

LEAP Summit

Legislation, Environmental Approvals and Policy

4 and 5 June 2015

A two day summit focussing on the hurdles and **pathway forward** for environmental legislation, environmental approvals and policy.

Rarely a week goes by without discussions or notifications of a **change** of environmental legislation, policy or approvals strategy. As environmental practitioners, or professionals who work closely with environmental planning, we must **adapt** to these hurdles and provide **ethical, sustainable solutions**. In this forum we will hear from Queensland's leading practitioners in environmental approvals, development and implementation of legislation and policy.



How are lessons past being applied to **improve performance** and enhance environmental outcomes? How can we lead the way for the next generations for **environmentally and economically sustainable solutions** to today's challenges?

This summit is aimed at environmental practitioners from students and early careers through to experienced professionals. It will also appeal to non-environmental practitioners who are exposed to the requirements of environmental planning, approvals and policy fluctuations.



What will you learn?

- Understanding the roles of regulators, proponents, contractors and consultants;
- Negotiation skills (with proponents and the regulator);
- Risk management; and
- Improvements to your environmental auditing.

You will not want to miss this event, so **book in now**. Complete the form attached or book at www.eianz.org, click on Events.



Thursday 4 June 2015

Time	Session	Speaker
<i>Registration</i>		
8.00 – 8.45		
8.45 – 9.00	Welcome and summit opening	Vicki Brady - EIANZ SEQ
9.00 – 9.30	Opening plenary address	Graeme Newton - Crisis Management, Deloitte
9.30 – 10.00	Current developments and focus for Great Barrier Reef policy	Elisa Nichols - Department of Environment and Heritage Protection
10.00 – 10.30	Regulatory reform to enhance efficiency: bilateral assessments and approvals	Deb Callister - Department of the Environment
<i>Morning tea and networking</i>		
10.30 – 11.00		
11.00 – 11.30	Legislation presentation	John Briggs - Ashurst
11.30 – 12.00	The integrated Carmichael Project: lessons learned and opportunities realised	Hamish Manzi - Adani
12.00 – 12.30	A reflection on CSG-LNG approvals. What were the approvals challenges involved with a fast moving essentially new industry and how has it turned out so far?	James MacDermott - Aecom
<i>Networking lunch</i>		
12.30 – 1.30		
1.30 – 3.30	14001:2015 and you: understanding the requirements for auditing and compliance	Paul Lindsay – Compass Assurance
1.30 – 3.30	The essentials of environmental contracting for non-contracting practitioners	Brett Watkins—Madex Group
<i>Afternoon tea and networking</i>		
3.30 – 4.00		
4.00 – 5.00	Streamlining your EA application assessment Workshop	James Mackenzie - Department of Environment and Heritage Protection
5.00 – 5.30	Wrap up and close	Claire Gronow - Ashgrove Environmental
6.30 – 9.30		
<i>Networking event</i>		

Friday 5 June 2015

<i>Registration</i>		
8.00 – 8.45		
8.45 – 9.00	Welcome and summary of Day One	Vicki Brady - EIANZ SEQ
9.00 – 9.30	Plenary address - The Government's way forward	Minister Steven Miles, Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection
9.30 – 10.00	Plenary address - legislation and approvals, is it improving or impacting progress and good environmental outcomes	Michael Roche - QRC
10.00 – 10.30	SARA learnings and future directions	Graeme Bolton - Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning
<i>Morning tea and networking</i>		
10.30 – 11.00		
11.00 – 11.30	Value add: What EHP's regulatory strategy means for environmental consultants	Omar Ameer - Department of Environment and Heritage Protection
11.30 – 12.00	Communicating with Government - what's the message?	Barton Green - Three Plus
12.00 – 12.30	Contaminated land and the role of auditors: implications for land managers and the waste industry	Brad May - Epic Environmental
<i>Networking lunch</i>		
12.30 – 1.30		
1.30 – 3.30	Core Negotiating Skills	Michael Klug AM - Clayton Utz
1.30 – 3.30	Understanding risk profiles for environmental assessments and management	Michael Ryan - Arrow Energy
<i>Afternoon tea and networking</i>		
3.30 – 4.00		
4.00 – 4.30	The future of LEAP in Queensland	Hugh Lavery - AEI
4.30 – 5.00	Wrap up and close	Vicki Brady - EIANZ SEQ
5.00 – 6.00		
<i>Networking Drinks</i>		

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Summit (2 days)

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Non Member \$895

Concession \$345

Summit 1 day

Member one day \$350

Non member one day \$450

If Attending one day, please tick which day

Thursday

Friday

Casual Networking Dinner at Grand Central Hotel, 4 June. 6-9pm

Networking Dinner \$55 (members/non members/concession)



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