

Climate change adaptation information sharing forum

30 September 2010, Canberra

A multi-organisation showcase of experiences, tools, projects and courses from practitioners, policy makers, researchers and educators

Forum aim

The aim of the forum is to share information and update participants on how organisations, communities and regions are adapting to climate change. Participants will learn of experiences and developments underway across many sectors. The Forum will enable you to identify relevant information and players from which you can build better networks and partnerships.

The Forum is specifically addressed at adaptation issues. The forum will not address the causes of climate change, projections of changes, or ways to mitigate climate change.

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Prices - Prices are inclusive of GST

\$125 – Speakers

\$295 – Participants

The Forum will begin at 9am to 4:30pm and will be held at the International Affairs Conference centre in Deakin, ACT.

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9:00	Welcome	
9:15	Real Options for Adaptation to Climate Change Professor Leo Dobes, Crawford School of Economics and Government, ANU	
9:40	Climate change action planning for Local Government Workshop Package: Experiences to date Amy Lovesey, Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Project Officer, Local Government Association of NSW and Shires Association of NSW	
10:05	Economic cost benefit of adaptation for decision makers Michael Nolan, Associate Director – Environment, AECOM	
10:25	Adapting Australia's largest water utility to climate change Jessica Sullivan, Project Manager Climate Change Adaptation , Science & Technology, Sydney Water	
10:45	Break	
11:10	Addressing risk through collaborative action – a local government perspective Steve Wilson, Regional Program Manager Hunter & Central Coast Regional Environmental Management Strategy (HCCREMS)	
11:35	Climate means change! How do we tell our communities? Greg Hunt, Executive officer, South East Councils Climate Change Alliance (SECCCA)	
12:00	Moderated discussion of gaining support for adaptation within organisations Athol Yates, Director, Australian Security Research Centre	
12:30	Break	
1:20	Research and Industry development projects to support adaptation Kate Lorimer-Ward, Leader, Agriculture Climate Change Programs, Division of Primary Industries, Industry & Investment NSW	How the AGIC Sustainability Rating Scheme for Infrastructure is addressing adaptation to climate change David Hood, Australian Green Infrastructure Council
1:45	Changing Priorities - adaptive decision making and scientific uncertainty in a bean counters realm Dr Jennifer Scott, Sustainability Program Leader and Louise Hayward, Sustainability Officer, Ku-ring-gai Council	Contextualising projected change and the merit of adaptation for the NSW Dairy Industry Michael Cashen, Agricultural Climatologist Industry & Investment NSW
2:10	Integrating climate change in Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Guillaume Prudent-Richard, Senior Environmental Scientist, AECOM	Key Barriers and Potential Solutions for Developing Climate Change Adaptation Strategies for Infrastructure Projects Adam Davis, Senior Manager - Sustainability and Climate Change, Manidis Roberts
2:35	Break	
3:00	Natural Ecosystems theme in CSIRO's Climate Adaptation Flagship Dr Trevor H Booth, Theme Leader, Managing Species and Natural Ecosystems, CSIRO Climate Adaptation Flagship	Grazing system adaptation Phil Graham, Technical Specialist, Livestock and Grazing Industry & Investment NSW
3:25	Insights from current Australian climate adaptation projects Dr Bob Webb, Convenor, Adaptation Integration and Projects, ANU Climate Change Institute	The importance of rain forests in the climate change debate Patricia Blazey, Solicitor and Barrister admitted in NSW, ACT, High Court of Australia and PhD Student
3:50	USC's graduates and student: who they are and the work they are now doing in Climate Change Adaptation Associate Professor Shireen Fahey, Program Leader/ Course Coordinator Climate Change, Coasts and Catchments, The University of the Sunshine Coast	Moulamein Cropping Group – Climate Adaption in the Western Murray Valley of NSW John Smith, Barham district agronomist, Industry and Investment NSW, Deniliquin
4:15	Moderated discussion of integrating adaptation within other organisational activities Athol Yates, Director, Australian Security Research Centre	
4:30	Close	

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International Affairs Conference Centre
32 Thesiger Court, Deakin, Canberra, ACT

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