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This Summit will let you peer under the bonnet and scrutinise evolving private and public policy engines in Australia, the Asia Pacific and the world ahead of COP27. You can hear of important technological developments and the ways carbon investment can also deliver Indigenous, environmental and other social co-benefits.

Please enjoy the opportunity to engage in extensive knowledge exchange and commercial

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I would like to thank our sponsors, particularly our host sponsor the NSW Government and diamond sponsors ANZ, CORE Markets, GreenCollar and BP. Huge thanks also to our speakers and the CMI Board and team for their support of the Summit.

I look forward to catching up with you all over the next two days, and beyond.



John Connor
Chief Executive Officer
Carbon Market Institute



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DAY 1 Tuesday 25th October 2022

TIME LOCATION	SESSION
7.00am	REGISTRATION OPENS
7:00am – 8:30am GRAND BALLROOM	<p>WOMEN IN CLIMATE BREAKFAST sponsored by ANZ</p> <p>Join us for our annual Women in Climate Breakfast – an informal panel discussion and networking event celebrating and supporting the leading role of women in climate change and business.</p> <p>WELCOME: Christina Tonkin, <i>Managing Director, Corporate Finance, ANZ</i></p> <p>SPEAKERS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heather Campbell, <i>CEO, Bush Heritage</i> • Katharine Tapley, <i>Head of Sustainable Finance, ANZ</i> • Mary Stewart, <i>CEO, Energetics</i> • Kerry Schott, <i>Chair, Net Zero Emissions & Clean Economy Board, New South Wales Government</i>
8:40am – 9:00am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>WELCOME TO COUNTRY</p> <p>Brendan Kerin, <i>Cultural Educator, Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council</i></p> <p>OPENING ADDRESS</p> <p>John Connor, <i>CEO, Carbon Market Institute</i></p>
9:00am – 9:15am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>OPENING KEYNOTE</p> <p>Hon. Matt Kean MP, <i>Treasurer, Government of New South Wales</i></p>
9:15am – 10:30am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>PLENARY ONE Urgency. Integrity. Ambition.</p> <p>The critical decade for climate action is already underway, and with increasing climate impacts its clear the world must urgently increase its climate ambition. Join our opening Summit plenary and get updated on the state of global climate action and the pathways forward, presented by leading climate champions.</p> <p>KEYNOTES:</p> <p>SCIENCE Andy Reisinger, <i>Vice-Chair, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)</i></p> <p>GLOBAL MARKETS Chris Halliwell, <i>Co-founder & Head of Markets, CORE Markets</i></p> <p>JUST TRANSITION Sharan Burrow, <i>General Secretary, International Trade Union Confederation</i></p> <p>INTEGRITY Rachel Kyte, <i>Co-Chair, Voluntary Carbon Markets Integrity Initiative</i></p> <p>FIRST NATIONS LEADERSHIP Cissy Gore, <i>Co-Chair, Indigenous Carbon Industry Network</i></p>
10:30am – 11:00am	MORNING TEA
11:00am – 11:10am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>KEYNOTE</p> <p>James Schultz, <i>CEO, GreenCollar</i></p>
11:00am – 11:55am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>PLENARY TWO Decarbonising International Trade for a Net-Zero World</p> <p>Australia's policy suite is set to evolve and once again support the proliferation of low-carbon aid, trade, and diplomatic relationships across the Indo-Pacific region and beyond. Join our regional expert panel as they discuss the impacts of increasingly ambitious Paris commitments on our major trading partners, how low-carbon partnerships can benefit business and investors, and what changing global market dynamics mean for the competitiveness of Australian goods and services in the APAC region and further abroad.</p> <p>CHAIR: Chris Halliwell, <i>Co-founder & Head of Markets, CORE Markets</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frédéric Baudry, <i>President, Australia & Senior Vice President, Fuels & Low Carbon Solutions Asia Pacific, BP</i> • Rebecca Mikula-Wright, <i>Chief Executive Officer, Investor Group on Climate Change & Asia Investor Group on Climate Change</i> • Luke Donovan, <i>Executive Director, Power & Carbon Markets, Commonwealth Bank of Australia</i>

