

# Environmental Assessment Basics

## A practical approach to EA Coordination



A full day forum by the Environment Institute of Australia and New Zealand South East Queensland Division



Register now as places are limited!

EVENT DATE: MONDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2016

TIME: 9am to 4pm  
(Registration from 8:45am)

VENUE: Cardno, Level 11,  
515 St Pauls Terrace, Fortitude Valley

COST: \$300 Members  
\$375 Non Members  
\$120 Students/Retired/Unemployed

Managing and coordinating an environmental impact assessment (EIA) is one of the most complex tasks that environmental professionals undertake. In Australia, an EIA for a major project rarely takes less than 2 years, and budgets are in the seven figure range in most cases. The EIA Manager/Co-ordinator must direct large teams of specialists from a range of disparate disciplines, liaise with proponents, manage, interpret and integrate flows of information between specialists, proponents, assessment officers and other regulators, deal with government and community stakeholders, and somehow distil all of that into a coherent and rigorous environmental impact statement. On top of that, the practitioner is usually required to track and maintain budgets and schedules.

For those starting out in environmental practice, or those moving into this complicated and rewarding area, the complexity of the process can be extremely daunting. Two EIA Managers with over 60 years' experience between them, will share with you strategies, tips and techniques for managing and coordinating these studies. With numbers strictly capped at 25, this forum is a great opportunity for you to gain understanding, ask questions and discuss issues. The content will be relevant to EA practitioners from consulting, proponent organisations and regulators.

**Scott Hanna** is Principal / Senior Environmental Advisor of Roberschan Environmental based out of Brisbane, Australia, a role he assumed after retiring from a 34 year career with Hatch Ltd. Until his retirement from Hatch, Scott was Director Australia-Asia, and before this, Director North America, for Hatch's Environmental Services Group. As a senior environmental advisor, Scott has been responsible for providing strategic direction and management on projects requiring environmental and social impact assessments; environmental permits, approvals and licenses; sustainable design in development; community stakeholder and indigenous peoples consultation; and climate-change strategies.

**Claire Gronow** has over 25 years of consulting experience in Australia and overseas and has prepared environmental impact assessments of infrastructure, mining, coastal and tourism development and industrial projects. Claire is a fellow of EIANZ, a certified environmental practitioner (IA Specialist) and was EIANZ's Environmental Practitioner of the Year in 2013. She is currently undertaking a PhD in environmental assessment.

This event is proudly supported  
by our corporate partners:



and event sponsor



# Environmental Assessment Basics

## A practical approach to EA Coordination

REGISTRATION DETAILS: Don't miss out – register today to secure your spot - places are limited!



DATE: **MONDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2016**

Please e-mail your completed registration form to: [seq@eianz.org](mailto:seq@eianz.org) or alternatively Fax 07 5429 8486 |  
Post EIANZ-SEQ, Level 1, Suite 365, 241 Adelaide Street BRISBANE QLD 4000.

You can also book online at [www.eianz.org](http://www.eianz.org) - go to events and South East Queensland.

For further information, please don't hesitate to contact Danielle Bolton on 07 5429 8480.

A tax invoice will be supplied upon receipt of your registration. ABN: 39 364 288 752



EIANZ Member	\$300.00
--------------	----------

Non Member	\$375.00
------------	----------

Student/Pensioner	\$120.00
-------------------	----------

Name			
Title		Organisation	
Phone		Email Address	
Dietary Requirements			

Payment method: Credit Card ☐ Cheque ☐ Govt Order ☐

Credit Card Details:

Diners, Amex, Visa Card and MasterCard (3.5% surcharge on Diners and Amex cards)

Name				CSV	
Card Number					
Type of Card		Expiry Date		Payment Amount	\$

### Cancellation Policy

Full refunds will be given for any cancellations made one week prior to the Forum. Cancellations made less than one week but more than 24 hours prior to the Forum will attract a 50% penalty. Cancellations made less than 24 hours prior to Forum will attract the full 100% attendance fee. Delegates unable to attend are welcome to send an alternative delegate.

☐ Please tick here if you do not wish to be placed on our database for notification of future events.

This session will count as 7 points towards your EIANZ CEnvP Professional Development Log

