



Environment Institute
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NATIONAL BIODIVERSITY OFFSETS CONFERENCE 2.0

26 - 28 JULY 2022 | CANBERRA

PROGRAM

WELCOME MONDAY 25TH JULY, 2022

5.30 - 7.30pm **WELCOME DRINKS** | Ostani Bar and Restaurant, Hotel Realm

DAY ONE TUESDAY 26TH JULY, 2022

8.00 - 8.30am **REGISTRATION**

8.30 - 9.00am **INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME TO COUNTRY**

9.00 - 9.50am **KEYNOTE** | [PROFESSOR GRAEME SAMUEL AC](#)

10.00 - 10.30am **MORNING TEA**

10.30 - 12.00pm **WHERE TO FROM LAST TIME?** Garry Middle | Vision Environment

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFSETS

Sinclair Britton | City of Gold Coast | [Environmental offsets - a tool for achieving local government conservation goals](#)

Robbie Economos-Shaw & Martin Faldding | Lake Macquarie City Council | [Local government and biodiversity offsets: Transitioning from impact assessment to conservation planning and management](#)

Olivia Williamson | HopgoodGanim Lawyers | Offsets and Setability - environmental offsets in a Queensland local government context

12.00 - 1.00pm **LUNCH**

1.00 - 2.30pm **REGULATORS PANEL DISCUSSION**

Panel to consist of regulators from states, territories and the Commonwealth

2.30 - 3.00pm **AFTERNOON TEA**

3.00 - 4.00pm **EPBC ACT**

DCCEEW | Modernising Offsets

Dr Kylie Galway | DCCEEW & Prof Martine Maron | University of Queensland | [Guidance for identifying and responding to environmental offset scarcity under the EPBC Act 1999](#)

Dr Kylie Galway | DCCEEW & David Barratt | Alluvium | [Evaluation of offset management plans](#)

4.00 - 6.00pm **POSTER AND NETWORKING SESSION**

DAY TWO WEDNESDAY 27TH JULY, 2022

8.30 - 9.20am **KEYNOTE** | [DR KEN HENRY AC](#)

9.20 - 10.00am **ETHICS AND OFFSETS**

Nathaniel Lamb | Ethological Consulting

10.00 - 10.30am **MORNING TEA**

10.30 - 12.00pm **OFFSET FRAMEWORKS**

Dr Jamie Steer | Greater Wellington Regional Council, NZ | [What framework? Or an introduction to biodiversity offsetting in New Zealand](#)

Dr Andrew Warnock | DELWP | [Grassland Management: Ecological Grazing](#)

Jelena May | DWER | [WA environmental offsets framework and Pilbara Environmental Offsets Fund \(PEOF\) implementation](#)

12.00 - 1.00pm **LUNCH**

1.00 - 2.30pm **PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF OFFSET DELIVERY (POLICY)**

Dr Louisa Mamouny | Biodiversity Credits Supply Taskforce | [Supporting the development of a biodiversity market](#)

Justin Williams | NSW Biodiversity Conservation Trust | [Estimating the value of biodiversity credits for the NSW biodiversity offset scheme](#)

Dave Fleming | ARTC Inland Rail | [The Other 90% - Practical Delivery of the Inland Rail Biodiversity Offsets Program in NSW](#)

Dr Meredith Henderson | EcoLogical Australia | [Avoidance before offsets, what does it mean and how can it be done?](#)

2.30 - 3.00pm **AFTERNOON TEA**

3.00 - 4.40pm **CASE EXAMPLES**

Julie Ravallion | Transport for NSW | [TfNSW and the Biodiversity Offset Scheme](#)

Travis Peake | Umwelt | [Is it possible for recognisable and self-sustainable ecological mine rehabilitation to provide a biodiversity offset?](#)

Roger FitzGerald | North Prairie, Land Holder perspective | [Biodiversity stewardship on the family farm](#)

Dr Travis How | EBS Ecology | [Goyder Renewable Energy Project: delivering more than just green power](#)

4.40 - 5.00pm **CLOSE**

7.00 - 11.00pm **CONFERENCE DINNER** | National Arboretum

SPEAKER | THE HON TANYA PLIBERSEK MP

DAY THREE THURSDAY 28TH JULY, 2022

8.30 - 3.30pm **FIELD TRIP AND DCCEEW WORKSHOP**

Molonglo Valley Strategic Assessment offset sites and DCCEEW Workshop to be held at the National Press Club



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All sessions of the conference will run off Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST).