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2015 Election of Two (2) Ordinary Members

Candidate Profiles



NAME: Adam Smith

Dr Adam Smith is a committed member and supporter of EIANZ since 2002, a fellow since 2006 and winner of the CENvP of the Year award in 2008. He has participated in several EIANZ leadership roles including Councilor, President, Vice President and Committee Member of the Far North Queensland Division. Adam has been a regular speaker at EIANZ events and annual conferences and has written several papers for the Australasian Journal of Environmental Management. Dr Smith is committed to conservation and sustainable management of the environment supported by the best available science and working in partnership with stakeholders. He has worked in multiple roles in research, consulting, management, not-for-profit and Boards including the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority. His is currently Director of Reef Ecologic Pty Ltd which provides trusted expert advice and training on reef management. He has extensive regulatory, EIA, policy, project, partnership, grant, incident and communication experience in environmental issues and management. Adam has a BSc (Hons) and PhD from UNSW in 1999, an MBA from UQ in 2003 and he is a Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors, Australian Rural Leadership Foundation and EIANZ. He has authored 45 scientific papers and books.



NAME: Carolyn Brumley

I am an environmental scientist" with relevant and broad experience in the environment industry as a researcher, consultant and regulator. I have a PhD in environmental toxicology, 16 years' environmental consulting experience, and 4 years' experience in regulatory (EPA Victoria) and research positions (Canada and New Zealand). I have been a CEnvP with EIANZ since 2005.

I currently lead a national team of risk assessors, with diverse backgrounds in geology, ecotoxicology, toxicology, microbiology, environmental science and engineering. In this role, I have led environmental assessments in the mining, oil and gas, infrastructure, land development, regulatory and waste sectors. Having strong leadership skills, I am currently chair of the global risk assessment technical community at Golder, and have recently been appointed to the Student and Early Career Board Committee of EIANZ. Over the past 6 years I have held voluntary School Council and Steering Committee positions in the education sector.

With strong analytical skills, and an ability to link financial and environmental outcomes, my strengths are in project direction, delivery of technical product and in providing clear communication of technical information. I am an ethical, well-planned thinker; collaborative but decisive, and able to assess and practically implement ideas and strategies.



NAME: Bruce Hegge

Throughout his 25 years of experience as an environmental practitioner Bruce has consistently advocated for sound environmental practice based firmly in science. He established and is presently Co-Managing Director of Western Australia's largest specialist marine environmental consultancy. Bruce has strong networks with environmental professionals across a range of sectors, including: professional associations, government, industry, academia and consultancy. Through these networks he has often taken a leadership role to promote partnering, knowledge sharing and work collaboration.

Bruce has a record of championing high standards of professional practice and is a Past President of the Environmental Consultant's Association (ECA: the professional body representing environmental consultants in Western Australia). A key initiative during his tenure on the ECA Executive was the development of an environmental assessment course which is now the principal training program in Western Australia for consultants and regulators in the application of environmental impact assessment procedures.

Bruce is a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors (GAICD) Course and has substantial board-level experience. He has a demonstrated record of strategic planning, corporate governance and financial management to ensure organisations deliver measureable value to their stakeholders with transparency and integrity. Bruce is a current applicant for CEnvP status.