



Environment Institute
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EIANZ 2022 IMPACT ASSESSMENT SYMPOSIUM

5-6 SEPTEMBER, 2022 | ADELAIDE

PROGRAM

DAY ONE MONDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER, 2022

9.00am - 10.30 am GETTING PROACTIVE IN IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Lachlan Wilkinson | Don Bradman or Chris Martin? Raising expectations through scoping in impact assessment
Greg Barbara | The role of SPREP in supporting environmental assessment in the Pacific
Kirsty Raines | Ecological time-lags: Bridging the gap between science and impact assessment
Daniel Banfai | Assessment of alternatives in impact assessments - Developing an advisory note

10.30am - 11.00am MORNING TEA

11.00am - 12.30pm EMERGING CHALLENGES IN IMPACT ASSESSMENT OF TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE AND RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS

Rachel Vazey | Staged EIS approvals - is this the way forward for undertaking more accurate EIA and to minimize environmental impacts?
Lisa Mitchell | Navigating change, complexity, and conflict to deliver robust impact assessments of large infrastructure projects in NSW
Mark Breitfuss | Assessing the shift to renewables: are current EIA processes up to the challenge?
Ada Zeng | Bringing cumulative impact assessment to the forefront of digital EIA

12.30pm - 1.30pm LUNCH

1.30pm - 3.00pm SEIZING THE OPPORTUNITY - HOW DO WE GET THE BEST OUTCOMES FOR IMPACT ASSESSMENT FROM THE EPBC ACT REVIEW

Workshop session

3.00pm - 3.30pm AFTERNOON TEA

3.30pm - 5.00pm NEW APPROACHES TO IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Kate Symington | A role for planning assessment in disaster waste management
Josephine Barkla | Improving the iterative environmental impact assessment and plant design process
Lochlan Gibson | Advantages of a digital impact assessment for a deep-sea mining project to collect polymetallic nodules on the seabed up to 4.5 km under the sea in a remote area of the Pacific Ocean
Christopher Serrano | Next generation impact assessment - Natural capital and environmental net gain

6.00pm DINNER (pay your own way) Strathmore Hotel, North Terrace

DAY TWO TUESDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER, 2022

9.00am - 10.30am GETTING ON THE FRONT FOOT WITH SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Jane Munday | A sustainability outcomes framework for social impact assessment: learning from the infrastructure and social impact sectors
Rhiannon Jaeger-Michael | The role of social impact Assessment in planning for social change in the Central West-Orana Renewable Energy Zone
Piers Gillespie | How does a social impact assessment process add value and reduce risk for companies and regulators alike? A synthesis of theory and practice
Sherie Coakes | An introduction to the social impact assessment certification

10.30am - 11.00am MORNING TEA

11.00am - 12.30pm EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF EIA

Bryan Jenkins | Methods of assessment and sustainability
Emma Molloy | When regulator and proponent disagree: A case study of cumulative impact assessment and defining proposal boundaries
Jack Krohn | Uncertainty in impact assessment - a gamble or a sure thing?
Tor Hundloe | How can we deal With non- scientific matters In EIA?

12.00pm - 1.00pm LUNCH

1.30pm - 3.00pm CONCURRENT WORKSHOP SESSIONS

Social Impact Assessment Community of Practice reset: Workshop for SIA practioners to relect on progress and the way forward

Developing training courses in impact assessment: From basics to master classes.
What role can EIANZ play?

3.00pm - 3.30pm SYMPOSIUM CLOSE



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