



ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE
Conference

Call for Abstracts

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Environmental Compliance Conference

12 – 14 November 2019

Rydges Latimer Square, Christchurch

Join us at the 2019 Environmental Compliance Conference and share in the pool of knowledge we have gathered together for this year's annual event. Discover the most up-to-date practices, tools and techniques for efficient and effective environmental compliance. We'll explore the topic of next generation compliance tools, improving environmental performance, theories, innovations and practical applications in a New Zealand context.

The Environmental Compliance Conference is two full days of practical learning, field trip and/or walking tour, exhibition and workshops from renowned experts, focused on practical and tactical solutions to compliance problems and opportunities in New Zealand.

The 2019 Environmental Compliance Conference will bring together local government officers, to hear the views of experienced peers, exchange ideas, review best practice, learn from case studies and catch up with their colleagues.

The presentation topics will be organised into three streams and attendees will be able to choose which sessions to attend.

Objectives of the Conference:

- Foster the professional development of compliance officers
- Learn about best practice from recognised experts
- Encourage professional debate within the sector
- Address key issues through practical case studies
- Hear the views of key stakeholders

We look forward to seeing you there!



Submit an Abstract

The 2019 Committee invites YOU to submit your abstract TODAY!

With a focus on the latest practices, tools and strategies from leading industry experts, we aim to deliver practical know how and knowledge on how to be more effective, efficient and up to date on Environmental Compliance in NZ.

The 2019 organising committee is calling for abstracts to be presented at the 17th annual conference being held in Christchurch this November.

We are specifically seeking presenters who can discuss:

- Case studies - Investigation and Prosecution - lessons learnt
- Water use rights / water bottling
- Investigations and evidence gathering techniques
- Rural Issues
- Emerging issues
- Environmental education which achieves compliance
- Technology updates

Join us this November at our host city location, Rydges Latimer Christchurch, to hear views from experienced peers, exchange ideas, review best practice and network with other compliance professionals.

Key Information

Environmental Compliance 2019 is two full days of practical learning, including three streams, workshops, Field trip and walking tour options, delivered by local experts focused on practical tactical solutions to compliance problems in NZ.

TOPIC STREAMS

Presentations will be organised into groups / streams depending on the topical themes that emerge. Examples of possible streams include:

Compliance
Enforcement
Incident Response
Pollution Prevention
Health and Safety
Technology

Attendees will be able to choose which sessions they would like to attend, with time allowed to move between streams.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Officers and team leaders from Regional, District and City Councils are invited including:

- Front Line Compliance Officers
- Enforcement Officers
- Incident Response Officers
- Pollution Prevention Officers
- Unitary Authority
- Compliance Managers
- Consent monitoring officers

This conference may also be of interest to planners, resource consent officers and central government.

Key Information Continued

FEES

Your registration includes access to keynote speakers, two days of educational content, workshops, Welcome Function, Gala dinner and the opportunity to sit down one-on-one with some of the leading minds in the compliance world.

Early Bird \$690 +GST - Early Bird rate ends on September 27th 2019

Standard \$790 +GST

Venue capacity is limited so please book early.

FIELD TRIPS

Any associated costs for Field Trips will be confirmed via the Registration process

PROGRAMME

Tuesday 12th November

5.00pm Registration Opens

6.00pm Welcome function

Wednesday 13th November

8.00am Registration

8.30am Keynotes

Breakout Sessions

6.00pm Pre-dinner drinks

6.30pm Gala dinner with guest speaker

Thursday 14th November

9.00am Keynote

10.00am Field Trip and/or Walking Tour and breakout sessions

4.00pm Close of Conference

***times subject to change**

Accommodation

The Environmental Compliance Conference has special rates at the following hotels for Conference delegates. Please see the website for full details:
www.environmentalcomplianceconference.org/accommodation

BREAKFREE ON CASHEL HOTEL

165 Cashel Street, Christchurch
P: 0800 448 891
E: cashel.res@breakfreeresorts.co.nz
www.breakfree.com.au

NOVOTEL CHRISTCHURCH CATHEDRAL SQUARE AND IBIS HOTEL CHRISTCHURCH

52 Cathedral Square, Christchurch
P: +64 3 372 2111
E: h6592-sb2@accor.com
www.accorhotels.com

RENDEZVOUS HOTEL CHRISTCHURCH

166 Gloucester Street, Christchurch
P: +64 3 943 3888
E: reservations.christchurch@rendezvous-hotels.com
www.rendezvous-hotels.com

C MOTEL

323 Cashel St, Christchurch
P: 0800 101 532
E: info@cmotel.co.nz
www.cmotel.co.nz

QUEST CHRISTCHURCH SERVICED APARTMENTS

113 Worcester Street, Christchurch
P: +64 3 222 2003
E: host@questchristchurch.co.nz
www.questapartments.co.nz

RYDGES

30 Latimer Square, Christchurch Central, Christchurch.
P: +64 3 379 6760
E: reservations_rydgeslatimerchristchurch@evt.com
www.rydges.com

Submission Guidelines & Conditions

All abstracts must be submitted by Friday 14 June 2019.

Acceptance or otherwise is at the discretion of the Conference Committee. Submitters will be advised of their acceptance by Friday 5 July 2019.

All Power Point presentations are due by Thursday 24 October 2019.

ACCEPTANCE

- All Speakers must register to attend the Conference. They can either purchase a full registration or a day registration for the day of their presentation. If a presenter wishes to come to the conference for their presentation only, they can register for a presentation only pass. This pass does not include any conference sessions, functions or catering, it will simply be entry for your presentation only.
- Selected presentations/workshops must be presented by the author/s. If the author is unable to present then you must provide a substitute presenter.
- Acceptance of abstracts does not imply any payment from the Conference Committee.
- Speakers must arrange and pay their own accommodation, travel etc. to attend the Conference, unless otherwise stated.

REQUIREMENTS

- Your submission should include an indication of a presentation focus on 'learning outcomes' rather than a 'show and tell' approach.
- Submissions that allow a degree of interactivity with attendees are preferred.
- Accepted presenters will be expected to have good presentation skills.
- Please think carefully about your **abstract title** as this **cannot be changed once accepted**. The title must be no more than 36 characters (inc. spaces); you have the option of including a tagline if you need to expand on your title.
- Abstracts must be no more than 1800 characters due to restrictions when compiling the conference handbook.
- For presentations/workshops that have co-presenters please assign a lead presenter to be responsible for the abstract submission. If co-presenting, please complete the 'co-presenter' section on the submission form and ensure the abstract title is an exact match to what your lead presenter has provided.

[Click here to submit your abstract now](#)

Enquiries

The Compliance Conference has appointed the NZ Planning Institute (NZPI) as the 2019 conference organiser for this event. NZ Planning will be managing the conference. General Enquiries can be made to the following:

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