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12:00pm – 12:45pm		FIRST CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS
PYRMONT THEATRE	1.1 FINANCE	Reshaping Australia's Financial System Rapid global decarbonisation requires financial markets to exponentially shift away from financing emissions-intensive activities, and towards meaningful emissions reductions. Led by the Paris Agreement, global risk frameworks, taxonomies and standards are setting the boundaries for how investors will fund a net-zero economy, and Australian financiers are leading the charge. Join this expert panel to understand the implications of evolving financial markets for Australian business, and the opportunities for governments, investors, banks, private equity and others to engage in the great economic transformation already underway. MODERATOR: Bronwyn Corbet, <i>Executive Director, Sustainable Finance, ANZ</i> PANELLISTS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adrien Henry, <i>Nature-Based Solutions Managing Director, TotalEnergies</i> George Aitken, <i>Director, KKR Global Impact</i> Kristy Graham, <i>CEO, Australian Sustainable Finance Initiative</i>
	C2.2 & C2.3	1.2 MARKETS Roles & Responsibilities in Carbon Project Development There are many types of carbon projects and applicable business models, which can mean it's hard to understand the various roles and responsibilities of carbon service providers, landholders, traditional owners, asset owners. Join this session to build your knowledge of the different ways to engage in carbon project development. MODERATOR: Sophie Whitehead, <i>Senior Associate, Norton Rose Fulbright</i> PANELLISTS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Caroline Bennett, <i>Research, Development & Compliance Manager, Green Energy Trading</i> Patrick Lim, <i>Commercial Group Manager, LMS Energy</i> Thomas Schroder, <i>Head of Climate Action, South Pole</i> Debbie Symonds, <i>CEO, Olkola Aboriginal Corp</i>
C2.4	1.3 POLICY	Strengthening the Safeguard Mechanism The Government has signaled its intention to strengthen the Safeguard Mechanism as a key tool to drive emissions reduction across the heaviest emitting sectors of the economy. With regulatory and legislative changes required to decline Safeguard baselines and allow for below-baseline crediting of Safeguard Mechanism Credits now on the table, it's critical for corporate emissions managers to get across the detail and have their say into the consultations soon to be underway. Join our expert panel to discuss the range of policy options on the table, the implications for Australian business, and ramifications for domestic carbon market participation. MODERATOR: Kurt Winter, <i>Director, Corporate Transition, Carbon Market Institute</i> PANELLISTS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pauline Kennedy, <i>Low Carbon Policy & Advocacy Manager, bp</i> Kath Rowley, <i>Head of Division, Climate Change, Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment & Water</i> Raphael Wood, <i>Managing Director, Market Advisory Group</i> Tennant Reed, <i>Head of Climate, Energy and Environment Policy, Ai Group</i>
C2.5 & C2.6	1.4 STRATEGY	Developing & Implementing a Corporate Net-Zero Strategy High-integrity corporate climate action is being led by organisations that have set meaningful net-zero 2050 and interim targets and developed sophisticated emissions reduction policies in line with climate science. Join our experts as they step through the good policies and pitfalls of driving meaningful corporate climate strategy – including setting targets, managing direct and indirect (scope 3) emissions, building carbon procurement strategies, and taking it all public. MODERATOR: Charlie Knaggs, <i>Partner, Corporate Sustainability & Climate Change, ERM</i> PANELLISTS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mary Stewart, <i>Chief Executive Officer, Energetics</i> Tom Penny, <i>Head of Environment, Telstra</i> Peter Metcalfe, <i>Vice-President, Climate Change & Sustainability, Woodside Energy</i>
12:45pm – 2:00pm		LUNCH
2:00pm – 2:15pm PYRMONT THEATRE		CHRISTIANA FIGUERES ORATION Catherine McKenna, <i>Chair, UN Secretary General's High-Level Expert Group on Net-Zero Commitments</i>

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2:15pm-3:05pm
PYRMONT THEATRE

PLENARY THREE Building Trust & Transparency in our Net-Zero Trajectory

Integrity of climate action is critical for us to stay on track to meet our Paris climate goals. Policy and regulation of climate action is strengthening, and will increasingly become a driving force of high-quality, transparent and accountable emissions reductions. Join Australia's leading carbon and financial market regulators to engage with the net-zero regulatory evolution already underway in Australia – and what it means for your participation in decarbonized markets in the coming months and years.

CHAIR: Raphael Wood, *Managing Director, Market Advisory Group*

PANELLISTS:

- Liza Carver, *Enforcement Commissioner, Australian Competition & Consumer Commission*
- Karen Chester, *Deputy Chair, Australian Securities & Investments Commission*
- David Parker, *Chair, Clean Energy Regulator*

3:05pm – 3:30pm

AFTERNOON TEA

3:35pm – 4:20pm

SECOND CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS

PYRMONT THEATRE

2.1 NATURE The Business Case for Investing in Nature-Based Solutions

Investors are keen to scale up investment in nature-based solutions, and there now exist real opportunities to reduce emissions and simultaneously engage in climate repair-focused carbon market activities that support environmental, social and economic co-benefits. Join us to discuss how new innovations in nature-based financing is creating opportunities for markets, communities and ecosystem services in Australia and internationally.

