

# Northern Australia Research Engagement Forum

Thursday 12 November 2020, 11:30am ACST, 1pm AEDT

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**Location:** Casuarina Campus, Charles Darwin University

**Room:** Blue 1.1.1 (Main Lecture Theatre)

Time AEDT	Time ACST	Time AEST	Time AWST	Time ACDT	Program	Presenter
1:00pm	11:30am	12:00pm	10:00am	12:30pm	Opening and Welcome to Country	Dr Desiree Beekharry, Bushfire and Natural Hazards CRC
1:05pm	11:35am	12:05pm	10:05am	12:35pm	Introduction and Overview of northern fire research – pre-recording.	Prof. Jeremy Russell-Smith, Charles Darwin University
1:20pm	11:50am	12:20pm	10:20am	12:50pm	Savanna Monitoring and Evaluation Framework (SMERF)	Dr Andrew Edwards, Charles Darwin University
1:40pm	12:10pm	12:40pm	10:40am	1:10pm	Hotspots – Black Summer projects – hotspots and earth observations	Dr Karin Reinke, RMIT (O) Prof. Simon Jones RMIT (O)
<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>12:30pm</b>	<b>1:00pm</b>	<b>11:00pm</b>	<b>1:30pm</b>	<b>Five-minute break</b>	
2:05pm	12:35pm	1:05pm	11:05am	1:35pm	NAFI update on new funding	Dr Peter Jacklyn, Charles Darwin University (O)
2:25pm	12:55pm	1:25pm	11:25pm	1:55pm	Costing natural disasters and assessing cost effective community solutions	Dr Kamaljit Sangha, Charles Darwin University
2:45pm	1:15pm	1:45pm	11:45am	2:15pm	Lessons in effective on ground engagement in emergency management	Dr Bev Sithole, Charles Darwin University Glenn James, North Australian Indigenous Land and Sea Management Alliance
<b>3:05pm</b>	<b>1:35pm</b>	<b>2:05pm</b>	<b>12:05pm</b>	<b>2:35pm</b>	<b>Five-minute break</b>	
3:10pm	1:40pm	2:10pm	12:10pm	2:40pm	Future workforce	Dr Pat Dunlop, Curtin University (O)
3:30pm	2:00pm	2:30pm	12:30pm	3:00pm	CRC update on ending of CRC and opportunities in new funding	Dr Richard Thornton, Bushfire and Natural Hazards CRC (O)
3:40pm	2:10pm	2:40pm	12:40pm	3:10pm	Cultural Land Management	Ricky Archer, North Australian Indigenous Land and Sea Management Alliance
3:55pm	2:25pm	2:55pm	12:55pm	3:25pm	Thank you and End event	Dr Desiree Beekharry Bushfire and Natural Hazards CRC

**Legend:** O – online via zoom

**Program subject to change**