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& Exhibition  
**26 – 29 MAY**

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*"The Australian Energy Producers Conference has been a fantastic opportunity for industry to come together to discuss the issues that will shape our energy future. We have brought together over 2,000 delegates from around Australia and the world. We'd like to thank our members, sponsors and collaborators. We look forward to seeing you in Adelaide in 2026."*

Samantha McCulloch,  
Chief Executive, Australian Energy Producers

THE  
ENERGY  
EDGE

innovation  
opportunity  
security



# Conference & Exhibition 26 - 29 MAY

Brisbane Convention  
& Exhibition Centre

## At a glance



The annual Australian Energy Producers Conference & Exhibition is a key forum bringing together heads of industry, government decision-makers, customers and finance professionals to set the agenda for Australia's energy future and discuss global challenges.

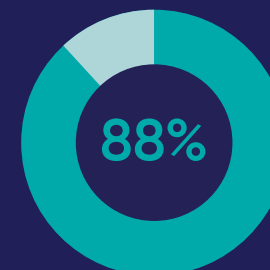
With over 2,000 delegates, presenters and exhibitors in attendance, the 2025 conference agenda focused on the issues facing energy producers, customers and policymakers.

The theme **The Energy Edge | Innovation, Opportunity, Security**, set the platform for the essential discussions, debates, and knowledge sharing to explore the challenges and opportunities shaping our industry.

Conversations at this year's Conference & Exhibition revolved around the importance of energy security not only for Australia but for our region, the impact of activism and policy on the future of the sector.

As the global energy landscape continues to evolve rapidly, Australian Energy Producers will continue to provide a platform for open conversation and candid debate for the whole industry to participate in.

### Australian Energy Producers 2025 Conference & Exhibition delivered:



of delegates said they made new business contacts\*



of delegates rated the Exhibition as 'Good' or 'Excellent'\*

\*Based on the 2025 post event delegate survey



- 2% Research/Analyst
- 5% Consultant
- 2% Academic
- 5% Operations/Logistics
- 1% Students
- 18% Engineer/Geoscientist/Technician
- 14% Sales/Finance/Marketing
- 24% Executive
- 24% Middle Management
- 5% Other



- 1% Student
- 8% Other
- 35% Exploration/Production Company
- 5% Renewable Energy Sector
- 42% Product/Service Provider
- 9% Government/Regulator

## The place for industry to gather

**The Conference & Exhibition has been proudly produced for industry and by industry for decades. All components of the event are tailored to ensure they are relevant to the current opportunities and challenges to deliver maximum value to delegates.**

Continuing to grow each year, in 2025 we saw over 2,000 commercial executives and technical experts gather in one place to network and discuss current issues, share the latest innovations and the future of the Australian oil and gas industry.

*"Everybody is here, all the producers, developers, explorers, the who's who of our industry here in Australia and abroad."*

**Simon Younger,**  
Chairman, ExxonMobil Australia

NEARLY  
**HALF**

of delegates are C-suite  
to middle management





*"The Australian Energy Producers Conference provides such a great opportunity for industry to come together, we can discuss, we can debate, there is always the chance to learn even if it's to gain a new perspective."*

**Rachael Risucci,**  
MD Gas & Low Carbon Energy, BP Developments Australia

*"I think it's been a really eye-opening conference to know where the current industry stands and what work needs to be done to better prepare for the future."*

**Nafisa Yashfee,**  
Graduate Electrical Engineer, Origin Energy

## Premier program covers significant opportunities and challenges

Speakers are hand-selected to ensure a high-quality debate and discussions that deliver real insights and influence change for oil and gas.

### The 2025 Conference delivered:

**28**

Plenary  
Speakers

**5**

Plenary  
Sessions

**27**

Technical & Business  
Program Sessions

**144**

Technical & Business  
Program Speakers

**50+**

Hours of  
Content

**A primary reason delegates return year after year is the quality of the content, the transparency of information sharing and the accessibility of speakers.**

## Insights expertly delivered: 'In Conversation'

After the success of the 'In Conversation' sessions in 2024, they were again delivered with key industry and government figure heads providing critical outlooks on where the industry is and where it needs to move in order to be successful.

