

THEATRE 5: CIRCULAR SOLUTIONS: OPERATOR DEEP DIVE

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TO ATTEND

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PARTNER



SPEAKERS FOR THIS STREAM INCLUDE:



KAPIL KULKARNI
RPS



KATHARINE HOLE
Australian Battery Recycling Initiative



JOEL ATKINS
Fronius



PETER BRISBANE
Australian Packaging Covenant Organisation



DARREN JOHANNESSEN
Smart Energy Council

DAY 2 THURSDAY 10 APRIL 2025

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10.00AM ADVANCING PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP FOR A SUSTAINABLE RENEWABLE ENERGY FUTURE IN AUSTRALIA
CHAIR: DARREN JOHANNESSEN EXECUTIVE GENERAL MANAGER - SUSTAINABILITY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

DARREN JOHANNESSEN Executive General Manager - Sustainability, Smart Energy Council

KAPIL KULKARNI Director and NSW Lead - Economics, RPS

10.45AM BATTERY RECYCLING: THE STATE OF PLAY
CHAIR: DARREN JOHANNESSEN EXECUTIVE GENERAL MANAGER - SUSTAINABILITY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

KATHARINE HOLE Chief Executive Officer, Australian Battery Recycling Initiative

ZOLTAN SEKULA Product Stewardship Manager, Ecobatt/Eco Cycle

BEN PRITCHARD Manager - Sales & Customer Solutions, Envirostream

DISCUSSION

11.45AM LUNCH BREAK

1.30PM QLD PV SOLAR STEWARDSHIP PILOT: OPERATIONS CASE STUDY - TRYING & LEARNING
CHAIR: ROBYN COWIE, STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM MANAGER, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

KEYNOTE ADDRESS: SHANE FISHER NewLimit

1.45PM LOGISTICS AND COLLECTIONS: EXPLORING DECOMMISSIONING
CHAIR: ROBYN COWIE, STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM MANAGER, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

MICHAEL STEDMAN National Business Manager - Renewables and EV Charging, Rexel

CAZ SAUNDERS Training and Quality Manager, Solar Training Centre / Green Business Audit & Training

SHANE FISHER NewLimit

DISCUSSION

2.25PM TECHNOLOGY SPOTLIGHT: AUSTRALIAN INNOVATIONS
CHAIR: DARREN JOHANNESSEN EXECUTIVE GENERAL MANAGER - SUSTAINABILITY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

JAMES PETESIC PV Industries

DR CHITRA SULKAN Lead Research and Technology, Elecsome

HUGO SILVA Managing Partner, PV Labs

DISCUSSION

3.15PM IT'S MORE THAN PANELS AND BATTERIES - WHAT ABOUT INVERTERS, PALLETS AND PACKAGING?
CHAIR: DARREN JOHANNESSEN EXECUTIVE GENERAL MANAGER - SUSTAINABILITY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

CHLOE ROSE Head of Communications & Marketing, APCO

SHANE FISHER NewLimit

JOEL ATKINS Sales Engineer, Fronius

DISCUSSION

4.20PM DAY WRAP UP

DARREN JOHANNESSEN Executive General Manager - Sustainability, Smart Energy Council

4.30PM CLOSE

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