MODERATOR: Janet Hallows, *Director, Nature-Based Solutions, Carbon Market Institute*

PANELLISTS:

- Rene Velasquez, *Head of Global Carbon, CBL Markets*
- Jay Van Rijn, *Director, Commercial Development, Canopy | Greening Australia*
- Bianca Sylvester, *Head of Carbon Solutions, Origin Energy*
- Tim Hannon, *Managing Director, Gaia Natural Capital*

C2.2 & C2.3

2.2 MARKETS Practical Strategies for High-Integrity Carbon Procurement

In ever-changing and evolving carbon markets, it's critical for new and existing participants to understand how to manage strategic carbon procurement – whether it be for managing internal climate goals, developing carbon neutral products and services. Join our experts for a masterclass on participating in Australia's carbon market; including how to assess different carbon products and prices, development of carbon procurement strategies, and building your capacity to manage environmental integrity, transparency and accountability in every transaction.

MODERATOR: Heather Layzell, *Director, Market Advisory Group*

PANELLISTS:

- Nadine Mueller, *Executive Director, Global Commodities, Commonwealth Bank of Australia*
- Lloyd Vas, *Head of Carbon Trading, WeAct*
- Joshua Harris, *Co-CEO, Climate Friendly*

C2.4

2.3 INDUSTRY Industrial Decarbonisation Technology Pathways

The rapid industrial decarbonisation required to meet Paris goals requires the implementation of both existing and step change technologies. Building the business case for tech R&D, feasibility, and application can be daunting, but collaborating with experts across sectors and learning from early adopters can reap great commercial and emission reduction rewards. Join the discussion to get a grip on the decarbonisation options available now and in the near future – and importantly how to apply them to your corporate circumstances.

MODERATOR: Kurt Winter, *Director, Corporate Transition, Carbon Market Institute*

PANELLISTS:

- Julian Turecek, *CEO, AspiraDAC*
- Marcus Dawe, *Chief Executive Officer, MCI Carbon*
- Siobhan Cribb, *Net Zero Program Director, Newcrest Mining*

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2.4 STRATEGY Engaging Consumers in Climate Positive Products & Services

Consumers are increasingly demanding brands (and their products & services) make a meaningful, positive impact on climate. But how do you effectively communicate your offering and engage customers in order to drive behavior change? Join this session and meet a range of market leaders pioneering effective engagement strategies to achieve powerful returns on investment – and support consumer-led climate action.

MODERATOR: Dan Sheedy, *Director, Climate Active*

PANELLISTS:

- Susan Horn, *Head of Marketing, GreenCollar*
- Elise Margaritis, *Creative Director, Tasman Environmental Markets*
- Suzanne Thompson, *Managing Director, Yambangku Aboriginal Cultural Heritage & Tourism Development Aboriginal Corporation*

4:25pm – 4:35pm
PYRMONT THEATRE

NET-ZERO FUTURES KEYNOTE

Blair Comley PSM, *Net-Zero Centre Lead & Partner, EY Port Jackson Partners*

4:35pm – 5:30pm
PYRMONT THEATRE

PLENARY FOUR Staying at Pace with Rapidly Evolving Carbon Markets

Compliance, voluntary and sectoral carbon markets are strengthening and evolving quickly. With the Paris Agreement's Article 6 rules now finalised, we are grappling with the question of how to implement global and domestic carbon markets with integrity, transparency, and accountability. Join our expert panel as they discuss how to participate in rapidly evolving carbon markets and share their insights on preparing for more strategic and sophisticated engagement in increasingly complex environmental markets.

CHAIR: Anna Hancock, *Head of Sustainability & Climate Change, EnergyAustralia*

PANELLISTS:

- Margaret Kim, *Chief Executive Officer, Gold Standard*
- James Grabert, *Director, Mitigation, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change*
- Ben Stuart, *Chief Commercial Officer, CBL Markets*
- Paula van Laningham, *Global Head of Carbon, S&P Global Platts*

5.45pm – 6.30pm

SUNDOWNER DRINKS

2022 Summit Gala Dinner

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6:30pm – 10:30pm

HOST: Elisa de Wit, *Chair, Carbon Market Institute*

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Anna Skarbek, *CEO, ClimateWorks Centre*

Luke Menzel, *CEO, Energy Efficiency Council*

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DAY 2 Wednesday 26th October 2022

