



DISCOUNTED EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION CLOSING IN 2 WEEKS - DON'T MISS OUT!

We wish to remind you that early bird registration to attend the [Australasian Coasts and Ports 2017 Conference](#) is available until Friday 17 March 2017.

The Coasts & Ports Conference series is the pre-eminent forum in the Australasian region for professionals to meet and discuss issues extending across all disciplines related to coasts and ports.

Our Conference theme "[Working with Nature](#)" reflects the increasing recognition of the need to design and operate projects from a perspective that places the natural environment at the forefront of the project, to benefit the community and nature.

Coasts & Ports 2017 will bring together engineers, planners, scientists and researchers to Cairns, to focus on the technological, scientific, policy, planning and design issues related to our diverse and developing coasts.

Coasts & Ports 2017 will continue to publicise the persisting importance of coastal engineering problems, incorporating numerous concurrent streams for technical presentations, half-day field trips and the opportunity to network with colleagues in a vibrant social program, including a Welcome Reception, Conference Dinner and Closing Sundowner. With over 300 abstracts submitted for the conference, the technical program is shaping up to be one of the best yet.

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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



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CONFERENCE FEATURES

Welcome Reception
nextGEN Poster Forum
Three Day Technical Program
Trade Exhibition
Short Course
Field Trips
Conference Dinner

COASTAL ENGINEERING PRE-CONFERENCE SHORT COURSE

19 & 20 June 2017
Cairns Convention Centre

A Coastal Engineering Short Course conducted by UNSW Australia's Water Research Laboratory will be held over the two days prior to the 2017 Coasts & Ports Conference.

This course will cover the following:

An overview of coastal engineering fundamentals;
Beach morphology and coastal hazards;
Current practice for coastal structures;
New technologies and state of the art professional practice;
Physical and numerical modelling; and
Practical case studies.

Sessions will be run by staff from UNSW Australia's Water Research Laboratory and other organisations.

REGISTER ONLINE

Online registration for the Conference is available by [clicking here](#). The registration brochure, draft program and further information about the Conference can be found on the Conference website www.coastsandports2017.com.au.

Early bird registration closes Friday 17 March 2017.

For any queries please contact the Conference Secretariat.

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