

2017 Paddock to Plate MINTRAC National Training Conference

29-30 March 2017 – Surfers Paradise QLD

Day 1 – Wednesday 29 March

7.30	Registration opens	
9.00	Conference welcome and opening	
9.05	Keynote address - Roy Duncanson, Agribusiness The Internet of Agribusiness Global	
9.50	Keynote address - David Harland, FINH Succession Crisis in the Agribusiness Industry	
10.20	Meet the exhibitors and sponsors	
10.30	Morning tea	
	Industry stream - Breakout sessions	Training stream - Breakout sessions
11.00	Wendy Denning, Jindalee Feedlot What happens in a feedlot?	Ian Peace, Nolan Meats Pty Ltd Skills requirements of the modern QA Manager
11.30	Garry Edwards, AAM Investment Group Saleyards of the future	Clive Richardson, MINTRAC Setting up a new model of meat inspection training
12.00	Bradley Siddans, Oakey Beef Abattoir Training requirements of a new load out facility	Rachel Murrell, MINTRAC Bringing the Core CDs into the 21 Century
12.30	Lunch	
	Industry stream - Breakout sessions	Training stream - Breakout sessions
1.30	Gary Brown, Rising Teams Employing migrants and refugees	Wendy Hall, Response Consulting Australia <i>Why invest when they just leave?</i> Delivering Higher level vocational qualifications across the Agribusiness sector
2.15	Kerry Johnson, Teys Australia Recruiting senior staff	Robbie Sefton, SEFTONS Meat your Future
3.00	Afternoon tea	
3.30	Day in the Life of..... Industry snapshots -15 minute presentations	
5.00	Close Day 1	
6.30	Pre-dinner drinks	
7.00	Conference dinner <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Awards presentations • Entertainment - Dresscode for the evening 'Hollywood' 	

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Day 2 – Thursday 30 March

8.30	Registrations open	
9.00	Keynote address - Michael Hartman, Skills Impact The new industry advisory structure – 12 months later	
9.30	Keynote address - Rosalie Staggard, Skills Impact The future of Training Packages – what’s on the horizon?	
10.00	Keynote address Australian Rural Leadership Foundation	
10.30	Morning tea	
	Industry stream - Breakout sessions	Training stream - Breakout sessions
11.00	AuctionsPlus Selling stock on-line – the Auctions Plus story	Evan Cooper, Skills Impact The equine Safety and units
11.30	Paul Sandercock, AMIC SA Value adding, Trends (and what's new) for Retail Butchers	Michael Bellstedt, MINUS 40 Clive Richardson and Rachel Murrell MINTRAC Ammonia refrigeration training – the story
12.00	Goat Industry Council of Australia Goats – the hidden gem	Wayne Herrod, F S Alliance + AACo (tbc) Developing a whole-of-chain training program – the AACo story
12.30	Lunch	
1.00	Plenary session - Angela Colliver, Consulting Services Pty Ltd Meat Matters. We ALL have a Steak in this!	
1.45	Plenary session - Rob Mollison, AMIC QLD Engaging young employees – the QCMPA story	
2.15	Panel session - Jenny Kroonstuiver, Clive Richardson, Rachel Murrell and Fiona Gojan The MINTRAC report	
3.00	Conference close	

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