






2024 APL Program

MONDAY, 13th MAY 2024	
0800 - 1730	REGISTRATION OPEN
0900-1200	APL Delegates Forum MR 6, 1st Floor
1200	DAY 1 EXHIBITION OPENS
1200 - 1330	LIGHT LUNCH AND EXHIBITION TRADE DISPLAY OPENS - Exhibition Hall, Ground Floor
1330 - 1530	OPENING PLENARY Arena 1B First Floor 
1330 - 1340	Conference Welcome
1340 - 1350	Senator the Hon Murray Watt – Welcome from the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry
1350 - 1450	Bernard Salt AM – Australia and region feeding a greater humanity: how the demographics of agribusiness will flourish in the next decade
1450 - 1540	Melissa Clark-Reynolds, FutureCentre NZ - Drivers of change affecting the food industry
1530 - 1730	*NEW IN 2024 - EXHIBITION HAPPY HOURS – Afternoon tea from 3:30pm, drinks from 4:30pm Partners Welcome (\$20 Entry Fee for non-delegates) 
1730	DAY 1 EXHIBITION CLOSE
1830 - 2200	APL WELCOME DINNER -6:30PM PRE-DINNER DRINKS FOR 7:00PM DINNER Foyer F 

TUESDAY, 14th MAY 2024	
0800 - 1730	REGISTRATION AND EXHIBITION TRADE DISPLAY
0900 - 1030	PIX, AMC and APL Protein Production in a High Inflation Environment Chairs: Adrian Kelly and David Bray Arena 1B, Ground Floor 
0900-0925	Michael Whitehead, ANZ Bank - Protein production in a high inflation market - cause and effect for producers
0925-0950	Dr Steve Lennon, Shanduvan - Energy resources for protein production and where to find them
0950 - 1015	John Makris, Kingston Reid – Safety liability for protein producers - roles and responsibilities
1015 - 1040	Jeppe Søndergaard Pedersen, Denmark – Producing more with less - Reflections from Denmark
1040 - 1115	MORNING TEA - Exhibition Hall, Ground Floor

1115-1230	Prosperity - Future Focus Arena 1A, Ground Floor Session Chair: Andrew Baxter (APL Chair)	
1115-1150	Mark Howden - Climate change and the Australian pork industry	
1150-1230	Trade Council of Denmark in Oceania - The role of sustainability in current market context	
1230 -1400	LUNCH Exhibition Hall, Ground Floor	
1400 - 1530	People - Drivers affecting the food Industry and the Consumer Arena 1A, Ground Floor Session Chair: Andrew Baxter (APL Chair)	
1400-1430	Richard Brett- Ogilvy - The Values of a New Generation: Insights and Observations Driving Change	
1430-1500	Melissa Clark-Reynolds, FutureCentre NZ -Signals from the Future of the Pork Sector	
1500 - 1600	AFTERNOON TEA Exhibition Hall, Ground Floor	
1600 - 1730	Pigs -Welfare, now and into the future Arena 1A, Ground Floor Session Chair: Dawson Bradford (APL Board Member)	
1600-1620	Professor Paul Hemsworth, University of Melbourne- ProHand Pigs: training pig handlers both on-farm and post-farm gate to improve pig welfare	
1620-1640	John Power, CSIRO - Vaccines and future proofing animal production	
1640-1710	Richard Mussell, RSPCA Australia - Pig welfare – now and into the future	
1710-1730	Peta Easey, Department of Primary Industries – A proactive approach to pig welfare	
1750	DAY 2 EXHIBITION & SESSION CLOSE	
1830 - 1900	PRE-DINNER DRINKS Foyer Arena 2	
1900 - 2300	CONFERENCE GALA DINNER - Mad Hatters Party Arena 2	

WEDNESDAY, 15th MAY 2024		
0700 - 0820	FOOD WITH PURPOSE CHARITY BREAKFAST TIACS: a free phone and text counselling service offering mental health support to Australia's blue-collar community. Arena 2	
0830 - 1330	REGISTRATION AND EXHIBITION TRADE DISPLAY	
0900 - 1030	Pigs Global Impacts Arena 1A, Ground Floor Session Chair: Tanya Pittard (APL GM Policy and Industry Relations)	
0900-0920	Caroline Van Der Plas, Farmer-Citizen Movement, Party Leader - Insights into Farmers endurance in Europe	
0920-0940	Abby Kornegay - Animal Agricultural Alliance USA - Safeguarding the Future of Pork: Connect, Engage, Protect	
0940-1000	Ashley Norval, Danbred Denmark - EU Animal welfare updates	
1000 - 1100	MORNING TEA Exhibition Hall, Ground Floor	

1100-1230	Planet Arena 1A, Ground Floor Session Chair: Margo Andrae, (APL CEO)	
1100-1200	David Plant/Maria Crawford/Ben Beckett - Coles Finest Carbon Neutral Pork Journey	
1200-1230	Dr Stephen Wiedemann: Integrity Ag: Lifecycle Assessment	
1230-1330	LUNCH	Exhibition Hall, Ground Floor
1330-1530	PIX CLOSING SESSION with AMC and APL - Biosecurity. EAD risks, plans and experiences Chair: Andrew Walsh (Alex-Kate Langfield) Arena 1B, Ground Floor	
1330-1340	Dr Rob Barwell - Animal Health Australia - Preparing for Australian risks and where to find resources	
1340-1350	David McNab, DAF QLD - Making use of resources in EAD situations	
1350-1400	Dr Rodney Jenner, Rosetta Management Consulting - Our industries' EAD responses in practice	
1400-1410	Dr Kirsty Richards, SunPork Group - Our industries' EAD responses in practice	
1410 – 1420	David Marks- Further considerations from Asian experience with HPAI – vaccine usage	
1420 – 1430	Daniel Parker – Avian Influenza outbreak management	
1430-1515	Discussion and panel hosted by Andrew Walsh (Inghams Enterprises)	
1515-1530	Conference Close	
1530 - 1600	AFTERNOON TEA	Arena 1B Foyer, First Floor
1600-1730	Bump put Exhibition	

