



VICTORIAN BIODIVERSITY CONFERENCE

2023

8-10 FEBRUARY
#VicBioCon23

DAY 1 08/02/22	Time	WORKSHOPS		
Workshop 1	9.30 - 12.30pm	Say goodbye to data entry: how to create data collection forms for your phone or tablet/iPad. Facilitated by Rachel McIntosh		
Workshop 2	1.00 - 4.00pm	Creating Memorable Wildlife Images Facilitated by Doug Gimesy		
DAY 2 09/02/22	Time	Room 1 (Main Hall MB6)	Room 2 (MB10)	Room 3 (MB11)
Welcome to Country	9.00 - 9.20am			
Plenary 1	9.20 - 10.20am	Ash Knop and Deanna Marshalls (Wilderlands)		
Morning Tea	10.20 - 10.50am			
Sessions 1 - 3	10.50 - 11.45pm	Terrestrial Ecology and Diversity 1	Invertebrate Ecology and Diversity	Threatened Species and Communities
Q & A 1 - 3	11:45 - 12.00pm			
Lunch	12:00 - 1.00pm			
Panel Discussion 1	1.00 - 2.30pm	No new extinctions? How will the new Threatened Species Action Plan meet its goals?		
Sessions 4 - 6	2.30 - 3.50pm	Fire Ecology	Freshwater, Marine, and Coastal Ecology	Advances in Methods
Q & A 4 - 6	3.50 - 4.05pm			
Afternoon Tea	4.05 - 4.30pm			
Plenary 2	4.30 - 5.30pm	Dr Kaori Yokochi, Dr Emily Fobert, Alicia Dimovski (Network for Ecological Research on Artificial Light)		
Poster Session	6.00 - 8.00pm	Poster session		
DAY 3 10/02/22	Time	Room 1 (Main Hall MB6)	ROOM 2 (MB10)	ROOM 3 (MB11)
Welcome	8.55 - 9.05am			
Plenary 3	9.05 - 10.05am	Prof Paul Sunnucks (Monash University)		
Morning Tea	10.05 - 10.35am			
Session 7-9	10.35 - 11.45pm	Urban Ecology	Environmental Policy and Science Communication	Terrestrial Ecology and Diversity 2
Q & A 7-9	11.45 - 12.00pm			
Lunch	12:00 - 1.00pm			
Panel Discussion 2	1.00 - 2.30pm	Out of the box thinking - Ethics of controversial conservation approaches		
Afternoon Tea	2:30 - 3.00pm			
Plenary 4	3.00 - 4.00pm	A/Prof Therésa Jones (The University of Melbourne)		
Awards and closing	4.00 - 4.30pm			
Networking Event	5.30 - 8.30pm			

#VicBioCon23 will be held on the unceded lands of the Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung People of the Kulin Nations, whom we acknowledge and pay our respects to as Traditional Owners and Custodians.

