



EVENT PROGRAM

Company Pulse

Thursday 26 September 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm
Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre



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agenda

- 12.00pm Registration
- 12.15pm Welcome
Clint O'Brien
Acting State Director, CEDA
- 12.25pm Research overview
Melinda Cilento
Chief Executive, CEDA
- 12.40pm Lunch
- 1.10pm Speaker address
Andrew Stevens
Chair, Innovation and Science Australia
- 1.25pm Moderated discussion and questions
Moderator: Susan Rallings, Managing Director, Intrinsic Business Solutions and Chair, Griffith Business School Strategic Advisory Board
- Melinda Cilento, Chief Executive, CEDA
 - Andrew Stevens, Chair, Innovation and Science Australia
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- 1.55pm Close
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Griffith Business School is part of Griffith University, a dynamic, innovative and well-respected public university. Our University has more than 50,000 students from 131 countries and is located in South-East Queensland (Brisbane, Logan and the Gold Coast), the fastest growing region in Australia.

Considered one of Australia's leading business educators, Griffith Business School is an accredited member of AACSB International – The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business. AACSB Accreditation is known, worldwide, as the longest standing, most recognised form of professional accreditation an institution and its business programs can earn. In the QS World University Subject Rankings 2017 we received a world Top 10 position (number nine globally and number one in Australia) in Hospitality and Leisure Management. Hospitality and Tourism Management at Griffith rated second in the world in the Shanghai Ranking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2017. Other notable ranking achievements included Politics and International Studies retaining a Top 100 ranking; Sports-related subjects ranking in the Top 100; Business and Management retaining our Top 200 place; and Economics and Econometrics ranked in the Top 300.

We are committed to advancing innovative and socially responsible business education, scholarship and practice in Australia and the Asia region. With Asian studies, government and international relations, public policy and public administration, tourism, sport, event and real estate management in our broad program portfolio, we provide a wide range of undergraduate and postgraduate programs as well as a substantial PhD program.

We are an active partner in the Globally Responsible Leadership Initiative, a signatory to the UN Principles for Responsible Management Education and the UN Global Compact. This engagement demonstrates our strong commitment to sustainable business practices, corporate social responsibility and to developing global citizens through our education programs.

Griffith University has been a member of CEDA since 1995.



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research overview



Melinda Cilento

Chief Executive, CEDA

Twitter: @MelindaCilento

Melinda is a company director, economist and experienced senior executive. She is a non-executive director of Australian Unity and Co-Chair of Reconciliation Australia. Melinda is also a member of the Parliamentary Budget Office panel of expert advisors.

She was previously a Non-Executive Director with Woodside Petroleum, Commissioner with the Productivity Commission and Deputy CEO and Chief Economist with the Business Council of Australia. Melinda has also previously held senior roles with the Federal Department of Treasury, Invesco and the International Monetary Fund.

speaker

Andrew Stevens

Chair, Innovation and Science Australia

Andrew is the Chairman of the Board of Innovation and Science Australia, an independent statutory board with a mandate to provide strategic, whole of government advice on science, research and innovation matters.

He is also Chairman of the Data Standards Body for the Consumer Data Right implementation in Australia. He is a Director of Stockland Group Limited, Thorn Group Limited, the Greater Western Sydney GIANTS and CEDA.

He is a member of the Advisory Executive of the UNSW School of Business, and the Male Champions of Change, a group of CEOs and Directors working to make gender equality a reality.

Andrew is a Fellow Chartered Accountant and graduated from the University of New South Wales with a Bachelor of Commerce majoring in Accounting, Finance and Systems, and a Master of Commerce majoring in Marketing.

Andrew is a member of CEDA Board of Directors.



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moderator



Susan Rallings

Managing Director, Intrinsic Business Solutions and
Chair, Griffith Business School Strategic Advisory Board

Susan is Chair of the Griffith Business School Strategic Advisory Board, for the Griffith Business School and a member of the Strategic Advisory Board for the Yunus Centre, and is an Executive in Residence at the Griffith Business School.

Susan is an alumnus of Griffith University and is a graduate of their inaugural MBA. She is a Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors, and a member of the QIMR Berghofer Council.

Susan has more than 30 years in private enterprise, financial services, tourism, and consulting. She is a former Senior Vice President of a global financial services firm and was a senior financial advisor for nearly 15 years. For several years, she was Regional Director of the UK and Europe for Tourism Queensland based in London. She established and ran a successful consulting and management bureau which she subsequently sold. Susan has held other management positions in several financial services organisations. She started her career as a nurse and medical centre manager in the 1980's.

She has passion for philanthropy and her work in this area has been recognised through several awards including Philanthropist of the Year 2015 for Queensland Community Foundation, and 2013 winner of Australia's CEO Challenge.

She now spends her time providing assistance for social entrepreneurs, enterprises, working with boards and consulting.

corporate tables

CEDA would like to thank the following members for hosting a corporate table at today's event.

