

PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY 31 OCTOBER 2018

EIANZ STUDENTS AND EARLY CAREERS CONGRESS

The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability | 2 Balls Head Drive, Waverton NSW 2060

8:45am	REGISTRATION	
9:00am	Welcome and overview of EIANZ	Sophie Cowie MEIANZ Senior Ecologist, Cardno
9:10am	Overview of the Coal Loader	Danielle Birkbeck Coal Loader Representative
	EMERGING PROFESSIONALS Hear from a range of rising professionals who will talk about how they got to where they are, what they do in a day, and their advice for starting a career in the environment industry.	
9:20am	Where can waste take you?	Rebecca Pagnucco NSW EPA Policy Officer, Waste Strategy Unit
9:35am	Maximising your Environmental career	Dan Lim Environmental Scientist, AECOM
9:50am	Pivoting to Environmental Policy	Alex Prideaux Graduate Policy Officer, QLD Dept of Premier and Cabinet
10:05am	Environmental science and bats in New Zealand	Isobel Oldfield MEIANZ Environmental Scientist, Stantec and Bats without Borders
10:20am	Q and A panel with young speakers	
10:30am	MORNING TEA - VEGAN, GF OPTIONS AVAILABLE	
	ENVIRONMENT PROFESSIONALS More experienced environment professionals will share their work experiences, their outlook for the environment sector and opportunities available for students and young professionals.	
11:00am	A Resilient and Sustainable Sydney	Suzanna Remmerswal Sustainability and Resilience Consultant, AECOM
11:20am	"Finding your Voice" in the Environment Sector	Fiona Gainsford FEIANZ Gainsford Consulting
11:40am	Current trends and opportunities in the Waste and Recycling industry	Mike Ritchie Managing Director, MRA Consulting
12:15pm	Indigenous Land Care and Bush Regeneration	David King Land Care
12:35pm	Tackling Marine Pollution - if all we do is clean-up, that's all we'll ever do	Heidi Taylor Co-founder, Managing Director - Tangaroa Blue Foundation
1:00pm	LUNCH - VEGAN, GF OPTIONS AVAILABLE	
	PROFESSIONAL SKILLS DEVELOPMENT Find out how to market yourself to the environmental industry and stand out in a competitive market.	
1:30pm	Networking and how to stand out in the environment sector	Liz Floyd
1:50pm	Graduate programs and what recruiters are looking for	WSP HR Representative
2:10pm	Question time and workshop	
3:00pm	AFTERNOON TEA - VEGAN, GF OPTIONS AVAILABLE	
3:15pm	WALKING TOUR OF BALLS HEAD Hear about the Coal Loader and surrounds from an Indigenous Heritage perspective and a planning and contaminated land perspective.	Karen Smith David Johnson
4:15pm	Close	
4:30pm	Travel to Welcome Drinks	



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