



2024 ATTA Conference

“Connecting Training to Industry”

Sunday 28 July – Wednesday 31 July 2024

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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.
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Day 1 - Monday 29 July 2024	
8:00	Registration and Arrival Tea & Coffee
8:30	"Welcome to Annual Conference" Andy Cusack, ATTA President
8:40	"Official Opening" Brendan O'Connor Federal Minister Employment and Training - TBC
9:30	Presenter 1: Jobs Skills Council- "Skills Insight" Michael Hartman/Diana McNaughton JSC Overview Presenter 2: "ForestWorks' Acting Chief Executive Officer – Angela Bell Overview of ForestWorks' operations and projects

10:30 Morning Tea

11:00	Presenter 3: "Skills Insight" Diana McNaughton - Employer RTO Connections – What can the JSC and ATTA do to support RTO viability and training delivery. Combined Joint Presentation: Rob Rule, Timber Training Creswick and Diana McNaughton, Skills Insight
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12:00 Lunch

12:45	Presenter 4: Presentation and Discussion: "ForestWorks" Georgiana Daian: Recap projects 2023 – 2024 Group Discussion - How can the JSC help ATTA identify and assist to meet priorities and needs? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Industry partnerships – Partnership protocols for tree allocation for training. <input type="checkbox"/> Simulator technology (Virtual and Augmented Reality) for chainsaw tree felling training. <input type="checkbox"/> Development of central learning and assessment resources? <input type="checkbox"/> Other
1:45	Presenter 5: Discussion future needs - Andrew Harris Acting Manager Industry Partnerships Skills TAS Workforce development. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Barriers. <input type="checkbox"/> Solutions. <input type="checkbox"/> Training gaps. <input type="checkbox"/> Funding and informing government.
2.15	Presenter 6: Andrew Shea Chair of TAE Training Package Changes to Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2015 Pending updated Standards for RTOs and Providers

3:00 Afternoon Tea

3:30	Presenter 7: "Stihl Presentation"
4:30	Day 1 Workshop Wrap up and Group Photo

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

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Day 2 – Tuesday 30 July 2024

8:30	<i>Arrival Tea & Coffee</i>
8:45	Presenter 8: AFCA: Tasmania Director Lauren Carter 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	Presenter 9: RAW; Rural Alive and Well – Presenter David Milne – Outreach worker

10:00 Morning Tea

10:30	Presenter 10 SFM Forest Products - Carbon credit farming – Presenter Andrew Morgan
11:15	Presenter 11: Alan Paulson – Tairawhiti Timber Training NZ Tree Felling and Jacking

12:00 Lunch

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

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

Day 3 – Wednesday 31 July 2023

8:30	ATTA Annual General Meeting & General Meeting <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	Presenter 12: VETR-Professional Development for Trainers & Assessor; (via Zoom from Vanuatu) Phill Bevan Topic – GPT/AI
11:15	Presenter 13: Protecting yourself in Cyberspace: David Murtagh and Marianne St Clair
11.25	Presenter 14: Delivering Training to very remote Aboriginal communities: Marianne St Clair and David Murtagh

12:00 Lunch

12.30	Field Trips Travel to Perth
12.45	Field Trip 3: Sustainable Timber Tasmania. Perth Nursery and Fire Control Centre – Host Mitch Stagg
2.45	Travel back to venue
3:00	Afternoon Tea
3.15:	Presenter 15: Institute for Learning & Performance (ILP) Nicole Hill ILP Overview - https://ilpasiapacific.com/about-ilp/ Learning Academy Professional development Insurance Overview Insurance – ATTA – Members QA
4.15 -4.30	Wrap up! Close conference

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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