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What is Australian Energy Week?

Australian Energy Week has established itself as the leading conference and exhibition for the entire energy value chain, bringing together leaders from generators, transmission & distribution, retailers, renewables & BESS developers, government and large energy users.

If you want to get across what's happening in Australia's energy sector, or meet those shaping it, then this is the place to be.



"If you are limited to only one energy conference in a year - Australian Energy Week is the one!"

Jon Pemberton, Director of Operations, Empower Energy



"You are not going to find a better place to meet with people right across the industry."

Tim Nelson, ex-Chair, National Electricity Market (NEM) Review



"Great networking with industry leaders."

Peter Asimakidis, Enterprise Client Executive - Energy & Utilities, Microsoft



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Agenda at a Glance

Tuesday 9 June

09:00 – 17:00 Conference Masterclasses

Wednesday 10 June

08:30 - 10:30 **Plenary Theatre** | The state of play in energy today

11:00 - 12:30 **Plenary Theatre** | Innovation at the grid edge

13:20 - 16:30 **Content Streams**

**Grid
(Transmission)**

**Retail
Strategies**

BESS

**Renewables
Development**



Insights
Stage

**Machines &
HV Assets**



16:25 - 17:25 **Plenary Theatre** | International Perspectives + Closing Keynote

17:30 Networking drinks on the expo floor

18:30 - 22:00 AEW Event Dinner

M&HV
Event Dinner

Thursday 11 June

07:00 - 08:30 **Women in Energy Breakfast**

09:00 - 10:30 **Plenary Theatre** | Re-imagining the role of the consumer in the energy transition

10:50 - 14:30 **Content Steams**

**Grid
(Distribution)**

**Retail
(CER/DER)**

Batteries

Generation



Insights
Stage

**Machines &
HV Assets**



15:05 - 17:15 **Plenary Theatre** | Supporting renewable and BESS project development + Closing Panel Discussion

Friday 12 June

09:00 - 14:00 **Energy Policy Forum**

"I like coming to Energy Week, because in a single area you get access to all the latest thinking from regulators, utilities and technology vendors."

Cara Graham, Partner, Power and Utilities, EY



3 reasons you need to join us this year

1



The only event spanning the entire energy supply chain

The energy transition can't be delivered in silos. Energy Week brings together leaders from generation, networks, retail, storage, developers, investors, users and government - all under one roof - to accelerate collaboration and deliver real commercial outcomes.

2



Content with clear commercial value

With 100+ sessions across a main stage and eight focused streams, the agenda offers both strategic insight and practical takeaways; helping you find the ideas, case studies and perspectives you need to make better business decisions.

3



Networking designed to deliver meaningful connections

Energy Week is a concentrated gathering of energy professionals where you can meet the people that matter. With more CEOs than any other event, you are guaranteed access to a senior group of energy leaders.

"Australian Energy Week is the premier energy conference in Australia, bringing together the industry's finest minds to discuss the challenges facing the sector."

Jonathan Myrtle, Head of Market Modelling, AEMO



This year, the 8 streamed sessions at Energy Week will cover:

Grid
(Transmission)

1



Optimising major transmission projects to minimise cost and maximise system benefit

Retail Strategies

2



Navigating the shift to flexible demand and customer-side participation

BESS

3



Commercial models, long duration storage, and grid supporting opportunities

Renewables
Development

4



Funding, connections & project approvals - finding ways to build more, faster

Grid
(Distribution)

5



Exploring how DNSPs can solve major grid challenges, with less infrastructure build

Retail CER/DER

6



Driving the energy transition with consumers and unlocking value through participation

Batteries

7



Beyond BESS; how batteries at the grid edge (including VPPs, V2G and home & community batteries) can change the grid

Generation

8



Orchestrating flexibility to manage a highly volatile grid - gas peakers, firming and large users

Speakers Include



Daniel Westerman
Chief Executive Officer
Australian Energy
Market Operator
(AEMO)



Anna Collyer
Chair
Australian Energy
Market Commission
(AEMC)



Adam Watson
Chief Executive Officer
and Managing Director
APA Group



Marc England
Chief Executive Officer
Ausgrid



Simon Emms
Chief Executive
ElectraNet



Anna Brakey
Commissioner
Australian Competition
and Consumer
Commission (ACCC)



