



## ***2024 ATTA Conference***

***“Connecting Training to Industry”***

***Sunday 28 July – Wednesday 31 July 2024***

LAUNCESTON, TASMANIA

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We welcome you to our Pre-Conference Meet and Greet Drinks and Dinner- Sunday, July 28th, 2024, from 5.00 to 9.00 PM at the charming Best Western Plus Launceston. This event is proudly sponsored by our fantastic sponsors.

Day 1 - Monday 29 July 2024	
8:00	<i>Registration and Arrival Tea &amp; Coffee</i>
8:30	“Welcome to Annual Conference” Andy Cusack, ATTA President
8:40	“Official Opening” Francis Richardson, Director on the Board of the Tasmanian Forest and Forest Products Network (TFFPN)
9:30	Presenter 1: <i>Jobs Skills Council- “Skills Insight” Diana McNaughton</i> JSC Overview and Workshop

**10:30 Morning Tea**

11:00	<b>Combined Joint Presentation: Rob Rule, Timber Training Creswick and Diana McNaughton, Skills Insight</b> <b>Concept: Connecting Vocational education as a tool for career and learning pathways</b>  <b>Presenter 2: “Skills Insight” Diana McNaughton - Employer RTO Connections – What can the JSC and ATTA do to support RTO viability and training delivery.</b>
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**12:00 Lunch**

1.00	<b>Presenter 3: Presentation and Discussion: “ForestWorks”</b> Georgiana Daian/Tamara Speldewinde – Current Projects  How can the JSC help ATTA identify and assist to meet priorities and needs  <b>Potential Projects</b>  <b>Q and A session 10 to 15 minutes</b>
1:30	<b>Presenter 4: Arbre Forest Industries – Denise DeBattista</b>
2.00	<b>Presenter 5: Andrew Shea Chair of TAE Training Package</b> Changes to Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2015 <i>Pending updated Standards for RTOs and Providers</i>

**3:00 Afternoon Tea**

3:30	<b>Presenter 5: Andrew Shea Chair of TAE Training Package - Workshop</b>
4:30	<b>Day 1 Workshop Wrap up and Group Photo</b>

**6:30pm**      **Dinner and Refreshments - This event is proudly sponsored by our generous sponsors.**



## Day 2 – Tuesday 30 July 2024

8:30	Arrival Tea & Coffee
8:45	<b>Presenter 7: AFCA: Tasmania Director Lauren Carter</b> What are the real needs of a forestry contractor for training & education now and in the long term and how can RTOs support this best?
9:45	<b>Presenter 8: RAW; Rural Alive and Well – Presenter Lauren Harper – Communications &amp; Engagement Manager</b>

### 10:00 Morning Tea

10:30	Presenter 9 SFM Agribusiness - Plantation Carbon Opportunities in Australia – Presenter Andrew Morgan
11:15	<b>Presenter 10: Alan Paulson – Tairawhiti Timber Training NZ</b> Tree Felling and Jacking

### 12:00 Lunch

12.30	<b>Field Trips</b> Travel to Bridport
1.30	<b>Field Trip 1:</b> <i>Farm Visit – Sam Hall, Drone operations in Ag and Forestry, Bridport (1.30-2.30)</i>
2.30	Travel to Exeter
3.30	<b>Field Trip 2:</b> <i>Beckett's Forestry and Machinery Museum East, Tamar Hwy, Exeter (3.30-4.45)</i>
4:45	Travel back to Venue
5.00	<b>Day 2 Wrap Up</b>

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## Day 3 – Wednesday 31 July 2023

8:30	<b>ATTA Annual General Meeting &amp; General Meeting</b> <i>Discuss 2025 and beyond, marketing, sponsorship, membership increases.</i> <i>ATTA's future – General Discussion</i>
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### 10:00 Morning Tea

10:30	<b>Presenter 11: VETR-Professional Development for Trainers &amp; Assessor; (via Zoom from Vanuatu)</b> <b>Phill Bevan Topic – GPT/AI</b>
11:15	<b>Presenter 12: Protecting yourself in Cyberspace: David Murtagh and Marianne St Clair</b>
11.25	<b>Presenter 13: Delivering Training to very remote Aboriginal communities: Marianne St Clair and David Murtagh</b>

### 12:00 Lunch

12.30	<b>Field Trips</b> Travel to Perth
12.45	<b>Field Trip 3:</b> <b>Sustainable Timber Tasmania. Perth Nursery and Fire Control Centre – Host Mitch Stagg</b>
2.45	Travel back to venue
3:00	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>
3.15:	<b>Presenter 14 Institute for Learning &amp; Performance (ILP) Nicole Hill</b> ILP Overview - <a href="https://ilpasiapacific.com/about-ilp/">https://ilpasiapacific.com/about-ilp/</a> <b>Learning Academy</b> <b>Professional development</b> <b>Insurance Overview</b> <b>Insurance – ATTA – Members</b> <b>QA</b>
4.15 -4.30	<b>Wrap up! Close conference</b>

We would be absolutely thrilled if you could join us for a breakup dinner, the perfect finale to our three-day program. It's a chance to unwind, share stories, and celebrate our time together in a relaxed and welcoming setting. Your presence would truly make the evening complete!

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