



AGENDA

Research Advisory Forum

Hobart Function and Convention Centre

1 Elizabeth St, Hobart

Main Room Presentations

Day 1 - Wednesday 11 May 2016

Time	Activity / Speaker	Title
9:00 - 10:30am	Registrations and Welcome tea & coffee	
10:30am	Introduction	Dr Michael Rumsewicz, Research Manager Dr Matthew Hayne, Research Utilisation Manager David Bruce, Communication Manager
11:00am	Chris Bearman	Practical decision tools for improved decision-making in complex, time-constrained and multi-team environments
11:30am	Holger Maier	Decision support system for assessment of policy and planning investment options for optimal natural hazard mitigation
12:00pm	Veronique Florec	Economics of natural hazards
12:30pm	Lunch	
1:30pm	Mehmet Ulubasoglu	Pre-disaster multi-hazard damage and economic loss estimation model
2:00pm	Roger Jones	Mapping and understanding bushfire and natural hazard vulnerability and risks at the institutional scale
2:30pm	Lunch break	
2:30pm	Katharine Haynes	An analysis of building losses and human fatalities from natural disasters
3:00pm	Thomas Loridan	Using realistic disaster scenario analysis to understand natural hazard impacts and emergency management requirements
3:30pm	Afternoon tea & coffee	
4:00pm	Tim Neale	Scientific diversity, scientific uncertainty and risk mitigation policy and planning
4:30pm	Michael Eburn	Policies, institutions and governance of natural hazards
5:00pm	Finish for the day	
7:00pm	Dinner - Hobart Function and Convention Centre	



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Day 2 Thursday 12 May 2016

Time	Activity / Speaker	Main Room (Stakeholder presentations)
8:00am	Registrations	
8:30am	Laurie Hammond Richard Thornton	Chair and CEO Briefing
9:00am	Melissa Parsons	The Australian natural disaster resilience index: A system for assessing the resilience of Australian communities to natural hazards
9:30am	Jeremy Russell-Smith	Scoping remote north Australian community resilience and developing governance models through action research
10:00am	Stephen Sutton	Northern Australian Bushfire and Natural Hazard Training
10:30am	Morning tea & coffee	
11:00am	Vivienne Tippett	Connecting communities and resilience: A multi-hazard study of preparedness, response and recovery communications
11:30am	Illy McNeill	Improving the role of hazard communications in increasing residents' preparedness and response planning
12:00pm	Lunch	
1:00pm	Melanie Taylor	Managing Animals in Disasters: Improving preparedness, response, and resilience through individual and organisational collaboration
1:30pm	Kevin Ronan	Child-centred disaster risk reduction
2:00pm	Afternoon tea & coffee	
2:30pm	Josh Whittaker	Out of uniform: building community resilience through non-traditional emergency volunteering
3:00pm	Michael Jones	Improving the retention and engagement of volunteers in emergency service agencies
3:30pm	Close	



Breakout rooms used for Cluster and Project level technical discussions

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11:00am	Communications and Warnings	Sustainable Volunteering	Policy
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12:00pm	Communications and Warnings	Sustainable Volunteering	Policy
12:30pm	Tea & coffee break		
1:30pm	Communications and Warnings	Sustainable Volunteering	Emergency Management Capability
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3:00pm	Afternoon tea & coffee		
3:30pm	Communications and Warnings	Resilience	Scenarios and Loss Modelling
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Day 2 - Thursday 12 May 2016

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8:00am	Registrations		
8:30am	Chair and CEO Briefing - Main room Laurie Hammond Richard Thornton		
9:00am	Economics and Decision Making	Communications and Warnings	Policy
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10:00am	Economics and Decision Making	Communications and Warnings	Policy
10:30am	BREAK		
11:00am	Economics and Decision Making	Resilience	Scenarios and Loss Modelling
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12:00pm	LUNCH		
1:00pm	Economics and Decision Making	Resilience	Scenarios and Loss Modelling
1:30pm	Economics and Decision Making	Resilience	Scenarios and Loss Modelling
2:00pm	BREAK		
2:30pm	Economics and Decision Making	Resilience	
3:00pm	Economics and Decision Making	Resilience	
3:30pm	Close		