TIME LOCATION	SESSION
8.00am	REGISTRATION OPENS
8:45am – 9:00am PYRMONT THEATRE	MINISTERIAL KEYNOTE Hon. Chris Bowen, Minister for Climate Change and Energy
9:00am – 10:00am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>PLENARY FIVE 2022 Federal Budget Wrap: Leveraging Public Finance for Climate Action</p> <p>With the federal budget taking place overnight, the Albanese Government will put on the table its investments in climate action and elsewhere. Join our panel of experts to debrief on the budget, its investment and policy signals to business as well as broader aid, trade and diplomatic implications.</p> <p>HOST: John Connor, <i>CEO, Carbon Market Institute</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Richard Yetsenga, <i>Chief Economist, ANZ</i> Jillian Button, <i>Partner & Head of Climate Change, Allens</i> Emma Herd, <i>Partner, Climate Change & Sustainability, EY</i>
10:00am – 10:30am	MORNING TEA
10:30am – 10:40am PYRMONT THEATRE	REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT KEYNOTE Hon. Gary Juffa MP, <i>Governor, Northern Province, Papua New Guinea</i>
10:40am – 11:30am PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>PLENARY SIX Assuring Integrity in Carbon Markets</p> <p>Climate leadership momentum is building, and so is the scrutiny on integrity of climate action. As a critical foundation for meaningful climate action, integrity of carbon markets will impact commercial risk and opportunity and have material impacts on communities, livelihoods and the economy if embedded properly. Join some of Australia's industry and governance leaders to discuss key issues in our high-integrity transition to net-zero emissions.</p> <p>CHAIR: Elisa de Wit, <i>Partner, Norton Rose Fulbright Australia</i> <i>Chair, Carbon Market Institute</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Richard Corey, <i>Former Chair, California Air Resources Board</i> Katie Sullivan, <i>Managing Director, North America, International Emissions Trading Association</i> Ian Chubb, <i>Chair, Chubb ACCU Review Panel</i> William McDonnell, <i>CEO, The Integrity Council for the Voluntary Carbon Market</i>
11:35am – 12:20pm	THIRD CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS
C2.2 & 2.3	<p>3.1 INTERNATIONAL The Evolution of Paris-Aligned Global Carbon Markets</p> <p>Voluntary carbon markets are evolving rapidly and we are seeing a range of new standards, activities and transactions emerge across domestic and international markets. Join the discussion to explore the challenges in transition to Article 6-driven international carbon markets – including the management of double counting and corresponding adjustments, contributions of voluntary action towards NDCs, critical standards of verification and integrity, and scaling investment in projects across the world.</p> <p>MODERATOR: Nigel Brunel, <i>Head of Commodities, Jarden</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emily Spears, <i>Head of Low Carbon Trading, Asia Pacific, BP</i> Stephanie Russo, <i>Chief Strategy Officer, Carbon Growth Partners</i> Todd Berkinshaw, <i>Chief Executive Officer, NatureCo</i> Marco Stella, <i>Head of Carbon & Renewable Markets, CORE Markets</i>



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C2.4	<p>3.2 MARKETS Smart Technologies & Digital Tools for Decarbonisation</p> <p>If we are to meet ambitious climate commitments, then carbon considerations need to be embedded in mainstream commercial systems and processes. Join this workshop to discussion the emerging range of smart technologies, digital tools and the ‘Internet of Things’ that will help Australian businesses ensure that emissions reductions are embedded in future business-as-usual decision-making.</p> <p>MODERATOR: Cameron Mathie, <i>Manager, Future Carbon Markets, Clean Energy Regulator</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andrew Glass, <i>Head of Sales & Partnerships, Viridios AI</i> • Guy Dickinson, <i>CEO, BetaCarbon</i> • Marc Allen, <i>Co-Founder, Unravel Carbon</i>
C2.5 & 2.6	<p>3.3 STRATEGY Building Pacific Carbon Leadership</p> <p>Pacific nations are looking to carbon markets as a crucial source of investment in assisting delivery of their NDC and sustainable development goals. Join this conversation to learn from local Indigenous and regional community leaders about how to support Indigenous-led carbon markets, engage meaningfully with free, prior, and informed consent considerations, and ensure First Nations leadership is embedded in our national and regional response to climate change.</p> <p>MODERATOR: Katie Eberle, <i>Manager, International Partnerships, Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apisai Rinamalo, <i>Director of Operations, Ministry of Forestry, Fijian Government</i> • Ranjila Singh, <i>Mitigation Specialist, Ministry of Economy, Fijian Government</i> • Anjali Nelson, <i>Head of New Initiatives, GreenCollar</i> • Ruel Yamuna, <i>Special Envoy for Climate and Environment, PNG Government</i>
12:20pm – 1:10pm	LUNCH
1:10pm – 2:00pm PYRMONT THEATRE	<p>PLENARY SEVEN Scaling High-Integrity Nature-Based Climate Solutions</p> <p>Climate mitigation, repair and adaptation needs nature. The world is moving quickly to appropriately account for and invest in the carbon and co-benefits of nature-based solutions and understand the evolving markets that support them. Join our panel as they examine how to improve the integrity and additionality of these critical activities to ensure they are driving real and meaningful emissions reductions as well as protecting and restoring our environment.</p> <p>CHAIR: Skye Glenday, <i>Co-CEO, Climate Friendly</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elizabeth O’Leary, <i>Head of Agriculture & Natural Assets, Macquarie Group</i> • Alex Lewis, <i>Chief Commercial Officer, Tasman Environmental Markets</i> • Karen Hussey, <i>Deputy Director General, Queensland Department of Environment & Science</i> • Julian Poulter, <i>Head of Investor Relations, Inevitable Policy Response, Principles for Responsible Investment</i>
2:05pm – 2:50pm	FOURTH CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS
C2.2 & 2.3	<p>4.1 REGIONAL Regional Opportunities for Low, and Zero-Carbon Trade</p> <p>Climate leadership and action in the Indo-Pacific region is growing rapidly, driven by countries’ NDC commitments and the international trade opportunities for the private sector across neighbouring jurisdictions. Join a discussion on the growing relationships between regional investor countries and those economies ready for investment and deployment of low and zero-carbon solutions at scale – including on developments around the Indo-Pacific Offsets Scheme (IPCOS), the Singapore-Australia Low Emissions Technologies MoU.</p> <p>MODERATOR: William Acworth, <i>Director, Pollination</i></p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patrick Martin, <i>Climate Finance Specialist, UN Economic and Social Commission for Asia & the Pacific</i> • Cheryl Bowler, <i>Carbon Markets Lead APAC, Vertree Partners</i> • Tim Buckley, <i>Director, Climate Energy Finance</i>