Griffith University

PwC Australia

Queensland Urban Utilities

Stanwell Corporation

attendees

Janis Albrecht
Landholder Liaison
New Hope Group

Anna Asimus
Associate Director
PwC Australia

Susan Austin
Senior Membership Advisor,
Queensland
CEDA

Wim Blom
Deals Partner
PwC Australia

Melinda Cilento
Chief Executive Officer
CEDA

Ruth Coulson
Chief Financial Officer
Queensland Urban Utilities

James Coutts
Program Director, Urban
Growth
Sunshine Coast Council

Jo Csik
Commercialisation Manager
Queensland Urban Utilities

Michelle Cull
Public Relations and Media
Manager
Queensland Urban Utilities

Dr Amanda Daly
Program Director
Griffith University

Jodie Duignan-George
Associate Vice Chancellor,
Cairns and Far North
Queensland Region
CQUniversity

Katie Dwyer
Commercial Key Account
Manager
Queensland Urban Utilities

Paul Eagleson
Senior Land and Tenures
Officer
New Hope Group

Prof Chris Fleming
MBA Program Director
Griffith University

Dr Bernard Gan
Senior Lecturer, Department
of International Business and
Asian Studies
Griffith University

Debbie Govier
Social Performance Advisor
Shell Australia

Sam Gray
Senior Accountant
Cooper Reeves

Jenny Gregg
Executive General Manager,
Business Services
Stanwell Corporation

Steve Griffin
Principal Management
Consultant
Apex Management
Consulting

Jordan Groeneveld
Senior Manager, Energetics
Energetics

Gilbert Guaring
Head of Marketing and
Communications, Urban Art
Projects
Griffith University

Ian Hall
Executive Leader,
Commercial Customer
Queensland Urban Utilities

Nate Hentschel
Consultant
PwC Australia

Grant Higgs
Senior Landholder and
Community Coordinator
New Hope Group

Adam Hutchinson
Director
Koolstof Managements

Nicole Johnson
Developer Services Manager
Queensland Urban Utilities

Michelle Jones
Senior Social Consultant
Advisian

Jacqueline Kelly
Non Executive Director
UnitingCare Queensland

Nichole Kelly
Leader Integrated Service
Plan
Queensland Urban Utilities

Rebecca Kelly
Marketing and
Communications Manager
Stanwell Corporation

Jules Knight
Electricity Specialist
BHP

Michael Lane
Director
PwC Australia

Steve Lord
Director
PPB Advisory

Fiona Lowes
Partner
PwC Australia

Peter Lucas
Director
P A Lucas & Co

Ian McGoldrick
Senior Manager, External
Affairs
North Queensland Bulk Ports
Corporation

Stephanie McMahon
General Manager, Strategy
and Engagement
Stanwell Corporation

Rebecca Meacham
Community Liaison
New Hope Group

Aidan Menzies
Research Analyst, Policy
Innovation Hub
Griffith University

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Principal Social Consultant
Advisian

Ruth Moody
Public Affairs Manager,
Queensland
Transurban

Kathleen Norman
Senior Social Performance
Advisor
Shell Australia

Stephanie Oates
Management Consultant
Broad Aperture

Clint O'Brien
Acting State Director,
Queensland
CEDA

James Oliver
Chief Operating Officer
Stanwell Corporation

Greig Partridge
Group Manager, Stanwell
Energy
Stanwell Corporation

Brodie Pigram
Queensland Urban Utilities

Bree Pitcher
Category Management Lead
Stanwell Corporation

Serge Radojevic
Manager of Legal and
Commercial
Idemitsu Australia Resources

Sue Rallings
Chair of the Strategic
Advisory Board
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Owen Rayment
State General Manager,
Telstra Enterprise
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Lauren Roellgen
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Penny Sahinis
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Willbak

David Salazar
Commercialisation Manager
Queensland Urban Utilities

Hayley Schorn
Community Relations Advisor
Brisbane Airport Corporation

Assoc Prof Popi Sotiriadou
Associate Professor of
Tourism, Sport and Hotel
Management
Griffith University

Dr Nancy Spencer
Executive in Residence, Gold
Coast Campus
Griffith University

Andrew Stevens
Chair
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Sarah Stevens
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Process Improvement
Specialist
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Richard Van Breda
Chief Executive Officer
Stanwell Corporation

Jordan Walsh
Local Market Manager,
Brisbane Central
Suncorp Group

Christine Went
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Prof Emer Ken Wiltshire AO
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Wendy Zernike
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Care, Innovation and Quality
Bolton Clarke

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Treasury outlook

DATE Tuesday 1 October 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm **(invitation only)**

SPEAKER Frankie Carroll, Under Treasurer, Queensland Treasury

EVENT OVERVIEW Under Treasurer Frankie Carroll will provide an update on the State's economy and an overview of policy and initiatives critical to Queensland's growth.

CEDA Trustee boardroom briefing hosted by KPMG.

