



Environment Institute  
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# WELCOMING OUR NEW FELLOWS

The EIANZ Board is pleased to announce the appointment of four new Fellows. The status of Fellow is recognition of the leading role that a member has played in the environment profession. It is a well-deserved acknowledgement of their professional standing and commitment to ethical practice over an extended period. Congratulations to these worthy recipients!



**CLAUDIA BALDWIN**  
FEIANZ

Prof. Claudia Baldwin has made diverse and significant contributions in environmental management and planning, across a career spanning Commonwealth and Queensland government employment, university leadership in teaching and research, and environmental consulting. She is particularly known for her contributions in collaborative and inclusive approaches to water and natural resource management, disaster risk reduction, coastal planning and management, and climate change. She is equally recognised for innovative methodologies in her research, and consultation with communities.

Claudia has been actively associated with EIANZ since its early years, especially as a Board member, then Associate Editor and book review editor of the Institute's journal, the *Australasian Journal of Environmental Management*, for the past two decades.

As a widely influential thought leader, practitioner and teacher in environmental management, Claudia is a worthy addition to EIANZ's Fellows.



**DUGAL McFARLANE**  
FEIANZ CEnvP

Dugal McFarlane has been an active, committed, and passionate member of the Institute for 21 years predominantly in the ACT. During this time, he has held positions as committee member, National Councillor, Vice-President, and President of the ACT Division.

Dugal has worked tirelessly to run and coordinate events for members, raise the Institute's profile and attract increased membership in the ACT Division through the organisation of numerous events and seminars each year and the development and implementation of a Mentorship Program.

Dugal has also contributed strongly to the Institute-wide initiatives over many years. As National Councillor, Dugal contributed to the Institute's programs such as Learning to Adapt, the Code of Ethics and the development of its new governance arrangements, as well as promoting the Certified Environmental Practitioner Scheme through the vetting of candidates within the ACT. Dugal also took a leadership role as co-convenor of the highly successful National Biodiversity Offsets Conferences held in 2019 and 2022. Dugal is a worthy recipient of EIANZ Fellowship.

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**MARK BREITFUSS**  
FEIANZ CEnvP  
(IMPACT ASSESSMENT)

Dr Mark Breitfuss has through his career demonstrated innovation and leadership in the environment profession. Mark is a highly qualified environmental scientist with a special interest in invertebrates. His work on larval mosquito control in saltmarsh and mangrove systems helped ensure that this activity now gives consideration to its impact on Matters of National Environmental Significance under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999.

He has continued to publish scientific articles with collaborators from Griffith University covering estuarine wetland management and recovery. In the field of environmental impact assessment and project delivery, Mark has demonstrated his capacity for leadership of small and large teams. He has a proven track record in government liaison, negotiation, and strategy development around project approvals and implementation. His experience spans gas, ports, water, electricity, transport, resources, critical minerals and renewables projects. As a Director of Epic Environmental his technical skills and experience are a foundation for the provision of ethical, sound, and sought-after advice on environmental management practice. Mark's capacity for leadership in the environment profession is demonstrated by his engagement with academic institutions and their student cohorts. He is an Adjunct Senior Lecturer at the University of Queensland in the School of Earth and Environmental Studies.

His capacity in this arena is also demonstrated by his active participation in the leadership of the EIANZ and its CEnvP Scheme, AMEC, and QELA. Mark is a senior environmental practitioner of experience and influence and a worthy holder of the status of Fellow in the EIANZ.



**PAUL ANDERSON**  
FEIANZ CEnvP  
(SITE CONTAMINATION)

Paul has worked as independent environmental practitioner since 1993 and formed IMEMS Environmental in 1996. He has over 42 years' experience in general environmental management, cleaner production, eco-efficiency, and waste management across a range of industrial, agri-food, government infrastructure and resources sectors.

Paul is well regarded by Queensland regulators across a range of disciplines. Paul has developed key technical and legislative skills in contaminated land investigations, remediation and reporting, and is suitably qualified under Qld EPA Act 1994 to undertake contaminated land works. Paul has also undertaken wider roles within the areas of water quality assessments, wastewater treatment, waste and hazardous materials assessment, waste management, air quality, auditing and general permitting/approvals across a range of industries.

Paul became an EIANZ member in 1994, a Certified Environmental Practitioner (CEnvP) in 2007, and a CEnvP Site Contamination specialist in 2016. Paul has contributed to the EIANZ's Contaminated Land Special Interest Section and participated in applicant interviews for the CEnvP Scheme's Site Contamination specialist certification.

Paul's professional expertise and his contribution to the Institute and CEnvP Scheme make him a worthy recipient of EIANZ Fellowship.