Mark Collette
Managing Director
EnergyAustralia



Deidre Willmott
Strategic Advisor,
Global Sustainability
and External Affairs
Fortescue



Daniel Kammen
Bloomberg Distinguished
Professor of Energy and
Climate Justice
Johns Hopkins
University



Krystal Skinner
Chief Executive Officer
Horizon Power



Edward Northam
Global Head of
Macquarie Asset
Management's Green
Investments
Macquarie Group



Tim Nelson
ex Chair
NEM Wholesale Market
Settings Review



Angela Karl
Managing Director
ex Chair
Global Infrastructure
Partners (GIP)/
BlackRock



Chris Miller
Chief Executive Officer
SEC Victoria (State
Electricity Commission
of Victoria)



Maia Schweizer
Chief Transformation
Officer
Snowy Hydro



Nick Carter
Chief Executive Officer,
Akaysha



Sonia Teitel
Co-Managing Director,
Renewables Australia
Octopus Australia



Nigel Barbour
Chief Executive
Orion NZ



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Tasmanian Government



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Minister for Energy and
Resources
Victorian Government

Speakers Include



Alistair Parker
Chief Executive Officer
VicGrid



Stewart Bell
Executive General
Manager Operations
and Planning
Powerlink Queensland



Suzanne Shipp
Chief Engineer
Energy Queensland



Chris Campbell
Executive Director -
Retail Markets
Alinta Energy



Laura Caspari
Chief Renewables
Officer & Managing
Director
ENGIE Australia &
New Zealand



Chris Thompson
Chief Executive Officer
and Founder
Amber Electric



Dennis Freedman
Managing Director ANZ
Aquila Clean Energy



Ryan Warburton
Executive General
Manager, Strategy,
Sustainability &
Enterprise Energy
Solutions
AGL



Katalin Polus
Head of Customer
Marketing
Synergy



Catriona McLeod
Managing Director
European Energy
Australia



Oliver Nunn
Managing Director
Endgame Analytics



Tom Metcalfe
Chief Executive Officer
CleanCo Queensland



Justin Hillier
Chief Commercial
Officer
Essential Energy



Alex Wonhas
Chief Executive Officer
Ampyr Energy



Lisa Chiba
Managing Director
Momentum Energy



Matthijs Guichelaar
Chief Executive Officer
Flo Energy Singapore



Jessica Morris
Chief Customer and
Strategy Officer
SA Power Networks



Steve Phillipson
Head of Digital Products
and Innovation
Western Power



Tarandeep Singh Ahuja
Partner
McKinsey & Company



Shayne Kumar
Head of Energy
NextDC

What's on at Australian Energy Week?



Event dinner

A must attend for all delegates!
Three courses, entertainment and networking.



Exhibition

Engage with potential new suppliers and say "hi" to old friends.



Happy hour networking

After the first day of the main conference and exhibition, enjoy a drink and a laugh in the exhibition hall.



Women in energy breakfast

Join us for breakfast - a fantastic opportunity to connect with fellow professionals in the energy sector while enjoying a dynamic panel discussion on critical energy issues.

This event sold out in 2025, so be sure to register early to secure your spot. Tickets are exclusive to Energy Week attendees and cost \$50, with all proceeds going to support Women & Children First. Don't miss out on this prime networking experience!

"Excellent networking."

Geoffrey Simpson, Nexans

"Good chance to connect with people across the sector."

Anna Starrett, Chief Financial Officer, MGA Thermal

08:15 Welcome Coffee in Expo Hall

08:40 Opening remarks



Daniel Ziffer
Reporter, 'The Business'
ABC News

Assessing the state of play in energy today

08:45 Ministerial address

09:00 **Redrawing the roadmap: How AEMO's 2026 ISP sees the future of generation, storage and transmission**



Daniel Westerman
Chief Executive Officer
Australian Energy Market Operator (AEMO)

09:25 **The \$trillion question: can Australia capitalise on the global energy shift?**

Senior representative
McKinsey & Company

09:45 CEO Panel: **Can policy, innovation, and security align to meet 2030 energy targets?**

Moderator:



