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SOUTH EAST ASIA AUSTRALIA
OFFSHORE & ONSHORE CONFERENCE



18-19 SEPT 2024 | DARWIN CONVENTION CENTRE

DAY ONE | Wednesday 18 September 2024

8:45 **OFFICIAL OPENING | NT Resources Week**

Alexandra Bennet, *Conference Director, Informa Connect*

8:50 **Welcome to Country**

Nicole Brown, *Proud Larrakia Woman*

8:55 **OPENING | Opening remarks from the Chair**

Izzi Messina, *Vice President, Consulting - Growth & Development - APAC, Wood*

9:00 **NORTHERN TERRITORY CHIEF MINISTER ADDRESS**

Following the election an invitation will be extended to the Chief Minister, **Northern Territory Government of Australia**

9:20 **FEDERAL MINISTERIAL ADDRESS**

Hon Madeleine King MP, **Minister for Resources; Minister for Northern Australia**

9:30 **PANEL DISCUSSION | The outlook for the energy transition in Australia**

- New investment in renewables, critical minerals, clean energy supply chain
- A Future Made in Australia, for all Australians
- Traditional Owner Engagement – Achieving successful, respectful partnerships with shared benefits

Alister Trier, *Chairman – Gas Taskforce, Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet, Northern Territory Government*

Erica Lampropoulos, *Executive Director, Pollination Group*

Cameron Garnsworthy, *Managing Director, SunCable*

Darryl Cuzzubbo, *Managing Director and CEO, Arafura Rare Earths Limited*

10:10 **PANEL DISCUSSION | The green premium conundrum**

- Current pressures are creating tension between near-term financial performance and commitments toward a net-zero world
- Where to from here?

Celia Hayes, *Partner – Sustainability and Climate Change, Deloitte*

David Heard, *Executive Counsellor, Energy, Dragoman*

10:35 **FEDERAL SHADOW MINISTERIAL ADDRESS | Securing the Future**

Senator Susan McDonald, **Shadow Minister for Resources; Shadow Minister for Northern Australia**

This concludes our joint Plenary session. Concurrent sessions starting after the refreshment break:

- **SEAAOC**
- **Mining the Territory**
- **NT Clean Energy & Decarbonisation Forum**

10:55 **Networking & refreshment break in the exhibition**

SEAAOC MAIN SESSION COMMENCES

- 11:30 Welcome remarks from the Chair**
Izzi Messina, *Vice President, Consulting- Growth & Development- APAC*, **Wood**
- 11:35 KEYNOTE ADDRESS | Santos**
Vince Santostefano, *Executive Vice President – Western Australia, Northern Australia & Timor Leste*, **Santos**
- 12:05 KEYNOTE ADDRESS | INPEX**
Chris Wilson, *Executive Vice President Operations*, **INPEX Australia**
- 12:35 PANEL DISCUSSION | LNG Outlook & Energy Security**
- Outlook for the Asian Gas market, and competition from the Middle East LNG suppliers
 - Demand for Australia’s energy exports
 - The role of joint co-operation
 - Is Australia doing enough to provide security to our customers abroad?
 - Drilling down - disincentives & incentives – Australia, US and EU
- Mohammad Barzanji, *General Manager – Asset & Decarbonisation*, **Tokyo Gas Australia**
Rick Wilkinson, *Chief Executive Officer*, **EnergyQuest**
Neil Pollock, *Senior Consultant LNG and Marine*, **Poten & Partners**
- 1:05 Networking & Lunch break in the exhibition**
- 2:00 PANEL DISCUSSION | Gas supply concerns in Australia**
- Implications from the recent legal challenges to gas projects in Australia –Impacts for energy supply
 - Regulatory certainty - how does this work for offshore projects? Is the system broken?
 - What needs to be done to build up investor confidence and Australia’s international reputation as a reliable energy partner?
- Samantha McCulloch, *Chief Executive*, **Australian Energy Producers**
Sue McCarrey, *Chief Executive Officer*, **National Offshore Petroleum Safety and Environmental Management Authority**
Thomas Mortimer, *Policy Director*, **AWU**
- 2:30 KEY ADDRESS | How natural gas supports a lower carbon energy future**
Danny Woodall, *Director of Operations*, **Chevron Australia**
- 2:50 The role of smart technology and AI in improving O&M performance**
Adam Cheesman, *Senior Vice President – APAC West*, **Wood**
- 3:10 Networking & refreshment break in the exhibition**
- 3:40 The Beetaloo Basin: A Global Perspective**
Martin Wilkes, *Managing Director*, **RISC**
- 3:55 Leading the large-scale development of the Beetaloo Basin**
Scott Crabtree, *VP Sustainability*, **Tamboran Resources Corporation**
- 4:10 Exploration update**
Alexander Cote, *Head of Australian Operations*, **Daly Waters Energy**
- 4:25 Moving the Beetaloo into Production**
Alex Underwood, *Managing Director*, **Empire Energy**
- 4:40 Q&A**
- 5:00 Closing remarks from the Chair**