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C2.4	<p>4.2 NATURE Integrating Nature-Based Carbon and Co-Benefits</p> <p>With twin climate and biodiversity crises worsening, it's increasingly critical to use nature-based solutions to incorporate not just reduce carbon, but to enhance other project co-benefits as well. Join our expert panel to understand the various environmental markets emerging around carbon, and the various funding and standards-based initiatives emerging across industry, state and federal governments to tackle these crises – and support more inclusive regional economic, social, cultural and environmental benefits.</p> <p>MODERATOR: Matthew Warnken, Managing Director, Agriprove</p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sarah Costello, <i>Head of Origination</i>, Viridios Capital • Melanie Madders, <i>Director</i>, Natural Capital, Clean Energy Finance Corporation • Adrian Ward, <i>CEO</i>, Accounting for Nature • Sean Appoo, <i>Program Manager</i>, Aboriginal Carbon Foundation
C2.5 & 2.6	<p>4.3 POLICY Ensuring a Just and Equitable Zero-Carbon Transition</p> <p>Australia is country faced with the increasing climate impacts of bushfires, drought, flooding and extreme temperatures, and our national ambition to take action has solidified post-election. As we shift away from our reliance on emissions-intensive extractive, agricultural and energy generation industries, workers and communities are in danger of being disadvantaged or left behind. Join this discussion to understand the importance of embedding just transition considerations into corporate transition planning, and ensuring that vulnerable sectors and communities are brought along the journey too.</p> <p>MODERATOR: Cameron Reid, <i>Director</i>, KPMG</p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kellie Caught, <i>Program Director</i>, Climate & Energy, Australian Council of Social Service • Varsha Yajman, <i>South Asian Climate Justice Advocate & Coordinator</i>, South Asian Climate Solidarity • Alison Tate, <i>Director</i>, Economic & Social Policy, International Trade Union Confederation
2:50pm – 3:10pm	AFTERNOON TEA
<p>3:10pm – 4:00pm</p> <p>PLENARY</p>	<p>PLENARY EIGHT COP27 in Focus</p> <p>With COP27 weeks away, this session will focus on the key issues to be in the spotlight in Sharm El-Sheikh. Australia will bring increased NDC ambition. Will others? Public and private finance for loss and damage, as well for developing countries mitigation and adaptation efforts will also be in focus. COP27 will see further development of carbon market rules and institutions under Article 6. Join this panel of experienced analysts and negotiators as we warm up for COP negotiations.</p> <p>CHAIR: Emily Gerrard, <i>Director</i>, Comhar Group</p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bill Hare, <i>Member</i>, UN High-Level Expert Group on the Net-Zero Emissions Commitments of Non-State Entities • Ilona Millar, <i>Partner</i>, Gilbert + Tobin • Kate Hancock, <i>Australian government negotiator on international carbon markets</i>, Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water
<p>4:00pm – 4:10pm</p> <p>PYRMONT THEATRE</p>	<p>SUPERPOWER TRANSFORMATION KEYNOTE</p> <p>Ross Garnaut, <i>Economist & Author</i></p>
<p>4:10pm – 5:00pm</p> <p>PYRMONT THEATRE</p>	<p>CLOSING PLENARY Pathways to 2035 and Beyond</p> <p>In this next term of government, Australia will be required to set a more ambitious 2035 target, as required by the Paris Agreement. Join a high-level discussion that examines the critical policy milestones ahead for decarbonisation and negative emissions solutions, and explore the role for industry, community, government, technology and service providers in embedding urgency, ambition and integrity in the ratcheting up of our next NDC.</p> <p>CHAIR: Anna Malos, <i>Country Lead</i>, Climateworks Centre</p> <p>PANELLISTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heidi Lee, <i>CEO</i>, Beyond Zero Emissions • Bret Harper, <i>Head of Research</i>, Reputex • Kobad Bhavnagri, <i>Global Head of Strategy</i>, Bloomberg New Energy Finance • Joe Morrison, <i>Group-CEO</i>, Indigenous Land & Sea Corporation
5:00pm – 5:30pm	CLOSING DRINKS

