Registration Form

THE LAW AND SUSTAINABILITY 2011

Sebel and Citigate King George Square, Brisbane

REGISTRATION AND TAX INVOICE

A form must be completed for each registrant

Title First Name Surname

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University/Organisation

Mailing Address

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We endeavour to ensure delegates with special needs are catered for. Should you require particular assistance, please make a note on your registration form.

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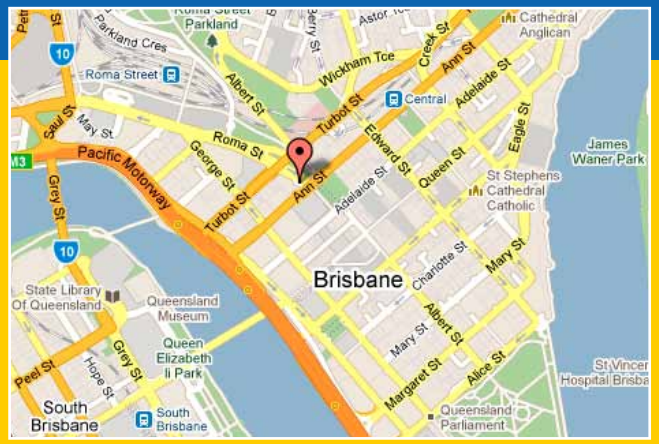
Registration will be finalised once full payment has been received. A receipt will be mailed to you. Cancellation of a registration must be notified in writing to the Conference Management. No refund will be given for cancellations after the 25th February 2011, however delegate substitution will be possible.

❑ I acknowledge the registration terms and cancellation policy.

Signature



PARKING

Limited parking is available beneath the Sebel and Citigate King George Square Brisbane, which is available at a flat rate of $30.00 per vehicle to all guests attending functions or $25.00 for guests staying at the hotel. Parking is also conveniently located at the King George Square Car Par adjacent to the hotel.

TRANSPORT

The Sebel and Citigate King George Square Brisbane, is conveniently located a short walk from Roma Street Railway Station and adjacent to the King George Square Bus Station.

ACCOMMODATION

If delegates require accommodation for the conference they can contact the Sebel and Citigate King George Square Brisbane. Reception will provide the best available rate when they advise attendance at the Symposium.

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The Symposium will focus on the legal implications of mining and planning and development in Queensland. It will provide a forum for delegates to interact and discuss issues with industry professionals.

Professor Cole and His Honour Judge Michael Rackemann will 'set the scene' for the day's discussions, by providing overviews of legal and governance issues in Queensland.

This will be followed by a session that will explore the legal consequences of the mining industry's competition for geology and space (in terms of overlapping tenements). It will commence with an overview of the scientific issues associated with coal seam gas extraction and underground carbon gasification, which will be provided by Dr Peter Stone from the CSIRO. Phillip Bangerter will then provide a discussion about property rights. Thereafter representatives of the various mining 'uses' will speak about legal issues associated with their use and tenure.

The afternoon session is dedicated to planning, environment and development issues. It will involve a mix of judiciary, practitioners, industry and academics critiquing planning and environment law in terms of development and enforcement. Justice Brian Preston, Chief Judge of the NSW Planning and Environment Court is speaking on the enforcement of environmental and planning laws in New South Wales. This will be followed by an analysis of Queensland's environmental and planning laws. This session will also highlight pressing issues to be addressed – infrastructure and development and planning for climate change.

Program

REGISTRATION – 8.30-9.00

Symposium to be opened by **Chancellor Bobbie Brazil**, University of Southern Queensland

PLENARY SESSION: - 9.00-10.00

Prof John Cole, Director, Australian Centre for Sustainable Business and Development – *The Law and Sustainability and its Application to Modern Governance*

Judge Michael Rackemann, District Court of Queensland
Current issues in the Qld Planning & Environment Court

MORNING TEA – 10.00-10.30

MINING SESSION – 10.30-12.45

Dr Peter Stone, CSIRO
Scientific issues associated with Coal Seam Gas extraction

Mr Philip Bangerter - Hatch; Adjunct Professor, ACSBD
The Evolution of Property Rights Law - its place in the sustainability problem

Mining industry representative

Mr Drew Wagner, Agforce
Landholder perspectives and compensation

Wrap-up of Session – **Dr Geoff Slaughter**, University of Southern Queensland

LUNCH – 12.45-1.45

PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT SESSION – 1.45-2.45

Justice Brian Preston, Chief Judge, Land and Environmental Court, NSW – *Enforcement of Environmental and Planning Laws in New South Wales*

Enforcement of Environmental laws in Queensland

AFTERNOON TEA – 2.45 – 3.15

3.15 – 5.00

Dr Bill Crane, Gadens
Queensland's Planning laws: does it have to be so complex?

Mr Stuart McNaughton, McCullough Robertson

Assoc Prof Poh-Ling Tan
Adaptation measures for Water Security in a Changing Climate

WRAP-UP OF SESSION

Registration

The registration fee of 1 @ $300, 2 @ $400 or 3 @ $500 (Group pricing available on application) will provide participants with:

- Access to all sessions
- Lunch, morning and afternoon tea
- Conference bag, program and promotional material

This Symposium has been made possible by the McNamara & Associates Green Fund for Environmental law research. McNamara & Associates is a legal firm with offices in Springfield, Ipswich and Gatton. The firm is actively involved in the local community and as a way to further this involvement, $30 from each registration will be donated to environmental initiatives of the Ipswich City Council.

Registration Process

Participants are asked to complete the registration form (over) and send with payment to:

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Closing Date

Registrations must be lodged by Monday, 28 February 2011