5:00 **Networking Drinks in the exhibition halls**

6:30 **NT RESOURCES WEEK GALA DINNER** *Mindil Beach Casino & Resort*
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DAY TWO | Thursday 19 September 2024

- 8:30** Registration & Morning Coffee
- 9:00** **Welcome remarks from the Chair**
Izzi Messina, *Vice President, Consulting - Growth & Development - APAC*, **Wood**
- 9:10** **Energy transition challenges and opportunities in Australia and the Indo-Pacific**
Professor David Close, *Director, Gas & Energy Transition Research Centre*, **University Queensland**
- 9:30** **A Journey to the Western Isle**
Andrew Jefferies, *CEO*, **Echelon**
- 9:45** **The experience of navigating regulatory approvals (Federal, Qld, NT and Vic) for Gas projects supporting the energy transition**
Chris Bignill, *Environmental Approvals Lead*, **ADZ Energy Pty Ltd**
- 10:00** **Central Petroleum's latest plans**
Ross Evans, *Chief Operating Officer*, **Central Petroleum Limited**
- 10:15** **The critical role of gas pipelines in unlocking the potential of the Beetaloo Basin**
Darren Rogers, *Group Executive Energy Solutions*, **APA Group**
- 10:30** **Q&A**
- 10:50** **Networking & refreshment break in the exhibition**
- 11:20** **Session to be advised**
- 11:35** **PANEL DISCUSSION | Domestic east coast gas market shortages**
- The potential to import LNG to Australia's east coast
 - The role of LNG import terminals and new supply
 - The Northern Gas Pipeline
- Nerise Cook, *General Manager Pipelines, Gas Markets*, **Jemena**
Krishan Pal Birda, *VP - Australasia Oil & Gas Research*, **Rystad Energy**
Professor David Close, *Director, Gas & Energy Transition Research Centre*, **University Queensland**
John Gibb, *Research Director, Upstream Oil & Gas, Australasia*, **Wood Mackenzie**
- 12:15** **Top End Energy's plans to explore for natural hydrogen, helium and onshore gas**
Andrew Somoff, *Managing Director*, **Top End Energy**
- 12:30** **Natural Hydrogen opportunities in Australia**
Neil McDonald, *Managing Director, Gold Hydrogen & Chairman*, **Natural Hydrogen Association of Australia**
- 12:45** **Q&A**

- 1:00** **Networking & Lunch break in the exhibition**
- 2:00** **Helium Market Overview, Outlook & Opportunity**
Phil Kornbluth, *President*, **Kornbluth Helium Consulting LLC**
- 2:15** **Successful and Respectful Partnerships - Achieving Shared Benefits and Economic Development**
- Training & job opportunities for First Nations people in the oil/gas sector
Roanna Edwards, *Partner*, **Yamagigu Consulting**
- 2:35** **PANEL DISCUSSION | How do local SMEs, and Traditional Owner businesses tap into the growth projects in the NT?**
- Some of the challenges and successes in being part of the supply chain
Shaun Pearce, *CEO*, **Ironbark Aboriginal Corporation**
Christian Lughan (Gumbaynggirr), *Strategy & Engagement Lead (Aboriginal Business & Organisational Support)*, **Northern Territory Aboriginal Investment Corporation (NTAIC)**
- 3:00** Closing remarks from the Chair & End of Conference
- 4:30** **NT RESOURCES WEEK SUNSET HARBOUR CRUISE**
Departing from Stokes Hill Wharf