Tarandeep Singh Ahuja
Partner
McKinsey & Company

Panellists:



Mark Collette
Managing Director
EnergyAustralia



Adam Watson
Chief Executive Officer
APA Group



Angela Karl
Managing Director
Global Infrastructure Partners (GIP)/BlackRock

10:25 Morning tea in Expo Hall

Innovation at the grid edge - delivering system resilience while building less infrastructure

10:55 **Facing the hard truths of transmission in the energy transition**



Brett Redman
Chief Executive Officer
Transgrid

11:20 Partner Presentation

11:40 Panel discussion: **What new initiatives or technologies can unlock network capacity and improve network utilisation and help deliver more equitable customer outcomes?**

Moderator:



Andrew Dillon
Principal
Dillon Strategic

Panellists:



Suzanne Shipp
Chief Engineer
Energy Queensland



Jacqui Bridge
Executive General Manager
Network Investment
Powerlink Queensland



Lynne Gallagher
Board member
Australian Energy Regulator (AER)



Jason Krstanoski
Executive General
Manager of Network
Transgrid

12:20 Lunch

13:20 - 16:30 **Streamed sessions begin** Choose from one the following streamed sessions, agenda for each on the following page

The next power system - local innovation, global lessons

16:35 **Re-engineering network performance to enable the energy transition – leveraging AI, coordinating emerging loads & integrating DER at scale**



Marc England
Chief Executive Officer
Ausgrid

17:00 **Applying global insights on renewables, BESS and grid stability to transition challenges**



Daniel Kammen
Bloomberg Distinguished Professor of Energy and Climate Justice
Johns Hopkins University

17:25 Closing remarks

17:30 Happy Hour drinks in expo hall

18:30 Energy Week Dinner

Choose from one the following streamed sessions

	Stream #1	Stream #2	Stream #3	Stream #4
	Grid (Transmission)	Retail strategies	BESS	Renewable Development
				
13:20	Opening remarks from Chair Mark Paterson , Principal, Energy Catalyst	Opening remarks from Chair Michael Dart , Energy Consultant & Executive Coach, Luminous Consulting	Opening remarks from Chair Stephanie Moroz , Principal, Davanz	Opening remarks from Chair Richie Merzian , Chief Executive Officer, Clean Energy Investor Group
13:25	Optimising major transmission projects to minimise cost and maximise system benefit - lessons from EnergyConnect Simon Emms , Chief Executive Officer, ElectraNet	Competing in a high-volatility market while managing affordability and customer trust Kate Gibson , Chief Customer Officer, EnergyAustralia	What is the future for BESS in Australia? Exploring longer duration storage and balancing firming v grid services Alex Wonhas , Chief Executive Officer, Ampyr	Building faster: practical ways to unblock Australia's renewable pipeline Dennis Freedman , Managing Director, Aquila Clean Energy
13:50	Rebuilding the grid reliably in a world of energy transition and global supply-chain constraints Jared Jun , Vice President Managing Director Sydney Office, Hyosung	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation	Interesting in taking this session? Contact Tashi Gazzard at tashig@questevents.com.au
14:10	Leading through the "messy middle" of the energy transition to build a resilient post-2030 network Stewart Bell , Executive General Manager Operations and Planning, Powerlink Queensland	Navigating the shift to flexible demand and customer-side participation Matthew van der Linden , Chief Executive Officer, Flow Power	Structuring revenue and commercial models to improve bankability of large-scale batteries Darren Brown , Managing Director, Octopus Australia	Navigating grid connection and transmission delays to facilitate project delivery and meet energy policy settings Tobias Geiger , Managing Director, WestWind Energy
14:35	Afternoon tea			
15:05	Panel discussion: What are the effective pathways to delivering major transmission corridors on time despite social licence, cost escalation and supply-chain pressure? Moderator: Amandine Denis-Ryan , Chief Executive Officer, Institute of Energy Economics & Financial Analysis (IEEFA) Panellists: Alistair Parker , Chief Executive Officer, VicGrid Gloria Chan , Executive Director, Rewiring the Nation, Clean Energy Finance Corporation (CEFC) Gordon Taylor , Executive General Manager Major Projects, Transgrid	Panel discussion: Can AI and data really make energy customers love us? Moderator: Peter Jackowski , Head of Delivery - Consumer Energy Solutions, SEC Victoria (State Electricity Commission of Victoria) Panellists: Evan Giosis , Chief Technology Officer, GloBird Energy Todd Pemberton , GM Retail, Pacific Blue Matthijs Guichelaar , Chief Executive Officer, Flo Energy Singapore	Panel discussion: How should connection challenges and grid-forming inverter requirements be navigated for large scale BESS? Moderator: John Ward , Energy Systems Research Director, CSIRO Panellists: Emma Fagan , General Manager, Policy & Regulatory Affairs, Akaysha Energy Kaavya Jha , Senior Energy Policy Adviser, Tesla	Panel discussion: What needs to be done to get more renewable projects built at pace? Moderator: Amy Kean , Partner, Stride Renewables Panellists: Catriona McLeod , Managing Director, European Energy Australia Werthean Esposito , Chief Executive Officer, Potentia Energy David Moretto , Chief Commercial Officer, AGL
15:45	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation
16:05	Applying intelligent automation/AI to optimise planning, maintenance and real-time grid operations Steve Phillipson , Head of Digital Products and Innovation, Western Power	Redesigning retail models for electrification and evolving household energy ecosystems Katalin Polus , Head of Customer Marketing, Synergy	Enabling state-owned investments to deliver system value and maximise grid resilience Chris Miller , Chief Executive Officer SEC Victoria (State Electricity Commission of Victoria)	Navigating planning, environmental and policy risk to restore investor confidence in renewables Alicia Webb , Victorian Development Lead, HMC Capital
16:30	Closing remarks	Closing remarks	Closing remarks	Closing remarks

