

Time	Title	Speaker	Affiliation
8-8.30	<i>Exhibition Open</i>		
8.30-9.00	Big Issues and Ideas in Geosciences Day - Introduction		
9.00-10.30	Smoothing the impact of boom and bust commodity cycles		
	Introduction	Dr Allan Trench	Professor and MBA Director at University of Western Australia Business School; Adjunct Professor Centre for Exploration Targeting, UWA
	Success case study: Building an Australian Gold Company via counter-cyclical investments	Patrick Walta	MD, New Century Zinc
	Industry track record and big picture: How do we grow above the boom and bust cycle mentality?	Prabhav Sharma	Partner, McKinsey & Company
	Innovation management as a means to combat boom/bust cycles	Miriam Stanborough	Group Manager – Productivity & Innovation, Monadelphous Group Ltd
	Audience discussion Q&A		
10.30-11.00	<i>Morning Tea Break</i>		
11.00-12.30	Our energy trilemma options - security, accessibility and sustainability		
	Introduction	Dr Bruce Godfrey	Chair of Energy Forum, Academy of Technology and Engineering
	The transition to clean energy is irreversible	Dr Paul Ebert	Specialist Advisor - New Energy at Advisian and Global Technology Leader at Advisian/Worley Parsons
	Engineering the Subsurface: The future of shale gas, enhanced geothermal and remote mining in the context of a global energy revolution	Doug Hollett	Senior Advisor Energy, Nova Systems
	CCS for Australia - why and how	Dr Noel Simento	MD, ANLEC R&D
	Social licence to operate in a post scientific truth world	Professor Peta Ashworth	Chair Sustainable Energy Futures, School of Chemical Engineering; Affiliate Professor Centre for Coal Seam Gas, and Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Queensland
	Audience discussion Q&A		
12.30-1.30	<i>Lunch</i>		
1.30-3.00	Resource driven development of Northern and Regional Australia		
	Introduction	Dr Richard Blewett	General Manager Mineral Systems Branch, Geoscience Australia
	An Indigenous person's perspective of resources and development	Nyunggai Warren Mundine AO	Chairman & Managing Director, Nyungga Black Group Pty. Ltd.
	The future of Mount Isa and the North West – what it means for Australia	Madam Mayor Joyce McCulloch	Mayor, Mt Isa
	Revitalising Regional Australia through mining and mineral exploration	Warren Pearce	CEO, Association of Mining and Exploration Companies Inc.
	The role of government in supporting resource-driven development.	Dr James Johnson	CEO, Geoscience Australia
	Audience discussion Q&A		
3.00-3.30	<i>Afternoon Tea Break</i>		
3.30-5.00	Geoscience education and new modes of communication		
	Introduction	Professor Iain Stewart	Professor of Geoscience Communication, University of Plymouth
	Selling popular science via broadcast media: challenges with new digital and on-line media landscapes	Aidan Laverty	Manager Science, ABC
	The revolution and future of communicating geoscience	Dr Paul Willis	CEO, Media Engagement Services
	Communicating with the Public - where did we go wrong?	Emeritus Professor Susan Stocklmayer AO	Australian National Centre for the Public Awareness of Science, Australian National University
	Geotourism - interpreting geology for non-specialists	Professor Ross Dowling	Foundation Professor of Tourism, Edith Cowan University
	Audience discussion Q&A		
5.00-5.30	Big Issues and Ideas in Geosciences Day - Synthesis		
5.30-6.30	<i>Posters/Drinks/Exhibition</i>		