

Sustainability **ALiVE**

Agenda



12:00pm - 4:00pm

Kaleide Theatre Foyer

Be disrupted and influenced by our sustainability industry leaders and policy makers across Business & Enterprise, Creative Industries and Built Environment.

Teachers and students are welcome to connect with our industry leaders in a booth-style setting or attend 30 minute presentations throughout the afternoon at the Kaleide theatre.

Light refreshments will be provided by Indigenous & Torres Strait catering company, Mabu Mabu.

12:00pm - 1:00pm

Grace Cliffe

Environmental Sustainability Manager
PwC Australia

Kaleide Theatre | Livestream Session

1:30pm - 2:00pm

Lawrence Christoffelsz

Chairperson
Ethical Trade Alliance

Kaleide Theatre

2:00pm - 2:30pm

Rob Neville

Activist, Sustainable Construction Partner
Revival

Kaleide Theatre

2:30pm - 3:00pm

Luke Phillips

Founder and Designer
Into Carry

Kaleide Theatre

3:00pm - 3:30pm

Tom Quinn,

Head of Policy and Research
Beyond Zero Emissions

Kaleide Theatre

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Friday 29 July

RMIT Kaleide Theatre

360 Swanston Street, Building 8



Emerging Sustainable and Innovative Practices in industry

What? ---

- Hear from PwC's Environmental and Sustainability Manager on what a 'green' future will look like for our industries
- Discover sustainable & innovative practices that are transforming different industries
- Be inspired! Meet the trailblazers and RMIT alumni who have developed a zero-waste cafe dedicated to developing circular coffee systems
- Nibbles will be provided by Torres Strait catering company Mabu Mabu. Mabu Mabu want people to eat and celebrate Indigenous ingredients every day

Why? ---

- To be introduced to sustainable global trade practices
- To learn about the social implications of generating a circular economy
- To learn about how sustainable activists are disrupting and reshaping the building construction industry
- To learn from leaders and policy makers in the areas of climate change, energy efficiency, renewable energy and recycling





Grace Cliffe

PwC Australia

Grace is an Environmental Sustainability Manager at PwC Australia with expertise in environmental strategy, carbon management and behavioural transformation. She is responsible for implementing PwC Australia's commitment to achieving net zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2030.

At PwC, Grace oversees activities across environmental strategy and governance, carbon accounting and reporting, emissions reduction and offsetting programs. She is also a co-lead on PwC's Green Team, which is an engaged professional network focused on driving environmentally sustainable behaviour and culture change across the firm.

Guest Speakers



Lawrence Christoffelsz

Ethical Trade Alliance

Lawrence has a long history of impressive global trade and supply chain credentials. He is the chairperson of the Ethical Trade Alliance, the CEO of Australian Trade & Logistics Corporation, the founder of ImportExportTV and the host of the Trade Australia Show.

Lawrence is passionate about international trade, innovative supply chains, B2B matching and implementing ethical and sustainable global business practices.

With more than 30 years of diverse experience across international trade, logistics and global supply chains, he is an experienced advisor and consultant on supply chain/ logistics optimisation, market entry, distribution and fulfilment strategies.



Rob Neville

Revival

The inception of Revival was borne out of frustration at how difficult it can be to adopt a sustainable approach to construction in Australia; in-particular how challenging it is to simply use the existing materials we already have immediately available to us.

Part Activist, part Sustainable Construction Partner, Revival is the only certified B Corp in Australia presenting as Commercial Builders, Structural Engineers, Furniture Makers and facilitators of major salvage operations.

Broadly speaking, our mission is to change the way our industry perceives and approaches existing materials, and to normalize repurposing as a fundamental element of new development.

Right now, our core focus is helping people use what (materials) they already have; we want to normalize the responsible handling of existing materials and make it easy and accessible to do so.

We are working across multiple projects & many design / development partners for this to become standard practice; every initiative we execute, stands as an example of how we can best approach / incorporate existing materials into new design development.

In conjunction with our operations, we are advocating for legislative change; specifically, introducing policies into the Victorian Planning Permission schemes, which will provide a legal framework obliging Developers & Architects to handle existing materials responsibly.



Luke Phillips

Into Carry

Luke is the Founder and Designer for Into Carry, a sustainable carry-ware brand, and Into Coffee, a zero-waste cafe dedicated to developing circular coffee systems.

The path to a circular economy demands behaviour change on a mass scale. Luke's work endeavours to make sustainability exciting and accessible through reducing friction points to circular living and highlighting its benefits.



Tom Quinn

Beyond Zero Emissions

Tom is the Head of Policy and Research at Beyond Zero Emissions. At Beyond Zero Emissions, Tom offers senior experience in industry peak bodies, corporate firms, and the public sector.

Tom has experience delivering complex technical projects such as The Next Boom report, the original Fiduciary Duties and Climate Change legal opinion. Additionally, Tom has experience working on major policy issues related to energy efficiency, renewable energy and recycling initiatives at a state and local level.