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07:00 Women in Energy Breakfast

08:30 Welcome Coffee in Expo Hall

Reimagining the role of the consumer in the energy transition

08:50 Opening remarks

08:55 **Designing a consumer-first energy future: Pricing, DER and trust in the AEMC's reform roadmap**



Anna Collyer
Chair

Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC)

09:20 Partner Presentation

09:40 Panel discussion: **How can consumer engagement be reimagined to build something that works for everyone through the energy transition?**

Moderator:



Michael Dart
Energy Consultant &
Executive Coach
Luminous Consulting

Panellists:



Gerard Brody
Chair
**VIC Essential Services
Commission**



Sally McMahon
Commissioner
**Australian Energy Market
Commission (AEMC)**



Chris Campbell
Executive Director
Retail Markets
Alinta Energy



Fatima Bazzi
Group Executive - Customer
Ausgrid

10:20 Morning tea

10:50 - 14:05 **Streamed sessions begin** Choose from one the following streamed sessions, agenda for each on the following page

14:35 Afternoon tea

Supporting renewable & BESS project development

15:05 Panel discussion: **How can we unlock investment for renewable and storage projects and what are the strategies to reduce development risk?**

Moderator:



Joel Gilmore
General Manager Energy
Policy & Planning
Iberdrola Australia

Panellists:



Monique Miller
Chief Investment Officer
**Clean Energy Finance
Corporation (CEFC)**



Laura Caspari
Chief Renewables Officer
ENGIE



Sonia Teitel
Co-MD, Renewables
Australia
Octopus Australia



Paul Peters
Chief Executive Officer
**Energy Security
Corporation**

15:45 Partner Presentation

16:05 **What needs to change to deploy capital faster into Australia's energy transition – without increasing risk?**



Edward Northam
Global Head of Macquarie
Asset Management's Green
Investments
Macquarie Group

16:30 **Panel discussion: How can Australia's energy transition be accelerated by collaboration across sectors?**

Moderator:



Evie Trolove
Head of Market and
Customer Innovation
Orion NZ

Panellists:



Oliver Nunn
Managing Director
Endgame Analytics



Arron Wood
Chief Executive Officer
Yurringa Energy



Daniel Kammen
Bloomberg Distinguished
Professor of Energy and
Climate Justice
Johns Hopkins University

17:10 Closing remarks

17:15 Close of Energy Week 2026

Choose from one the following streamed sessions

	Stream #5	Stream #6	Stream #7	Stream #8
	Grid (Distribution)	Retail - CER/DER	Batteries	Generation
				
