



Far North Queensland Branch

RESOURCEFUL FNQ 2024 – Friday 7 June, CAIRNS
Minerals and Mining Innovations - Annual Forum and Dinner

PROGRAM

Forum & Trade Show – Crystalbrook Riley, Esplanade Cairns – 8.30am to 4.30pm
Drinks & Dinner – Crystalbrook Riley, Esplanade Cairns – 5.30pm to 9.30pm

Forum Agenda

Session 1 (8.30 – 10.15am) – Local Innovations – Joel Cullen/Mark Smith

8.30 – 8.45 Welcome to Country & Welcome by AusIMM CEO & FNQ Chair

8.45 – 9.00 Speaker 1 – Shona Markham – RioTinto Weipa

9.00 – 9.15 Speaker 2 – Mark Imber - Metro Mining

9.15 – 9.30 Speaker 3 – Ryan MacNeill - Cronimet

9.30 – 10.15 Local Innovation Opportunities and Challenges/Panel Discussion – Guest Speakers & Sponsors

Morning Tea: 10:15 – 10:45am

Session 2 – (10:45 – 12:45pm) – Environment, Social & Governance (ESG) Innovations – Geraldine McGuire/Jami-Lee Larson

10:45 – 11:00am Speaker 4 – Travis Warren – Engeny – Water Topic

11:00 – 11:15am Speaker 5 – Mike Limpus – Ravenswood Gold – Tailings Topic

11:15 – 11:30am Speaker 6 – Robyn Bartlett, Diatrema Resources – Social Licence to Operate

11:30 – 12:45pm ESG Opportunities and Challenges/Panel Discussion – WISER (Women in Sustainable Energy & Resources)

Lunch: 12:45 – 1:45pm

Session 3 – (1:45 – 3:15pm) – Technology & Critical Mineral Innovations – Barry Shean/Bianca Ligasacchi

1:45 – 2:00pm Speaker 7 – Craig Francis – Genex, Pumped Hydro

2:00 – 2:15pm Speaker 8 – Rob Tindall, Silica Resources Australia

2:15 – 2:30pm Speaker 9 - TBC – TBC, Cobalt and/or Rare Earths

2:30 – 3:15pm Technology/Critical Minerals Opportunities and Challenges/Panel Discussion – Guest Speakers & Sponsors

Afternoon Tea: 3:15 – 3:30pm

Session 4 (3.30 – 4.30pm) – Interactive Workshop & Feedback

Opportunities and Challenges – report back from groups

Best Presentation Prize

Drinks & Dinner for members and guests – Crystalbrook, Riley– 5.30 to 9.30pm

Dinner Speaker: Jacinta Redden, CEO Advance Cairns - Advance Cairns Roadmap 2034: A Framework to Strengthen FNQ