

NATURAL HAZARDS RESEARCH FORUM

BRISBANE, 12–14 OCTOBER 2022

Participate. Engage. Contribute. Be involved.

Program includes presentations, panel discussions and interaction with delegates.

Day 1: Wednesday 12 October 2022

Time	Topic
Boulevard Auditorium	
12:00pm	Registrations open
Introduction and context setting	
1:00pm	<p>Welcome to Country Welcome Dr Katherine Woodthorpe AO, Chair</p> <p>Launch of Natural Hazards Research Australia Senator Murray Watt, Minister for Emergency Management (video)</p> <p>An introduction to Natural Hazards Research Australia Andrew Gissing, CEO</p>
2:00pm	<p>Keynote: Insights for research in disaster risk reduction and resilience Prof Mary O’Kane AC</p>
2:20pm	<p>Keynote: Case study – Cyclone Seroja Melissa Pexton, Deputy Commissioner Strategy and Emergency Management, Department of Fire and Emergency Services WA.</p>
2:40pm	<p>Keynote: Global research priorities Dr Robert Glasser, Australian Strategic Policy Institute (Live videolink)</p>
3:00pm	Afternoon tea – Boulevard Auditorium Foyer
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3:30pm	<p>Driving Change: evidence informed policy and strategy</p> <p>Black Summer/national disaster arrangements Dominique Hogan-Doran, Senior Counsel</p> <p>Fire science Dr Simon Heemstra, Director of National Projects, AFAC</p> <p>Warnings and communications Dr Josh Whittaker, NSW Rural Fire Service Prof Vivienne Tippett, Queensland University of Technology</p> <p>Resilience A/Prof Melissa Parsons, University of New England</p> <p>Partnering with business: Case study Dominic Adams, Energy Networks Australia Stephen Martin, Powerlink Queensland</p> <p>Panel discussion</p>
6:00pm	Reconciliation Action Plan – launch and refreshments

Day 2: Thursday 13 October 2022

International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction

Time	Topic		
Boulevard Auditorium			
8:30am	<p>Sustainable, safe and healthy natural landscapes Turlough Guerin, CEO Landcare Prof David Bowman, University of Tasmania Vanessa Cavanagh, Cultural Fire Management Unit, NSW Dept of Planning, Industry and Environment Oliver Costello, Natural Hazards Research Australia Director Dr Andrew Edwards, Charles Darwin University</p>		
10:00am	Morning tea – Boulevard Auditorium Foyer		
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2:15pm	Afternoon tea – Boulevard Auditorium Foyer		
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2:30pm	<p>Workforces and communities of the future Dr Blythe McLennan, Natural Hazards Research Australia Celeste Young, Victoria University Elly Bird, Resilient Lismore Mara Basonovic, Volunteering Queensland</p>		
4:00pm	<p>Disaster Challenge Final – presentations and refreshments The Disaster Challenge Final will bring the finalists together to pitch their brilliant ideas to an audience of emergency managers and disaster preparedness experts. Here, judges will choose one winner.</p>		

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Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre



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Day 3: Friday 14 October 2022

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Boulevard Auditorium	
8:30am	Resilient communities Community-led recovery Brendan Moon, Queensland Reconstruction Authority Prof Lisa Gibbs, Centre for Disaster Management and Public Safety, University of Melbourne A/Prof Briony Rogers, Fire to Flourish, Monash University A/Prof Michelle Villeneuve, Centre for Disability Research and Policy, University of Sydney Kylie McFarlane, Insurance Council of Australia Panel discussion
10:00am	Morning tea – Boulevard Auditorium Foyer
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10:30am	Managing disaster risk, building disaster resilience Climate scenarios, plausible futures Prof Lauren Rickards, Climate Change Transformations, RMIT University Zoe Robinson, NSW Advocate for Children and Young People Panel discussion Prof Lauren Rickards, Climate Change Transformations, RMIT University Zoe Robinson, NSW Advocate for Children and Young People Mike Wassing, Deputy Commissioner, Queensland Fire and Emergency Services
12:00pm	Wrap up and close Chief Science Officer, Natural Hazards Research Australia

*Agenda subject to change

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