10:50	Opening remarks from Chair Jess Hunt , NEM Regulatory Specialist, Jess Hunt Consulting	Opening remarks from Chair Alex Leemon , Manager, Customer and Energy Markets, PolarBlue	Opening remarks from Chair Rakesh Martyn , Founder and CEO, Hachiko	Opening remarks from Chair Joel Gilmore , General Manager Energy Policy & Planning, Iberdrola Australia
10:55	How Orion (as an EDB in New Zealand) is addressing grid challenges and delivering community benefit Nigel Barbour , Chief Executive, Orion NZ	Empowering consumers to drive the energy transition and unlock value through participation Lisa Chiba , Chief Executive Officer, Momentum Energy	1 year on - how has the Home Batteries Program changed the market? Chris Thompson , Co-Founder, Amber	The right ingredients for delivering new gas powered generation infrastructure Adam Watson , Chief Executive Officer, APA Group
11:20	Orchestrating distribution networks to unlock Australia's energy transition Senior representative, McKinsey & Company	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation
11:40	Designing trust through customer experience in the Distribution System Operator (DSO) transition Jessica Morris , Chief Customer and Strategy Officer, SA Power Networks	Designing products in tension: customer simplicity in a complex energy system Andrea Bernard , EGM Retail, ENGIE	Optimising battery portfolios by balancing merchant and system value to maximise returns Nick Carter , Chief Executive Officer, Akaysha	Integrating generation sources to optimise outcomes - the Exmouth Power Project Krystal Skinner , Chief Executive Officer, Horizon Power
12:05	Lunch			
13:05	Panel discussion: DNSP performance and planning modernisation - how can distribution planning standards, hosting capacity reporting, real-time visibility, and incentives for non-network solutions best be updated? Moderator: Oliver Nunn , Managing Director, Endgame Analytics Panellists: Renate Vogt , General Manager - Regulation, CitiPower and Powercor Eddie Thanavelil , Future Networks Innovation Manager SA Power Networks Danielle Beinart , Executive General Manager, Networks and Technical, Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC) Senior representative, Camlin Senior representative, Siemens	Panel discussion: What are the best ways to integrate distributed energy resources into retail portfolios to enhance flexibility and value? Moderator: Candice Hincksman , Manager Demand & Energy Management, Energy Queensland Panellists: Lisa Chiba , Chief Executive Officer, Momentum Energy David Frankel , Executive General Manager Customer & Community, Horizon Power Ryan Warburton , Executive General Manager, Strategy, Sustainability & Enterprise Energy Solutions, AGL Suzanna Michell , Director of Partnerships, Gentrack	Panel discussion: What's the future of consumer engagement with batteries - VPPs, home batteries and V2G? Moderator: Dominic Adams , Chief Operating Officer, Energy Networks Australia Panellists: Laura Jones , Lead Analyst, Battery Storage and Grid Integration Program, Australian National University (ANU) Isabella Powell , Business Development Manager, Future Networks, Jemena Maya Resnick , Manager, Portfolio Insights, Australian Renewable Energy Agency (ARENA)	Panel discussion: From gas peakers to pumped hydro: is Australia betting on the right firming tools? Moderator: Lewis Shields , Director, Energy Engagement and Facilitation, Vic Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA) Panellists: Dan Nugent , Executive of Transition and Trading, EnergyAustralia Walter Schutte , EGM Customer & Energy Markets, Squadron Energy Damian Edwards , Business Unit Manager, Energy One Maia Schweizer , Chief Transformation Officer, Snowy Hydro Tom Metcalfe , Chief Executive Officer, CleanCo Queensland Richard Hobbs , Partner, Boston Consulting Group (BCG)
13:45	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation	Partner Presentation
14:05	Electrifying the grid with decentralised energy to unlock a cheaper, cleaner and more resilient system Tom Bakker , Head of Future Energy Networks and Markets, Endeavour Energy	Fireside Chat: Are we over-regulating? Would a more streamlined system deliver better outcomes for customers Louisa Kinnear , Chief Executive Officer, Australian Energy Council Gavin Dufty , National Director, Energy Policy and Research, St Vincent de Paul Society	Unlocking flexibility at the edge: will energy storage and really change the grid? Justin Hillier , Chief Commercial Officer, Essential Energy	Driving real zero in mining to reshape global energy, not just polish ESG reports Deidre Willmott , Strategic Advisor, Global Sustainability and External Affairs, Fortescue
14:30	Closing remarks	Closing remarks	Closing remarks	Closing remarks

“ Good allocation of time to networking.”

