

22 – 24 October 2025 | The Westin Hotel, Perth

EIANZ 2025 | ANNUAL CONFERENCE

WELCOME EVENT | TUESDAY 21 OCTOBER 2025

5:30pm - 7:30pm The Haven Bar at The Westin Hotel, Perth

DAY ONE | WEDNESDAY 22 OCTOBER 2025

8.30am - 8.45am	Welcome to Country and housekeeping		
8.45am - 9.45am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER Professor Fiona Wood AO, FRCS, FRACS		
9.45am - 10.45am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER Professor Josh Byrne PhD AM		
10.45am - 10.50am	EIANZ President Address		
10.50am - 11.15am	MORNING TEA BREAK		
	ROOM ONE: CUMULATIVE AND INDIRECT IMPACTS	ROOM TWO: PROJECT MANAGEMENT, STRATEGIC PLANNING AND TEAM WORK	ROOM THREE: DATA COLLECTION, SHARING AND MANAGEMENT
11.15am - 11.35am	Tamara Al-Hashimi Sound Collaboration: Tackling Cumulative Impacts on Marine Mammals in WA's Offshore Wind Future	Jasmin Bentink Charting Change Together: Collaboration at the Heart of the Southeast Australian Marine Ecosystem Survey	Madeleine Callas eDNA Detection of EPBC-Listed Species: Case Studies, Assay Development and a Threatened Species Detection Matrix
11.35am - 11.55am	Kylie Christian Beyond Project Boundaries: Cumulative and Indirect Impacts in Australian Heritage Assessment	Tim Connell We built a park, together.The story of bunjil nganga	Sam Nelson Implementation of a Common Data Model for Compilation and Sharing of Environmental and Ecological Data
11.55am - 12.15pm	Bryan Jenkins Cumulative impact management of Cockburn Sound using collaborative governance and the need to address system resilience and recovery	Lucy Friend & Brian Singleton It takes a community to repair a wetland	Tracey Woods Living Maps: EMbedded Data Collection and Multispecies Territoriality in a Dynamic Landscape
12.15pm - 12.35pm	Brenton Laslett & Helen O'Neill How collaboration can help mitigate the challenges of undertaking cumulative effects assessment	Jessica Henderson-Wilson and Madi Jones The Journey of a Mitigation Measure - Ensuring Success Through Collaboration	Juliet Seers Practical insights into biodiversity data bias for environmental practitioners
12.35pm - 1.00pm	Panel discussion and questions		
1.00pm - 2.00pm	LUNCH BREAK		
	ROOM ONE: CUMULATIVE AND INDIRECT IMPACTS	ROOM TWO: PROJECT MANAGEMENT, STRATEGIC PLANNING AND TEAM WORK	ROOM THREE: TRUTH TELLING, STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
2.00pm - 2.20pm	Ivan Kwan & Riki Deale From Closure to Consequence: Environmental and Legal Fallout of Decommissioned Mines	Lisa Boulden Using Digital Tools to Enhance and Facilitate Collaboration	Miriam Bell Complexities of First Nations impact assessments in offshore environments
2.20pm - 2.40pm	Bruno Rikli Dieback-Free Gravel - Innovations to address an ongoing challenge	Tim Walker Sympathetic Design and Construct methods for an environmentally and culturally sensitive project	Ashton Betti Working Together: Collaboration on Contamination in Remote Indigenous Communities
2.40pm - 3.00pm	Srishti Raturi Building Resilience Together: A Collaborative Approach to Climate Risk and GHG Emission Reduction	Wayne Window Inland Rail: Collaboration in action on Australia's largest freight infrastructure project	Denise True Challenges to integrating Indigenous Ecological Knowledge in Environmental Impact Assessment
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Panel discussion and questions		
3.30pm - 4.00pm	AFTERNOON TEA BREAK		
4.00pm - 5.00pm	PANEL Collaboration - A regulator's perspective Darren Walsh, WA EPA Chairperson David Gainsford, NSW DPHI Paul Keighley, Federal DCCEEW		
5.00pm - 5.10pm	DAY ONE WRAP UP AND CLOSE		
7.00pm - 10.00pm	NETWORKING AND AWARDS EVENING Rooftop at QT @ QT Perth, level 18/133 Murray St, Perth		

