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# NSW Resources & Energy Investment Conference 2015

27-28 July 2015 | InterContinental, Sydney



**New South Wales is a major Australian producer of coal, gold, base metals and other mineral products.**

Established in 1993, the biennial NSW Resources & Energy Investment Conference continues to keep industry informed about minerals and petroleum exploration and development, energy, METS and renewables in NSW.

This year's conference will feature the latest information from key government and industry representatives on:

- operation of new policies and procedures for the minerals industry
- exploration initiatives
- energy/renewables
- mining equipment, technology and services
- project development
- investment opportunities

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**MONDAY 27 JULY 2015****SESSION 1: CONFERENCE OPENING**

9.00am Welcome from the Chair  
**Charlie Dowsett Executive Director  
Industry Investment & Export Support  
Division of Resources & Energy**

9.05am Opening and Keynote address  
**The Hon Anthony Roberts MP  
Minister for Industry, Resources and  
Energy**

9.25am Keynote address  
**Kylie Hargreaves  
Deputy Secretary  
Division of Resources & Energy**

9.25am Keynote address  
**Reinhold Schmidt  
Chief Executive Officer  
Yancoal Australia Ltd**

9.55am Q&A

10.15am Morning tea

**SESSION 2: GOVERNMENT**

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10.40am Welcome from the Chair  
**Lucy Flemming, MD & CEO  
Coal Services**

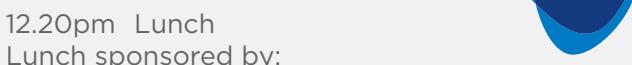
10.50am Government policies, agenda and vision for planning in NSW

11.10am Reforming the regulatory framework  
**Katharine Hole, Executive Director  
Strategy Policy & Coordination  
Division of Resources & Energy**

11.30am Service delivery initiatives  
**Claudia Huertas  
Director Operations & Programs  
Division of Resources & Energy**

11.50am Environmental Data Portal: What is it? Applications for Community and time frames for implementation  
**Seshadri Mysore, Principal Project Manager, Office of Finance & Services**

12.15pm Chair — closing remarks

12.20pm Lunch  
Lunch sponsored by:**SESSION 3: COAL**

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1.35pm Welcome from the Chair  
**Stephen Galilee, Chief Executive Officer  
NSW Minerals Council**

1.40pm Maules Creek - Commissioning a New Tier 1 Coal Mine  
**Paul Flynn, Managing Director and CEO  
Whitehaven Coal**

2.05pm Global Coal Market Outlook  
**Robin Griffin, Research Director Coal Markets, Wood Mackenzie**

2.30pm Increasing the efficiency of the Hunter Valley coal chain  
**Kirsten Molloy, Chief Executive Officer  
Hunter Valley Coal Chain Coordinator (HVCCC)**

2.50pm Making the Hunter Valley more cost competitive — delivering operational efficiencies in a lower coal price environment

3.10pm Chair — closing remarks

3.15pm Afternoon tea

**SESSION 4: GAS**

3.40pm Welcome from the Chair  
**Paul Fennelly Acting CEO, APPEA**

3.45pm NSW Gas Plan  
**Diane Crosdale  
Key Account Manager - Coal Seam Gas  
Division of Resources & Energy**

4.05pm Narrabri Gas Project  
**Peter Mitchley, General Manager NSW Energy, Santos**

4.25pm Strategic outlook and investment pipeline for gas in NSW  
**Tim Nelson Head of Economics, Policy and Sustainability, AGL Energy**

4.45pm Pipeline infrastructure and the potential to supply gas to NSW  
**Steve Davies, National Policy Manager  
Australian Pipeline Industry Association (APIA)**

5.05pm Chair — closing remarks

5.10pm Networking reception

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TUESDAY 28 JULY 2015

## SESSION 1: EXPLORATION

8.30am Welcome from the Chair and Address, 'The value of NSW juniors and the pathway to new discoveries'  
**Dr John Greenfield, Director Geological Survey of NSW, NSW Trade & Investment**

8.50am 'Meet the Explorers' — a series of brief presentations by promising explorers on their NSW projects

- **Tim McKinnon, CEO, Revolution Metals**
- **Geoff Lowe, MD, White Rock Minerals**
- **Bob Besley, Chairman, Silver City Minerals Limited**
- **Peter Williams, CEO, AusTin Mining**
- **John Kaminsky, MD, Rimfire Pacific Mining NL**
- **Dr Ian Pringle, MD, Broken Hill Prospecting**
- **Mick Wilson, MD, Helix Resources**
- **Rob Tyson, MD, Peel Mining**
- **Wayne Taylor, CEO, Heron Resources**

10.20am Roundtable Q&A and discussion

10.40am Morning tea

## SESSION 2: MINERALS

11.10am Welcome from the Chair  
**Bernie Hogan, Regional Manager - Eastern States and NT, Association of Mining and Exploration Companies (AMEC)**

11.15am Aurelia Metals: An emerging high grade multi-commodity mining company  
**Rimas Kairaitis, MD, Aurelia Metals**

11.35am Manuka and Mt Boppy a real platform for growth  
**David Sproule, MD, Black Oak Minerals**

11.55am Status of Tomingley and DZP  
**Ian Chalmers, MD, Alkane Resources**

12.15pm Bauxite prospects in NSW — Tasmanian Experience  
**Ian Levy, Managing Director and CEO Australian Bauxite Limited (ABx)**

12.35pm The Cowal Mine purchase rationale and future direction  
**Aaron Colleran, VP Business Development and Investor Relations Evolution Mining**

12.55pm Chair — closing remarks

1.00pm Lunch

## SESSION 3: METS

1.50pm Opening Remarks by Session Chair  
 Advancement and Competitive Positioning of NSW METS  
**Christine Gibbs Stewart, CEO, Austmine**

2.10pm Coal industry purchasing strategies and METS supplier strategies to become globally competitive  
**Bede Boyle, Chairman Manufacturship Group**

2.30pm Efic business solutions to support small and medium-sized Australian METS exporters  
**Colin George, State Director for SME, NSW & ACT, Export Finance and Insurance Corporation (Efic), and Casey van Loo, Group Contracts & Commercial Manager, Ellton Conveyors**

2.50pm Industry/research collaboration to enable step change in mining practice  
**Alan Broadfoot, Director, Newcastle Institute of Energy and Resources**

3.10pm Chair — closing remarks

3.15pm Afternoon tea

## SESSION 4: RENEWABLES

3.45pm Welcome from the Chair and Address - Future of renewables  
**Kane Thornton Chief Executive Clean Energy Council**

4.05pm Funding opportunities for commercial solar  
**Ian Kay, Chief Financial Officer, Australian Renewable Energy Agency (ARENA)**

4.25pm New finance opportunities for renewables  
**Ted Dow, Chief Investment Officer Clean Energy Finance Corporation (CEFC)**

4.45pm Opportunities for wind energy in NSW  
**Miles George, MD, Infigen Energy**

5.05pm Chair — closing remarks

## SESSION 5: CONFERENCE CLOSE

5.10pm Conference — closing remarks  
**Charlie Dowsett, Executive Director Industry Investment & Export Support Division of Resources & Energy**



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