### In Conversation with Dr Helen Currie, ConocoPhillips

*Facilitated by Chris Uhlmann,  
Journalist, Sky News*



### In Conversation with Kevin Gallagher, Santos

*Facilitated by Laura Jayes,  
Journalist and Host of AM Agenda,  
Sky News*



### In Conversation: Post Election Analysis

The Hon Joel Fitzgibbon, Former  
Minister for Defence Australia  
John Scales, Founder, JWS Research

*Facilitated by Samantha McCulloch,  
Chief Executive,  
Australian Energy Producers*



### In Conversation with Senator Susan McDonald

*Facilitated by Chris Uhlmann,  
Journalist, Sky News*





## 2025 Plenary Panels

### The Energy Edge | Innovation, Opportunity, Security

#### **Samantha McCulloch**

Chief Executive,  
Australia Energy Producers

#### **The Hon Madeleine King MP**

Minister for Resources  
and Northern Australia

#### **Meg O'Neill**

Chair, Australian Energy Producers

#### **Hon. Ambassador Joe Hockey**

Former Australian Ambassador to the  
United States of America

*Facilitated by Chris Uhlmann,  
Journalist, Sky News*

### Harnessing Australia's Competitive Strengths

#### **Balaji Krishnamurthy**

President, Chevron Australia

#### **Dr Philip Lowe**

Former Governor of the Reserve Bank  
of Australia

#### **Meg O'Neill**

Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director,  
Woodside Energy

#### **Simon Younger**

Chair, ExxonMobil Australia

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Journalist, Sky News*

### Energy geopolitics | Security in the transition

#### **Ron Gusek**

Chief Executive Officer, Liberty Energy

#### **Michiko Miyano**

Deputy Head of Mission, Minister,  
Embassy of Japan

#### **Sue-Ern Tan,**

Head, IEA Regional Cooperation Centre,  
International Energy Agency

#### **Cecile Wake**

Country Chair and Senior Vice President  
Integrated Gas, Shell Australia

*Facilitated by Laura Jayes, Journalist  
and Host of AM Agenda, Sky News*



## 2025 Plenary Panels (continued)

### Seismic Shifts | Gas exploration and the economy

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#### **The Hon Lia Finocchiaro MLA**

Chief Minister of the  
Northern Territory

#### **Sue McCarrey**

Chief Executive Officer, NOPSEMA

#### **Noel Newell**

Executive Chairman, 3D Energi

#### **Andrew Richards**

Chief Executive Officer, Energy Users  
Association of Australia

#### **Darren Stevenson**

Chief Executive Officer, Senex Energy

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*Facilitated by Samantha McCulloch,  
Chief Executive,  
Australian Energy Producers*

### Hitting the gas | Keeping net zero within reach

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#### **Gillian Cagney, President**

Australia & New Zealand, Worley

#### **Rachael Risucci**

Vice President Australia, Gas & Low  
Carbon Energy, BP Developments Australia

#### **Tony Wood**

Energy and Climate Change Program  
Director, Grattan Institute

#### **Brett Woods**

Managing Director and Chief Executive  
Officer, Beach Energy

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*Facilitated by Chris Uhlmann, Journalist,  
Sky News*





## Panel Series

An unconventional approach |  
The role of Queensland in the east  
coast gas market

### Dan Clark

Chief Executive Officer,  
Australia Pacific LNG

### Prof David Close

Director, Gas & Energy Transition  
Research Centre, University of  
Queensland

### Jane Norman

Managing Director and Chief  
Executive Officer, Amplitude Energy

### Rick Wilkinson

Chief Executive Officer, EnergyQuest

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Chief Executive,  
Australian Energy Producers

Samantha McCulloch, Australian Energy Producers



## Panel Series

From placards to plaintiffs |  
The rise of environmental activism  
and 'lawfare'