Competition and economic regulation

DATE Wednesday 9 October 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm **(invitation only)**

SPEAKER Professor Flavio Menezes, Chair, Queensland Competition Authority

EVENT OVERVIEW Professor Flavio Menezes will brief CEDA Trustees on the Queensland Competition Authority's current projects and forward work to enable fair access to vital infrastructure and essential services, price efficiency and growth in the Queensland economy

CEDA Trustee boardroom briefing hosting opportunity available.

The neighbourhood

DATE Friday 11 October 2019, 12.00pm to 2.30pm

VENUE Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre, South Bank, Brisbane

SPEAKERS Penny Burt, Chief Executive Officer, Asialink; Professor Caitlin Byrne, Director, Griffith Asia Institute; Rowan Callick OBE, Journalist and Industry Fellow, Griffith Asia Institute; Wen Gu, Chief Executive Officer, Australia China Business Council (ACBC), Queensland; Dr Julia Newton-Howes AM, Chief Executive Officer, Investing in Women; Richard Maude, Deputy Secretary, Indo-Pacific Group, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

EVENT OVERVIEW Hear expert analysis of the rapid change underway in Australia's neighbourhood, our future in it and why the success of Australian business and our national economy depend on understanding it well.

Supported by CEDA member major sponsor Griffith Business School and Trade and Investment Queensland.





Future of Australia's resources sector - Minister Canavan

DATE Monday 28 October 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm

VENUE Sofitel Brisbane Central, Grand Ballroom, 249 Turbot Street, Brisbane

SPEAKER Senator the Hon. Matt Canavan, Federal Minister for Resources and Northern Australia

EVENT OVERVIEW CEDA welcomes Federal Minister for Resources and Northern Australia Senator the Hon. Matt Canavan to present a keynote address, his outlook for the future of Australia's resources sector and what it means for Northern Australia.

Supported by CEDA members major sponsors ABB Australia, Advisian and supporting sponsor Adani. Further sponsorship opportunities available.



Queensland State of the State address 2019 in Brisbane

DATE Wednesday 30 October 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm

VENUE Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre, South Bank, Brisbane

SPEAKERS The Hon. Anastacia Palaszczuk MP, Premier of Queensland and Minister for Trade

EVENT OVERVIEW CEDA welcomes Premier of Queensland, the Hon. Anastacia Palaszczuk to deliver the 2019 State of the State address and her analysis of our State's performance and prospects.

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Integrating digital health services

DATE Thursday 31 October 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm (**invitation only**)

SPEAKER Tim Kelsey, Chief Executive Officer, Australian Digital Health Agency

EVENT OVERVIEW Healthcare is undergoing a technological revolution. Tim Kelsey will provide an update on the Agency's work in improving the adoption, education, infrastructure and awareness of digital health, the uptake of My Health Record and the integration of digital health services across Queensland..

CEDA Trustee boardroom briefing hosted by Nous Group.

Women in Leadership: Ita Buttrose AC OBE

DATE Monday 4 November 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm

VENUE Hilton Brisbane, 190 Elizabeth Street, Brisbane

SPEAKERS Ita Buttrose AC OBE, Chair, Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC) and Professor Carolyn Evans, Vice Chancellor and President, Griffith University

EVENT OVERVIEW CEDA welcomes ABC Chair, Ita Buttrose AC OBE for an important keynote address on trust in Australia's institutions, how media influences public policy and its role in shaping a more equitable society.

Supported by CEDA member major series sponsor Griffith Business School. Further sponsorship opportunities available.



The fourth industrial revolution

DATE Friday 22 November 2019, 12.00pm to 2.00pm **(invitation only)**

SPEAKER Professor Sue Keay, Director of Cyber Physical Systems, Data61, CSIRO

EVENT OVERVIEW We stand on the brink of a technological revolution that will fundamentally alter the way we live, work, and relate to one another. Prof Keay will discuss the impact of this new chapter in human development enabled by technology advances.

CEDA Trustee boardroom briefing hosting opportunity available.

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about CEDA



CEDA is an independent, not-for-profit membership organisation. CEDA identifies policy issues that matter for Australia's future and pursue solutions that deliver better economic, social and environmental outcomes for Australia. CEDA's cross-sector membership spans every state and territory and includes more than 780 of Australia's leading businesses, community organisations, government departments and academic institutions.

Membership

Organisations join CEDA because CEDA delivers exposure to high level thought leadership, timely briefings on issues of economic importance, access to networking and brand reach through sponsorship and hosting opportunities. In addition to high profile public events, CEDA also delivers regular member only events for employees of member organisations and exclusive Trustee only boardroom briefings for senior executives from member organisations. These provide a unique opportunity for peer-to-peer knowledge exchange and for speakers and attendees to talk candidly on issues.

Research and policy

CEDA's only agenda is to pursue good public policy to progress Australia's economic and social development. Since 1960 CEDA has produced more than 3000 publications, research reports and articles highlighting emerging issues and directions in a diverse range of policy areas. Research in 2019 will focus on Australia's long-term budget position, the effects of temporary migration, a survey of Australian businesses on their approach to economic development, and new approaches to addressing entrenched disadvantage.

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