



Regional Research Insights Forum

Intercontinental Adelaide

Tuesday, 12 November 2024

12.00pm	Registrations and networking lunch
12.30pm	Opening address <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Alana Joske, Director Partnerships & Programs, Regional Australia Institute (RAI)
12.35pm	Welcome to Country
12.45pm	Minister's presentation (pre-recorded) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Hon, Kristy McBain MP, Federal Minister for Regional Development, Local Government and the Territories
1.00pm	Regional Australia Institute overview <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Alana Joske, Director Partnerships & Programs, RAI
1.20pm	RAI's research and policy program <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Simon Pryor, Director Research & Policy, RAI
1.30pm	RAI research topic 1: Skilled migration and review of Regional Migration Settings <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Simon Pryor, Director Research & Policy, RAI
1.50pm	Case study/the lived experience: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Joanna Howe, Professor of Law, University of Adelaide
2.10pm	Q&A/discussion
2.25pm	RAI research topic 2: Towards Net Zero – Empowering Regional Communities <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Luke Jeffress, Manager Consulting, RAI
2.45pm	Case study/the lived experience: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Anita Kuss, CEO, Uni Hub Spencer Gulf
3.05pm	Q&A/discussion
3.20pm	Afternoon tea
3.40pm	RAI research topic 3: Circular Economy in Action <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Dr Chao Shi, Senior Researcher, RAI
4.00pm	Case study/the lived experience: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Andrew Taylor, CEO, Regional Circularity Co-Operative (Bega Valley)
4.20pm	Q&A/discussion
4.35pm	Summary and closing
4.40pm	Networking drinks
6.00pm	Event close