### Kevin Gallagher

Managing Director &  
Chief Executive Officer, Santos

### David Hughes

Executive Director,  
Menzies Research Centre

### Julius Kernan

Chairperson, Top End Aboriginal  
Coastal Alliance

### Meg O'Neill

Chief Executive Officer &  
Managing Director, Woodside Energy

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Chief Executive,  
Australian Energy Producers



## Technical & Business Program

This essential section of our speaker line up,  
delivered 144 speakers for oral and visual  
presentations across the 6 key themes of:

- Business Performance and Governance
- Emissions Reduction
- Geoscience
- Engineering
- Health, Safety and Environment
- Markets





## Building strong relationships

Throughout the three days on-site delegates were encouraged to connect, discuss and conduct business. The exceptional networking opportunities are a key drawcard to attend the Conference & Exhibition.

The networking opportunities included:

Authors' Lunch

Conference Dinner

Collaboration Centre

Farewell Cocktails

Happy Hours

Meeting Zone

Members' Lunch

Networking Lunches

Speakers' Networking  
Breakfast

Welcome Reception

Youth Program

*"It's important from a collaboration point of view when we are networking with our clients. It's a great conference that we love coming to each year."*

Rory Duff,  
Chief Executive Officer, Harness Energy





## Conference Awards

Each year Australian Energy Producers recognises outstanding work and achievements in the energy industry, with awards presented during the annual Conference. These Awards include:

- Alan Prince Award (for the Best Peer-Reviewed Paper)
- Dr Steve Mackie Award (for the Best Extended Abstract)
- Best Oral Presentation Award
- Best Visual Presentation Award

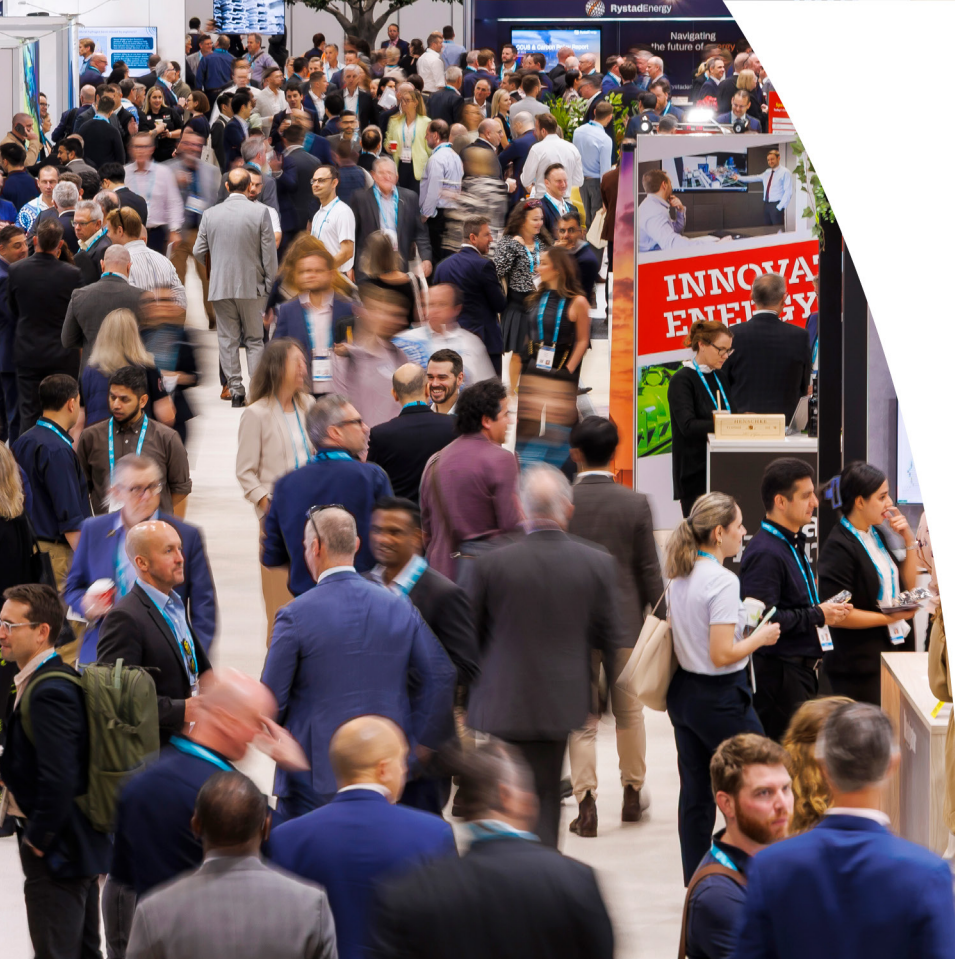
Visit our [Conference & Exhibition website](#) for more information on the Awards and the 2025 recipients