Kelly Kwan, Independent Pricing & Regulatory Tribunal

“ Great networking with Industry leaders.”

Peter Asimakidis, Microsoft

08:30 Welcome Coffee

08:50 Opening remarks from Chair



Jill Cainey
Founder and Chief Executive Officer
Erne Energy

09:00 Ministerial addresses



Hon Nick Duigan
Minister for Energy and
Renewables
Tasmanian Government



Hon Lily D'Ambrosio
Minister for Energy and
Resources
Victorian Government

Bridging policy intent and market reality across Australia's evolving energy system

09:30 Translating NEM reform into real-world outcomes



Tim Nelson
Chair
NEM Wholesale Market Settings Review

09:55 Aligning retail conduct with competitive and compliance expectations



Anna Brakey
Commissioner
Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC)

10:20 Balancing decarbonisation with reliability and affordability - ensuring the shift to clean energy doesn't compromise power system security or costs for consumers



Tennant Reed
Director - Climate Change and Energy
Australian Industry Group

10:45 Morning tea

Confronting system uncertainty while accelerating reform and electrification

11:15 Confronting stochastic reality in the NEM to avoid planning blind spots



Oliver Nunn
Managing Director
Endgame Economics

11:40 PoweringWA: Enabling large-scale renewable energy projects



Tim Bray
Deputy Director General, PoweringWA
WA Department of Energy and Diversification

12:05 Reforming network tariffs to support electrification without breaking trust



Andrew Dillon
Principal
Dillon Strategic

12:30 Lunch

Getting energy policy right... and facing the consequences of getting it wrong

13:15 How can policy levers be designed to contain the damage from a disorderly coal exit?

Moderator:



Dan Cass
Independent Consultant
Dan Cass & Co

Panellists:



David Leitch
Principal
ITK Services Australia



Bruce Mountain
Professor and Director
of Victoria Energy Policy
Centre
Victoria University



Frank Jotzo
Professor and Director,
Centre for Climate and
Energy Policy
Australian National
University (ANU)

13:55 Closing remarks from Chair

14:00 Close of Energy Policy Forum

“Networking opportunity for all connected to energy.”

Jawad Sayed, Meteocontrol Australia

Tuesday, 9 June | Full-day masterclasses

Choose one area to deep dive and walk away a master of the topic. Be aware that some classes have a maximum number, so please book early. Fuller descriptions, including a detailed breakdown of the content, are available on the conference website.

All sessions run from 0900 - 17:00, with morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided.

A Australian energy industry boot camp

Specifically for professionals new to the energy sector, this workshop will take you through the multiple agencies and major players in the Australian market. Designed for junior to middle managers who may not have experience or qualifications in energy. If you are still figuring out the difference between DR and DER, this workshop is for you.

Facilitator:



David Prins
Director
Etrog Consulting

B Beyond charging: planning, pricing and integrating electric vehicles at scale

Designed for network planners, policymakers, retailers and infrastructure developers grappling with rapid EV uptake, this masterclass moves beyond charging hardware to examine how electric vehicles reshape demand, pricing, networks and customer relationships. Blending system-level analysis with practical implementation insight, the session explores how smart charging, vehicle-to-grid (V2G), tariffs and planning coordination can turn EVs from a network risk into a flexibility and decarbonisation asset. Attendees will gain a clearer view of how to integrate EVs at scale while managing congestion, costs and equity outcomes

Facilitator:



Chang Wang
Research Fellow
Monash University

C DSO Models and Whole-System Coordination - overview of Distribution System Operator (DSO) & Transmission-Distribution Coordination (TDC) models

Perfect for any engineer, planner or network specialist who needs to understand how distribution and transmission roles are evolving in a DER-dominated energy system. This masterclass blends operational detail with strategic insight, showing how DSO models and transmission-distribution coordination can unlock efficiency, optimise investment, and maintain security as decentralisation accelerates. Attendees will examine real-world approaches to network planning, operational alignment, and stakeholder engagement, gaining tools to navigate both technical and regulatory challenges.

