

Sustainability Assessment Symposium: Progressing Practice in Western Australia

24-25 September, 2008

Maria's on the Terrace, South Terrace, Fremantle

Integral Sustainability invites you to participate in the inaugural Sustainability Assessment Symposium, an interactive forum for sustainability assessment practitioners in Western Australia.

Sustainability assessment in Western Australia

Sustainability Assessment in Western Australia has reached a critical point in its evolution.

Since the early efforts by Government to implement sustainability assessment for complex and strategic projects in accordance with commitments made in the *State Sustainability Strategy*, the focus has shifted to embrace an ever-increasing range of decision-making contexts. Sustainability assessment is now being applied by:

- Infrastructure providers
- Major resource industries
- Land use planners
- Local governments
- The Not for Profit sector
- And many others

While the applications may be varied, many of the lessons learnt and the challenges faced are common to all.

It's time to come together!

Register now!

If you are already a sustainability assessment practitioner or if you are interested in learning how to apply sustainability principles to your decision-making, then you need to be part of the Sustainability Assessment Symposium. We offer you a unique opportunity to:

- Hear from leading Western Australian sustainability assessment practitioners representing a diverse range of industries and sectors
- Learn about emerging tools and techniques for sustainability assessment, such as multi-criteria analysis (MCA), monetization techniques and others
- Share your own sustainability assessment experiences, successes and challenges
- Participate in deliberative sessions focusing on enhancing sustainability assessment practice
- Above all, build supportive professional relationships within a sustainability assessment community committed to working together towards a more sustainable Western Australia

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Programme Information

On-site registration:	8:00-9:00 Wednesday 24 th September
Programme:	9:00-5:00 Wednesday 24 th and Thursday 25 th September
Symposium Sundowner:	5:00-6:30 Wednesday 24 th September
Venue:	<i>Maria's on the Terrace</i> , South Terrace Fremantle (above Pizza Bella Roma), approximately a 5 minute walk from Fremantle Train Station

The Symposium programme will be structured to facilitate collaboration and learning through a combination of formal presentations and interactive sessions in which all delegates will be encouraged to share their views and experiences.

Speakers will include:

- Janine Barrow, SKM
- David Beyer, LandCorp
- Bryce Bunny, DPI
- Lisa Crossing, Strategen
- Cilla de Lacy, Water Corporation
- Ronlyn Duncan, University of Tasmania
- Peter Elliott, URS
- Nicole Hodgson, Murdoch University
- Nick Houldsworth, WorleyParsons
- Des Klass, Curtin University
- Mark Leathersich, Water Corporation
- John Morrell, Western Power
- Angus Morrison-Saunders, Murdoch University
- Sally Paulin, Murdoch University

- Sanela Pilav-Savic, SKM - W2W Alliance
- Jenny Pope, Integral Sustainability
- Caroline Raphael, Murdoch University & City of Fremantle
- Jim Singleton, GHD

Topics will include:

- The evolution of sustainability assessment in Western Australia and internationally
- Strategic sustainability assessment
- Approaches to project sustainability assessment
- Multi-criteria decision analysis: A tool for sustainability assessment
- Alternative tools and approaches
- Focus on people: Social impacts and community engagement
- Sustainability assessment for land planning

Full programme details are available on our website

Registration

Registration is now open. Registration fees are \$540 full and \$340 student (full-time). To register, go to our website www.integral-sustainability.net. When you click on 'Registration page' on the sidebar you will have a choice of registering online or manually by downloading a form and sending it through to the Symposium Secretariat, EECW Pty Ltd. Payment can be made by cheque or credit card.

We are also able to offer a number of FREE places to interested members of the community and NGO representatives, thanks to the generous sponsorship of Water Corporation. Contact Jenny Pope at jenny@integral-sustainability.net for more information.

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