## Australian Energy Producers 2024-2025 Excellence Awards

The Australian Energy Producers Excellence Awards, showcase the oil and gas industry's unwavering commitment to maintaining high environmental and safety standards and positive integration with community and stakeholders. The winners of these awards were announced at the Conference Dinner.

Visit our [website](#) for more information on the Awards



## Spreading the Word

- The Conference & Exhibition is strategically marketed and promoted locally to Australian and New Zealand professionals and a global audience.
- In 2025, 31 eNewsletters and Newsflashes were sent to the Australian Energy Producers network of almost 10,000 people. The eNewsletter editions [can be viewed here](#).
- Australian Energy Producers hosted 41+ accredited journalists from across Australia and the world including publications such as The Australian, Australian Financial Review, The Nightly, The Age and other notable publications.
- The media activity secured an estimated audience of

**22.2M**  
people

### Additional Communications Activity:

**552**

media items over  
six-day period

**\$1.1M**

advertising value equivalent  
from media coverage  
for six-day period

**392,330+**

reached via Google &  
Microsoft ads

**14,200+**

clicks on digital advertising  
(Google & Microsoft ads)

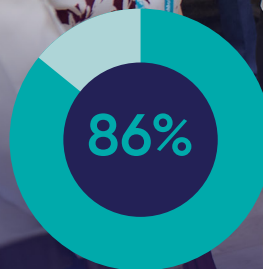


## Delegate Insights

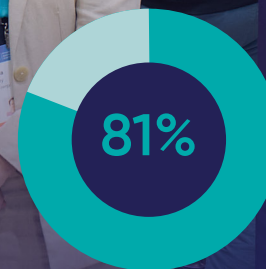
The Australian Energy Producers strives to provide delegates with a valuable, engaging experience that informs, entertains, and inspires.

*"One of the best opportunities is for us to have all the operators on the floor so you can just walk up to them say hello and kickstart a conversation with them."*

Siddharth Setia,  
GM Asia Pacific, Kongsberg Digital



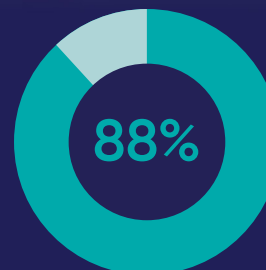
of delegates rated the overall quality of the Plenary program as 'Good' or 'Excellent'\*



of delegates rated the overall quality of the Visual Presentations as 'Good' or 'Excellent'\*



rated the quality of the Exhibition as 'Good' or 'Excellent'\*



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## Exhibitor Insights

The Exhibition is a coveted hub of the sector, providing opportunities for organisations to demonstrate the latest innovations and technology that will revolutionise the industry.

Delegates engaged directly with the people behind these products and services, establishing important relationships.

The Exhibition included:

130

of the top companies in the sector with key staff from the **full supply chain**

ready to engage, inform and generate business leads.