Facilitator:



Greg Hannan
Principal Consultant
Hannergrid

D Overcoming technology and operational challenges for Battery Energy Storage Systems

Specifically for engineers and technical specialists responsible for the installation, commissioning and ongoing maintenance of Battery Energy Storage Systems, this masterclass is designed to address the practical challenges of operating BESS assets in the Australian market. It is suited to BESS engineers working at utility-scale or large commercial installations who need to move beyond vendor manuals and understand how batteries actually perform in the field - under regulatory pressure, extreme conditions and evolving grid requirements. If you are grappling with degradation, safety obligations, inverter complexity or changing performance expectations, this masterclass is for you.

Facilitators:



Steve Lilliss
Senior Manager Asset Management
Horizon Power



Claude Morris
National Sector Leader-BESS
GHD



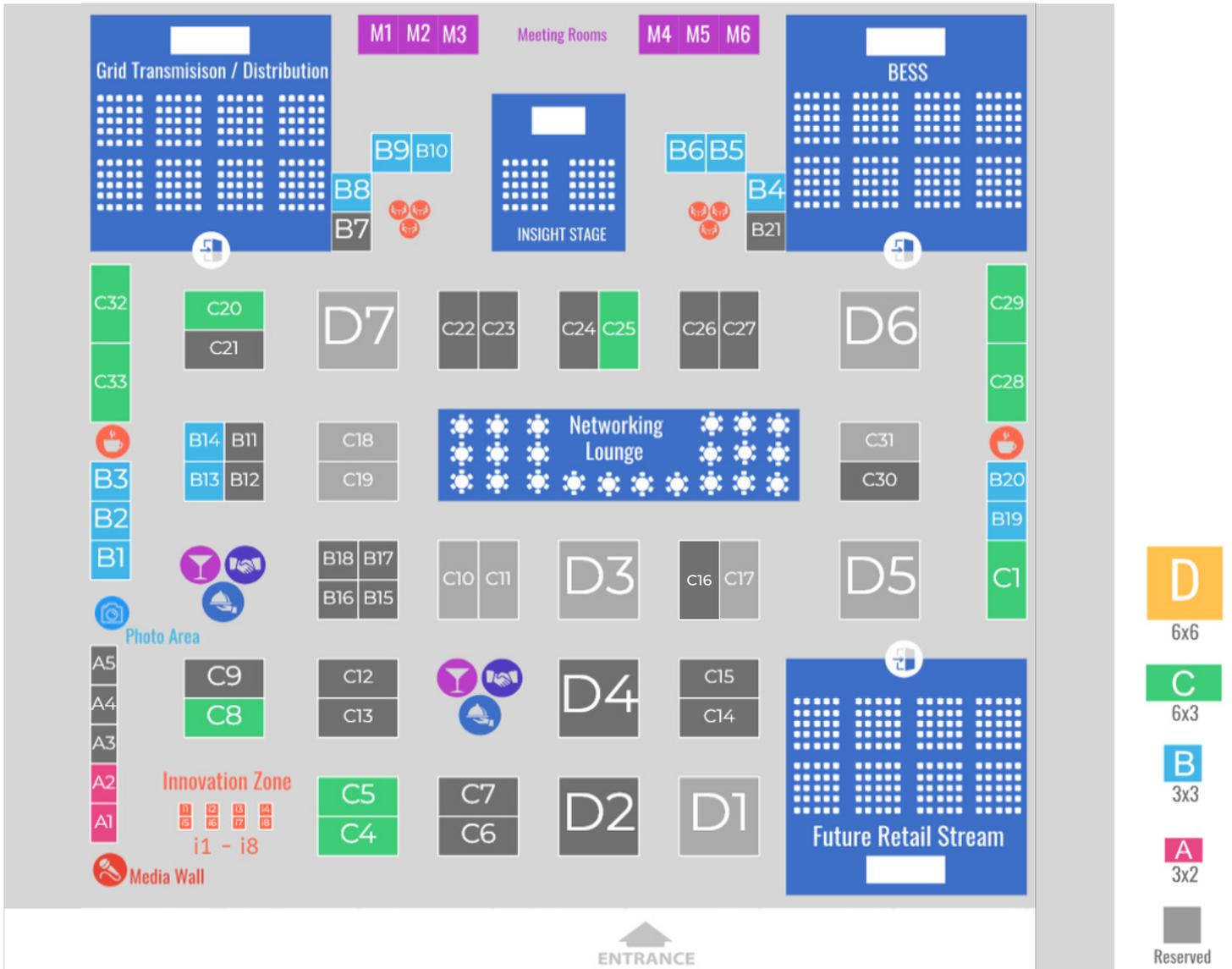
"Masterclass was full of detail."

