

# NELA(WA) 2021 STATE CONFERENCE PROGRAM

**Final speaker announcement and full program to be released soon!**

28 October 2021 | 8:30am - 5:00pm

The Melbourne Hotel, 33 Milligan Street, Perth / Whadjuk Country  
and streamed online

- 08:30 – 08:45      **REGISTRATIONS OPEN**
- 08:45 – 08:55      **WELCOME TO COUNTRY**
- 08:55 – 09:00      **NELA(WA) PRESIDENT'S WELCOME  
AND HOUSEKEEPING**
- 09:00 – 10:45      **SESSION 1: DEVELOPMENTS IN CLIMATE ACTION**
- US Consulate-General speaker to be announced
  - Senior Member Willey (State Administrative Tribunal)
- 10:45 – 11:05      MORNING TEA BREAK
- 11:05 – 12:35      **SESSION 2: CARBON MARKETS**
- Sally Wilkinson (CEO, South West Catchments Council)
  - Elisa de Wit (Partner, Norton Rose Fulbright Australia)
- 12:35 – 13:35      LUNCH BREAK
- 13:35 – 15:05      **SESSION 3: STATE AND COMMONWEALTH  
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW REFORMS**
- Robyn Glindemann (Principal, Lantegy Legal)
  - Lee McIntosh (Deputy Chair, Environmental Protection Authority)
  - Andrew Mack (Associate Director, Talis Consultants)
- 15:05 – 15:25      AFTERNOON TEA BREAK
- 15:25 – 16:55      **SESSION 4: ABORIGINAL HERITAGE REFORM**
- Dr Lauren Butterly (Special Counsel, Environmental Defenders Office)
  - Emma Garlett (Academic, Curtin University)
  - Professor Matthew Tonts (Chair, Environmental Protection Authority)
- 16:55 – 17:00      **CONFERENCE CLOSE**
- 17:00 – 19:00      **POST-CONFERENCE COCKTAIL FUNCTION**  
Aurora Rooftop Bar, The Melbourne Hotel