See full list of exhibitors on the next page



*"The Australian Energy Producers Conference is the preeminent industry conference. It's an opportunity to showcase technology, look at innovation across the industry and to really explore the cutting edge of what's coming forward."*

Liz Westcott,  
Executive Vice president, Woodside Energy



## 2025 Exhibitors

A S Harrison & Co	Department of Home Affairs	Karamay Xinkeao Oil and Gas Technology	Programmed	TGS
Alfa Engineering & Trading Pty Ltd	Department of Natural Resources and Mines, Manufacturing and Regional and Rural Development	Katalyst Data Management	Q-boss	The Wellboss Company
AMG Energy Services	Elixir Energy	KBR	Qteq	Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise
Apexio Industrial	Endress+Hauser	Kent	Quorum Software	Totum Compliance Limited
Australian Carbon Vault	Energy Power Systems Australia	KES Separation Machinery Tianjin	Red Bolt Engineering	Tri-Star Group
Australian Energy Producers	Enscope	Madison Technologies	Red Group	Turquoise Group
Baker Hughes	Ensign Australia	Mariner Travel	Resolute Project Group	UQ Gas & Energy Transition Research Centre
Balon Corporation	Equinox Engineering	MGPalaeo	RISC Advisory	Velseis
Baoji Tianlian Huitong Composite Materials	Evonik Australia	Molyneux Advisors	Rock Flow Dynamics	Ventia
Beach Energy	Explicit ApS	Motorola Solutions	Rystad Energy	Viridien
Bellis Australia	FLIR Systems Australia	MPK	Sage Media Group	Voith Turbo
Black Gold Australia	Geoscience Australia	Noggin, A Motorola Solutions Company	Santos	WA Gov - Department of Energy, Mines, Industrial Regulation and Safety
Board Of Professional Engineers Queensland	Government of Alberta	NOPSEMA	Sealumet Australia-Corrosion Under Insulation (CUI)	Warom Technology Incorporated Company
bp	GOWell	NOPTA	Seequent	WOMA Australia
Bureau Veritas	GR Production Services	Northern Territory Government	Senex Energy	Wood Mackenzie
Callidus Process Solutions	Haiyetong Energy Technology	Northline	SGS Australia	Woodside Energy
Carnarvon Energy	Harness Energy	Obadare Holdco	Shearwater	Wuzhou Valve
Caterpillar Energy Solutions (MWM) GmbH	Henan Jwucul Supply	Oceanic Controls	Shell	Xinjiang Golden Calf Energy IOT Technology
Cegal	Honeywell	Omega 365 Australia	Shield Industrial	Xinmi Wanli Industry Development Co., Ltd
Chevron Australia	Information Quality	Pacific Hoseflex	Shinda (TangShan) Creative Oil & Gas Equipment	Zibo Freet Thermal Tech
China Vigor Drilling Oil Tools and Equipment	inGauge Energy	Patch Personnel	SLB	
Clarke Energy	Innovior	Peloton Enterprises UK	Speedcast	
Contract Resources	INPEX	PESA Energy Geoscience	SpotLight	
CSIRO	Intertek	Petroleum Australia	Strongwell	
Darkvision	IPI Packers	Petromac	Subsea Energy Australia	
Denison Gas	Jasper-Methods	Petrosys	Synertec	
Department For Energy and Mining SA	KAEFER Australia	Powered	TAM International	
	Karamay Aoze Industry and Trade Co., Ltd	Premium Drilling Tools	Technip Energies	
		Primero	Terrex Seismic	

## Sponsor Insights

The Conference & Exhibition is the premium opportunity to promote your company in front of the entire energy industry.

Each year we offer a wide range of packages to ensure organisations can select a strategy to best align with their focus area and business goals.

See all our Sponsors on the next page



*"It's a great gathering of innovation and minds coming together and the social side of this Conference is always fantastic."*

Emma Ireland,  
Managing Director, Omega 365



## 2025 Sponsors



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## You're invited to join us in 2026

We look forward to continuing to host the entire supply chain to have important conversations that will shape the future of energy.

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## About Australian Energy Producers

Australian Energy Producers' 200 members comprise of oil and gas explorers and producers active in Australia and companies providing goods and services to those explorers and producers.

Our member companies produce approximately 95 per cent of Australia's oil and gas.

The oil and gas sector plays a fundamental role in our nation's economy, providing essential energy to power businesses and homes in Australia and across the world. Our sector invests billions of dollars to generate reliable, secure and cleaner energy, creating jobs and economic growth for the communities in which we operate.

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