



SEGRA 2010

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Search on for Regional Case Studies

The SEGRA 2010 Planning Committee is seeking submissions from dynamic regions across Australia to showcase their own regional achievements and know how at the SEGRA 2010 conference being conducted in Townsville North Queensland on the 19-21 October.

“The 14th SEGRA conference will be looking at regions delivering a big Australia. It will give special attention to regions that demonstrate advanced economic development strategies that help build regions as growth centres - attract and retain investment in their regions, enable appropriate, balanced and sustainable land use and resource development; and contribute to new models for a future regional Australia” said Kate Charters, SEGRA Convenor.

The Sustainable Economic Growth for Regional Australia conference has an enviable reputation for bringing together government, business, regional development practitioners and researchers from across Australia to discuss and debate critical and emerging issues around the ongoing social, economic and environmental well being of regional Australia and Australians. With the combination of national and regional experts on topics such as the economic future for regional Australia, Indigenous business strategies, the place of regional Australia on the political agenda, and the largest national gathering of regional economic development practitioners, *SEGRA* is a major annual forum for advancing real and practical strategies.

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Please note that concurrent sessions and forum speakers must be registered and paying delegates of *SEGRA*.

Key agenda items for *SEGRA* 2010 include:

- The developing role for northern Australia
- Marine industry opportunities for regional Australia
- Shipping and land transport
- Land rights and economic opportunities for Indigenous peoples
- Sustainable Cities and a big Australia
- Productivity gains – opportunities in regions
- Regional competitiveness
- Resolving contested economic development issues regarding land use, resources and sustainability
- Cross sectoral community development and engagement

SEGRA provides the opportunity for delegates to discuss their own ideas in a conference setting where boundaries can be drawn more widely and constraints viewed from a range of perspectives. To present your new frontiers please see the attached brochure and registration form or visit the website www.segra.com.au/segra.

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