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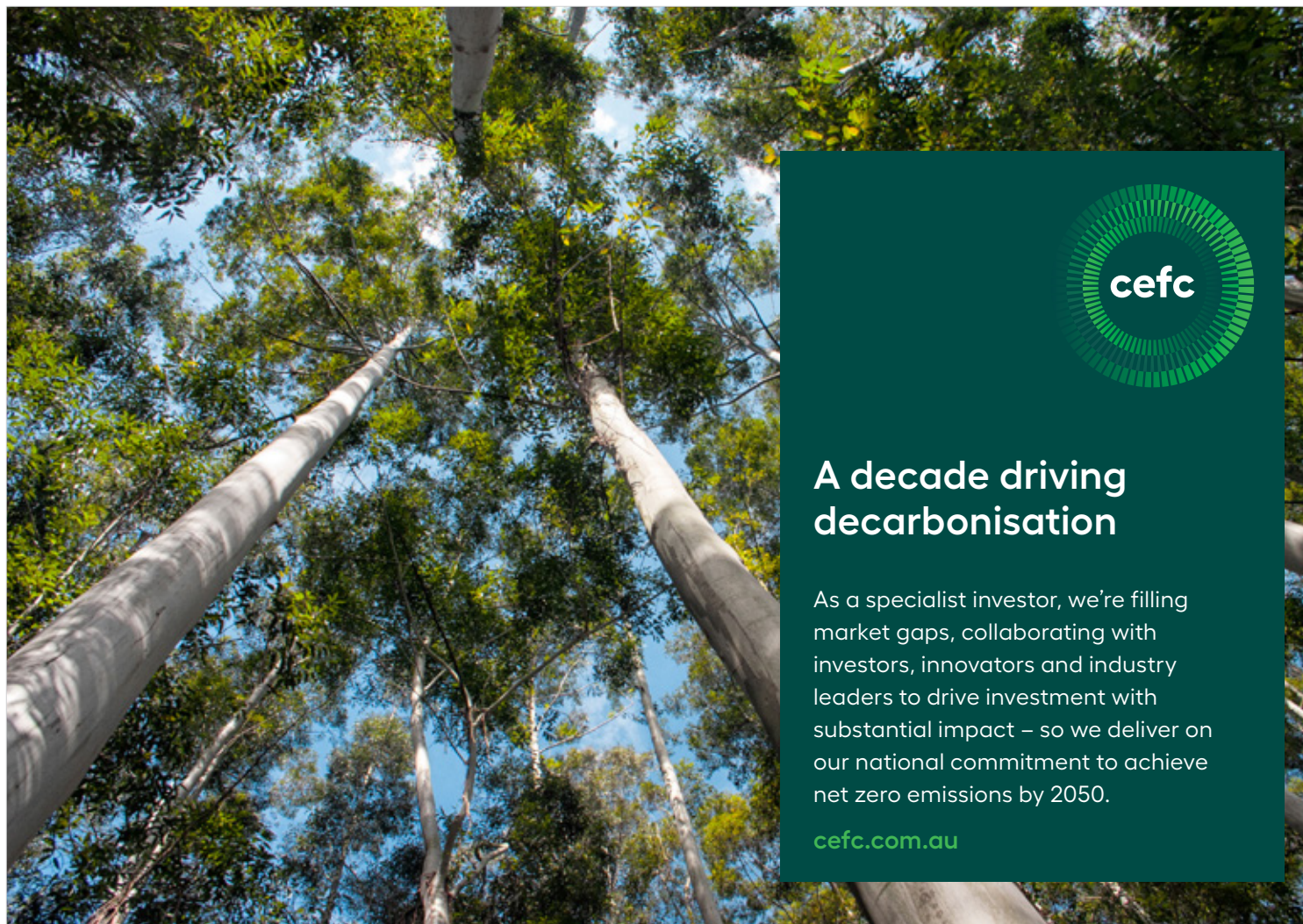


