Level 3, Fairmont Washington, 2401 M St NW, Washington DC <u>Japanese attendees</u> s 47E(d) - <u>IWAYA</u> Takeshi, Minister for Foreign Affairs - <u>YAMADA</u> Shigeo, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, United States of America - s 47F(1)	2245-2320

Australian attendees:

Local Time	Tuesday 1 July	Canberra Time
	- Minister Wong - Ambassador Rudd - Dr Oldmeadow - Ms Lawson - Mr Robertson - Mr Whyatt - Ms Powell - s 22(1)(a)(ii) , First Secretary (notetaker) - TBC	
	s 47E(d)	
0925	Transfer to Department of State 2201 C Street NW, Washington DC	2325
0930	Arrive Department of State s 47E(d)	2330
0945-0950	Secretary Rubio greets Foreign Ministers of Australia, India and Japan Venue: James Monroe Room, Department of State	2345-2350+1
0950-1000	Quad family photo and press remarks	2350-2400+1

Local Time	Tuesday 1 July	Canberra Time
	<i>Venue: Thomas Jefferson Room, Department of State</i> - s 47E(d)	
1000-1130	Quad Foreign Ministers' Meeting <i>Venue: Benjamin Franklin Room, Department of State</i> <u>Host country attendees:</u> - Secretary of State Marco Rubio - TBC (P+7) <u>Australian attendees:</u> - Minister Wong - Ambassador Rudd - Dr Oldmeadow - Ms Lawson - Mr Robertson - Ms Powell - Mr Whyatt (notetaker) s 22(1)(a)(ii) - Hold room: Ms Hill, s 22(1)(a)(ii) <i>Photographer, AFP</i> <u>Japanese attendees:</u>	2400-0130+1

Local Time	Tuesday 1 July	Canberra Time
	- Minister for Foreign Affairs <u>IWAYA Takeshi</u> - TBC (P+7) <u>Indian attendees:</u> - Minister of External Affairs Dr S. Jaishankar - TBC (P+7)	
1140	Transfer to Embassy of Australia	0140+1
1155-1400	Australia-based business Venue: HOM Office, Embassy s 47E(d)	0155-0400+1
1400	Transfer to Department of State 2201 C Street NW, Washington DC	0400+1
1420	Arrive Department of State s 47E(d)	0420+1
1430-1515	Bilateral meeting with US Secretary of State Marco Rubio Venue: s 47E(d) Conference Room, 7 th Floor, Department of State	0430-0515+1

Local Time	Tuesday 1 July	Canberra Time
	<u>Host country attendees:</u> - Secretary Rubio - TBC (P+6) <u>Australian attendees:</u> - Minister Wong - Ambassador Rudd - Dr Oldmeadow - Ms Lawson - Mr Robertson - Ms Powell - s 22(1)(a)(ii), Counsellor (Political) (notetaker)	
1520	Transfer to HOM Residence 3120 Cleveland Ave NW, Washington DC	0520+1
1535-1600	Australia-based business Venue: HOM Residence	0535-0600+1
1600-1645	Bilateral with Indian External Affairs Minister Jaishankar Venue: HOM Residence <u>Australian attendees:</u> - Minister Wong - Ambassador Rudd - Dr Oldmeadow - Ms Lawson - Ms Powell - Mr Whyatt - s 22(1)(a)(ii) (notetaker)	0600-0645+1

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Indian attendees:

- Dr. Subrahmanyam Jaishankar,
External Affairs Minister of India
- Vinay Mohan Kwatra, Ambassador of
India to the United States

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Hold for evening engagement

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Venue: HOM Residence

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End of official engagements

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WEDNESDAY 2 JULY 2025

Local Time Wednesday 2 July

Canberra Time

s 47E(d)

Local Time	Wednesday 2 July	Canberra Time
0700	Opportunity for exercise <i>Venue: The Jefferson Hotel</i>	2100
0800	Opportunity for breakfast <i>Venue: The Jefferson Hotel</i>	2200

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1040	Transfer to Eisenhower Executive Office Building (EEOB)	2440
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1100-1200	Meeting with Dr Andrew Baker, Deputy National Security Advisor <i>Venue: Room TBC, EEOB</i> <u>Australian attendees:</u> - Minister Wong - Ambassador Rudd - Dr Oldmeadow - Ms Lawson - Mr Robertson - Ms Powell (notetaker)	0100-0200+1
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1335	<i>Transfer to Hotel</i>	0335+1
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Local Time	Wednesday 2 July	Canberra Time
s 47E(d)		
1415	Opportunity to refresh <i>Venue: The Jefferson Hotel</i>	0415+1
1510	<i>Depart for Airport</i>	0510+1
1730	<i>Depart Washington DC for Los Angeles</i>	0730+1
2002	<i>Arrive Los Angeles</i>	1302+1
2150	<i>Depart Los Angeles for Melbourne</i>	1450+1

FRIDAY 4 JULY 2025

Local Time	Friday 4 July	Canberra Time
0645	<i>Arrive Melbourne</i>	0645
0835	<i>Depart Melbourne for Adelaide</i>	0835
0925	<i>Arrive Adelaide</i>	0955