DAY TWO | THURSDAY 23 OCTOBER 2025

9.00am - 10.00am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER Keith Bradby, CEO of Gondwana Link		
10.00am - 10.30am	PANEL Cumulative Impact Assessment Panel Ceidwen Baxter, Rio Tinto Helen O'Neil, RSK International Denise True, ERM Clint Hammond, Perth Airport		
10.30am - 11.00am	MORNING TEA BREAK		
	ROOM ONE: ENERGY	ROOM TWO: PROJECT MANAGEMENT, STRATEGIC PLANNING AND TEAM WORK	ROOM THREE: TRUTH TELLING, STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
11.00am - 11.20am	Yasiru Karunaratne and Justin Scicluna Terminal synergy: Collaborative solutions for complex environmental assessments in Corio Bay	Fiona McKay Shore Power - a collaboration of environment, engineering, community and industry	Alan Chenoweth & Liz Clarke What might 'Truth-telling' look like, for the environment profession?
11.20am -11.40am	Jamie Reilly How a fossil fuel company implemented its Energy Transition Strategy and in doing so is on track to become carbon neutral within a few decades?	Arifa Sarfraz From legacy to leadership: Navigating environmental risk at Australia's oldest university	Ian Clark Envirocare, a digital learning space designed to integrate Indigenous Knowledges and histories into Australian university curricula
11.40am - 12.00pm	Jane Gibbs Sustainability, Changing Behaviour and the Energy Transition	Harriet Thomlinson Nature-based Solutions - Collaborative Working to Achieve Resilience in an Increasingly Vulnerable World	Isabella Gower Reclaiming the Commons: Building Community Through Children's Connection to Land
12.00pm - 12.20pm	Esther Diffey From Listening to Legitimacy: Embedding Trust and Transparency in Community Engagement for Energy Projects		Gillian Lee Risk based environmental noise impact assessment
12.20pm - 12.50pm	Panel discussion and questions		
12.50pm - 2.00pm	LUNCH BREAK		
	ROOM ONE: WATER MANAGEMENT, WATER RISKS, GROUND WATER AND ALLOCATIONS	ROOM TWO: TRUTH TELLING, STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT	
2.00pm - 2.20pm	Sharon McIntosh Collaborative Leadership in Water Management: Shaping Policy for Equity and Regional Resilience	Karen Lamb Participatory Assessment - A preferred IA model to address the engagement crisis	
2.20pm - 2.40pm	Connor Whiteley Reimagining Urban Resilience: Auckland Council's Blue-Green Network Programme	Matthew Walker Shaping conversations: 3D visualisation as a dynamic tool for engagement across project phases	
2.40pm - 3.00pm	Michael Guggenmos Reimagining Mine Water Resilience Through Collaboration, Efficiency, and Shared Stewardship	Tanya Burdett Exploring your collaborative potential in impact assessment and approvals work	
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Panel discussion and questions		
3.30pm - 4.00pm	AFTERNOON TEA BREAK		
4.00pm - 4.45pm	INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP Plastic Inspection via Teddy Bear Dissection - How Emotionally Connected to Plastic are you?		
4.45pm - 5.00pm	DAY TWO WRAP UP AND CLOSE		

FIELD TRIPS | FRIDAY 24 OCTOBER 2025

FIELD TRIP ONE ROTTNEST ISLAND	Field Trip Two Kings Park
The field trip will be a full day trip assembling at Barrack Street Jetty in the Perth CBD from 8:30am. The trip will not return to the Perth CBD until 5:30pm	The field trip will assemble at Kings Park for a tour through the wildflowers and labs within Kings Park. It will begin at 9:00am and will finish at 3:00pm.

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