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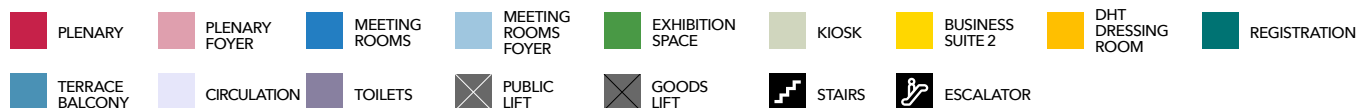
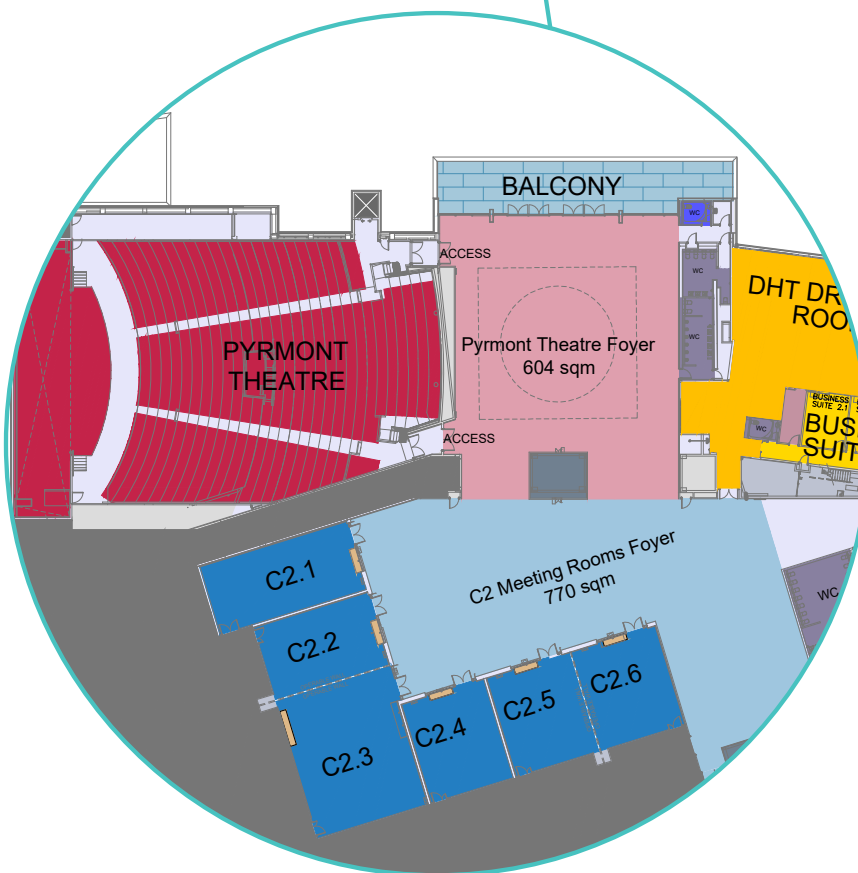
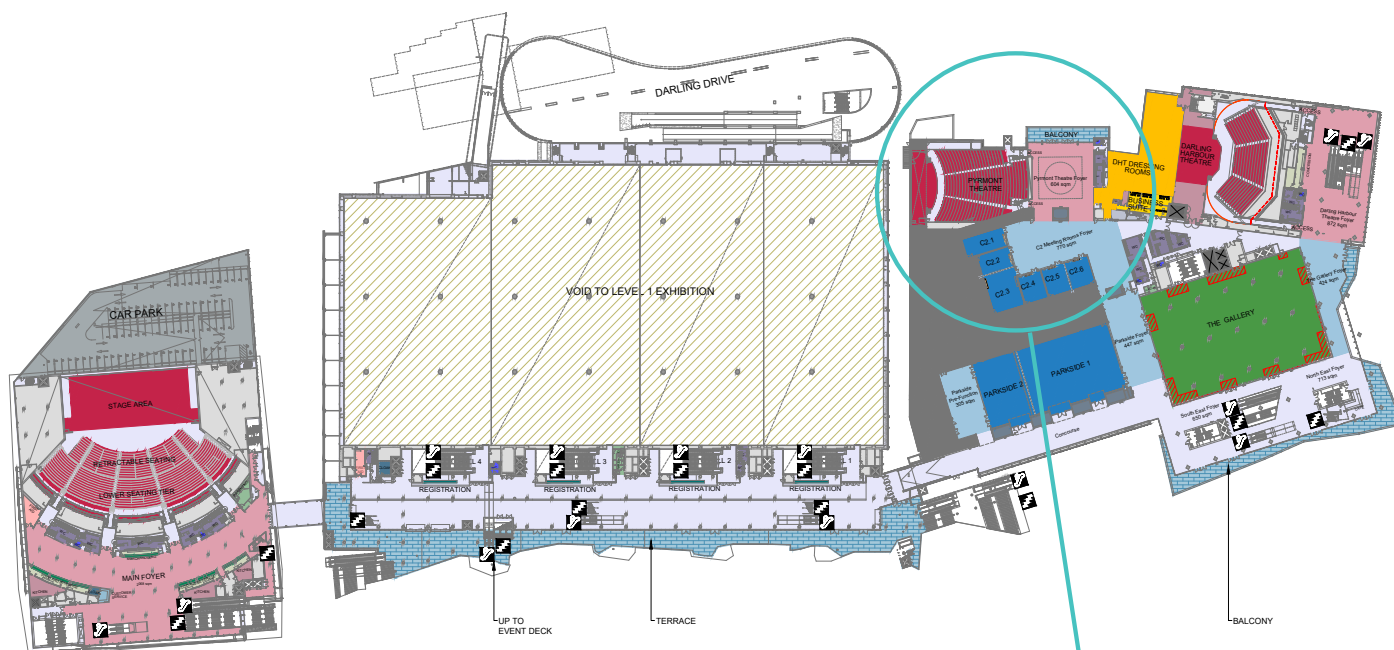