Mike Wiles, MEGT

"Inspiring and informative."

Kelly Kwan, Independent Pricing & Regulatory Tribunal

Exhibition



Company Name	Stand
Ampacimon	B11
Brave Energy Systems	C15
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Enghouse Interactive APAC	A3
Engian Consulting	C9
Gentrack	D2
Innovior	A4
IPS Energy	C6
Meteocontrol	B17
Nexans	C30
Noja Power Switchgear	B15
NovaTech Automation	C13

Company Name	Stand
NRI Australia	C23
One51 Consulting	B7
Reinhausen Australia	C14
Riskconnect Active Risk	B12
SEW.AI	D4
Siemens	C16
Siemens-Energy	C26 & C27
SmartMeasures	C7
Stemar	B18
Thomassen Australasia	A5
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Registration

<p style="text-align: center;">👍 Best value</p> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Super Early Bird Price Ends 20 March</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9 - 12 June 4 Day Full-event Package</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt;">\$5,395</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: orange;">Save \$800</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">Regular price \$6,195</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Full access to the 2-day main conference sessions ✓ One pre-conference masterclass (Choose between A, B, C or D) ✓ Post-conference Energy Policy Forum Day ✓ All networking sessions <p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Register on or before 20 March SAVE \$800</p> <p>Group Discounts: Groups 4-8 ▶ \$4,586 pp Groups 9-14 ▶ \$4,046 pp Groups 15+ ▶ \$3,507 pp</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">👍 Most popular</p> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Super Early Bird Price Ends 20 March</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9 - 11 or 10 - 12 June 3 Day Package</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt;">\$4,195</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: orange;">Save \$800</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">Regular price \$4,995</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Full access to the 2-day main conference sessions ✓ Choose a masterclass (9 June) or Energy Policy Forum (12 June) ✓ Networking sessions <p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Register on or before 20 March SAVE \$800</p> <p>Group Discounts: Groups 4-8 ▶ \$3,566 pp Groups 9-14 ▶ \$3,146 pp Groups 15+ ▶ \$2,811 pp</p>	<p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Super Early Bird Price Ends 20 March</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10 - 11 June 2-Day package</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt;">\$2,995</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: orange;">Save \$800</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">Regular price \$3,795</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Full access to the 2-day main conference sessions ✓ Networking sessions (10-11 June) <p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Register on or before 20 March SAVE \$800</p> <p>Group Discounts: Groups 4-8 ▶ \$2,546 pp Groups 9-14 ▶ \$2,246 pp Groups 15+ ▶ \$2,007 pp</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">9 or 12 June Pre-Conference Masterclass or Energy Policy Forum only</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt;">\$2,595</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: orange;">Save \$300</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">Regular price \$2,895</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Full access to one pre-conference master class (Choose between A, B, C or D) or Energy Policy Forum <p style="text-align: center; background-color: orange; color: white;">Register on or before 20 March SAVE \$300</p> <p>Group Discounts: Groups 4-8 ▶ \$2,206 pp Groups 9-14 ▶ \$1,946 pp Groups 15+ ▶ \$1,739 pp</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">10 June AEW Conference Dinner</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt;">\$275</p> <p>Only available to those registered for the conference</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">11 June Women in Energy Breakfast*</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt;">\$50</p> <p>Not just for women! Enjoy breakfast, an engaging panel and networking.</p> <p>*Breakfast booking fee donated to Women and Children First</p>

All prices are inclusive of GST

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