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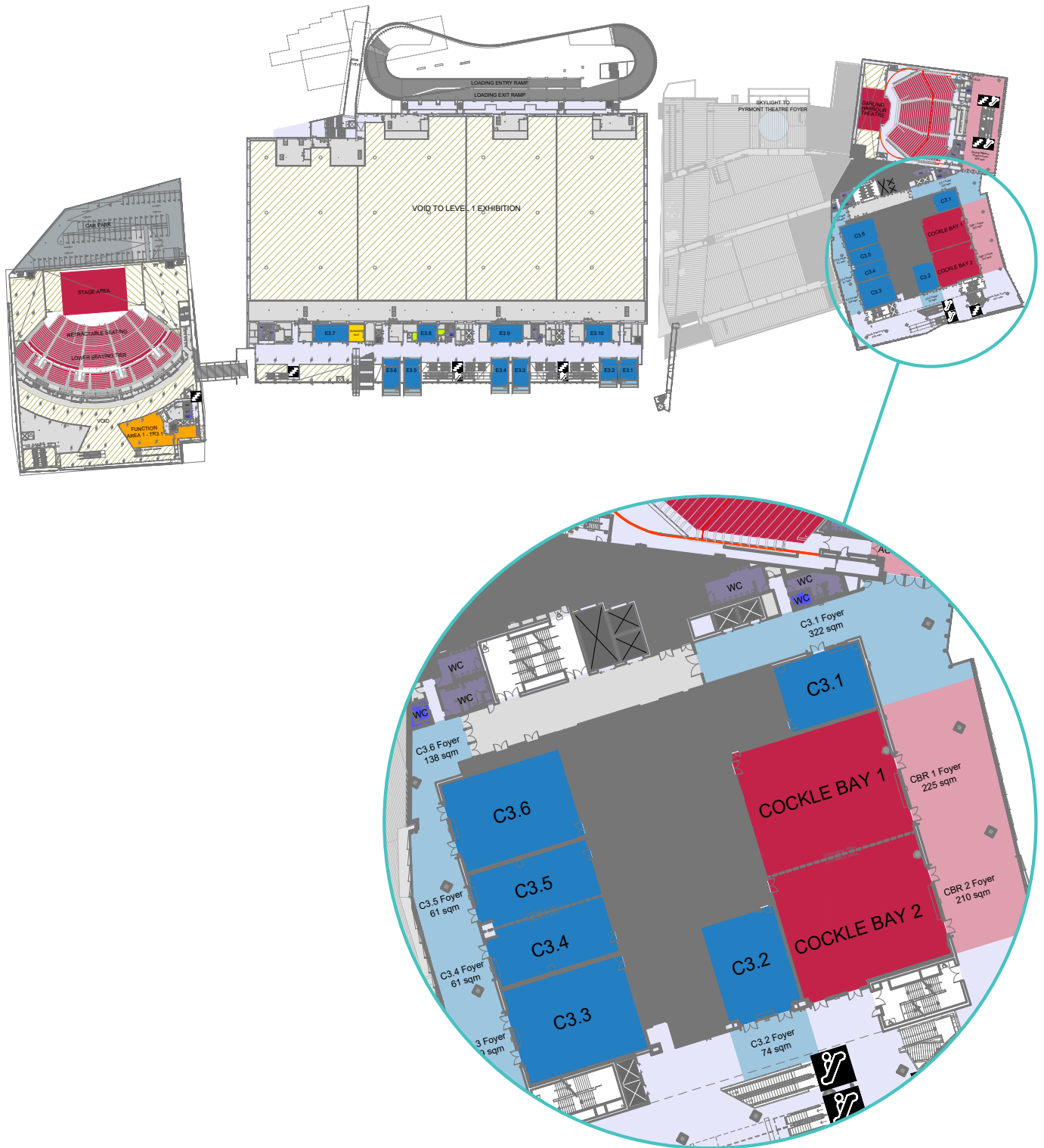


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