



CARBON FARMING INDUSTRY FORUM 2026

Partnership Prospectus

19-21 May 2026 | Esplanade Hotel Fremantle

CELEBRATING 10 YEARS

2026 marks a decade of the Carbon Farming Industry Forum, highlighting the sector's growth and the collaboration behind a credible, high-integrity carbon market. Our 10th year is a moment to look ahead to scaling nature-based solutions, supporting regional communities, and delivering the sequestration needed for Australia's 2050 goals.



DESTINATION: WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Hosting our 10th Forum in WA showcases carbon farming across diverse landscapes—from broadacre agriculture and rangelands to Indigenous-led savanna burning and blue carbon. Being on country enables direct engagement with WA landholders, Traditional Owners, researchers, and government, offering insight into local leadership and innovation.



THE SIGNIFICANCE

The 10th CFIF comes at a critical time, with Safeguard reforms, ACCU Scheme evolution, and the Nature Repair Market reshaping the sector.

By bringing together our 139-organisation network with new WA stakeholders, the Forum strengthens industry capacity for integrity, scale, and co-benefits, and helps shape the next Carbon Farming Industry Roadmap.



2026 OVERVIEW: 10TH CARBON FARMING INDUSTRY FORUM

The 2026 event will be held in May as a two-day conference preceded by a day of carbon project site visits. The CFIF is always held in regional Australia and presents an opportunity to take delegates on field trips to highlight on-ground projects, as well as supporting local businesses and tourism. Building on the success and renown of previous forums, the event provides opportunities

for knowledge exchange, commercial interaction and to workshop solutions to industry issues as well as progressing carbon market integrity, knowledge, and capacity.

Four overarching themes support the sessions, providing a framework for the plenaries and workshops:

4 Key Themes

1. Carbon Farming & Market Developments

Taking stock of the carbon market and recent developments.

- Industry Stocktake - Federal & State actions
- Governance & Transparency measures
- Understanding Safeguard Mechanism interactions
- Net zero sectoral planning and Agriculture & Land sector priorities
- Technology & Data needs
- Next Gen methods & Scaling supply

2. Boosting Integrity, Capacity & Investment

Developments and best practice in market integrity, capacity-building and unlocking finance

- ACCU Scheme review implementation
- Integrity Stocktake & Improvement
- Tools, Resources, Programs to build capacity
- Investible Credits and Financing solutions
- Carbon Service Provider Accreditation and Carbon Industry Code of Conduct reforms

3. Nature Positive, Nature-Based Solutions & Natural Capital

Integrating carbon markets and nature repair

- Roadmap Upgrade - balancing Natural Capital Assessment frameworks
- Nature Repair & Biodiversity & Carbon Market interoperability
- Unlocking Finance for NBS
- Carbon co-benefits & Natural Capital

4. Regional Community Opportunities & Indigenous Carbon

Ensuring participation and equitable benefit-sharing

- Partnerships, Engagement, FPIC
- Landholder Benefits and Protections (Code)
- Regional co-benefits & Community opportunities
- Priorities for a thriving Indigenous Carbon Industry

EACH THEME WILL INCLUDE:

Plenary: presentations from key speakers – allowing knowledge sharing of important themes and developments in the Carbon Farming

Industry Workshops: facilitated workshops in breakout groups – allowing for idea generation and collaboration

Networking and Q&As: facilitated networking – networking and Q&A will aim to build connections within the industry

2025 KEY STATISTICS

324 Delegates **7 Exhibitors**

12 Partners **81 Speakers**

AUDIENCE

The Forum convenes a diverse audience across the entire carbon value chain, drawing on CMI's membership of 139 organisations and wider stakeholder network. Typically, attendees include representatives of national and state government agencies; Indigenous carbon industry leaders; natural resource management organisations; carbon project developers; agricultural, information and geo-spatial technology innovators; emissions intensive and other demand side corporate entities; banks, financiers and strategic advisers.

WHY PARTNER WITH CMI?

The Carbon Farming Industry Forum is an established and highly regarded national forum and 'official partner' recognition status will be awarded across all Forum collateral. Partners receive impactful branding opportunities, program participation, media exposure across the event and related CMI media outputs and delegate passes. Partnership provides a unique opportunity to associate your brand with CMI's leading work in carbon & nature markets, carbon farming and agriculture, and nature positive initiatives. These initiatives include CMI's hosting of the world leading Carbon Industry Code of Conduct.

Partnership is limited with packages outlined below.



Forum Partnership Packages

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HOST PARTNER

SOLD

Our highest-level partner at the Forum, the proud host partner will receive maximum opportunities for exposure and engagement with the Forum program and delegates. Your organisation will be recognised as the sole host partner.

LEAD PARTNER

SOLD

The Lead Partner Package offers unparalleled visibility and influence at the 10th Carbon Farming & Industry Forum, ensuring your organisation is positioned at the forefront of Australia's carbon farming agenda.



COFFEE CART

Add a branded coffee cart on to any partner package to maximise visibility in the Forum space. Speak with CMI to discuss in more detail.

1 | Custom Sponsor Signage on Coffee Cart

Complimentary Registrations

1 | Full Event Registration

\$7,000 + GST (Flat Rate)

1 ONLY

OFFSET PARTNER

The Offset Partner will be recognised for supporting a carbon-neutral Forum, with branding across event collateral and a complimentary registration. This package highlights your organisation's sustainability leadership and commitment to integrity in carbon markets.

Brand

1 | Full Branding & Acknowledgement as Offset partner

Complimentary Registrations

1 | Full Event Registration

\$5,000 (Flat Rate)

1 ONLY

PARTNER

The Partner Package enables a strong presence at the Forum. We work with partner's to ensure they can share their expertise at the event in a way that supports their position in the market.

Forum Participation

1 | Plenary Panel Participation* OR Workshop Participation

1 | Table-Top Exhibition

Brand

1 | Full Branding & Acknowledgement as Partner

Complimentary Registrations

6 | Full Event Registrations

\$16,000 + GST (CMI Member Rate)

\$20,000 + GST (Non-Member Rate)

5 ONLY

SUPPORTER

Supporters are organisations wishing to connect with the Australian carbon market, and promote their brand.

Forum Participation

1 | Table-Top Exhibition

1 | Full Branding & Acknowledgement as Supporter

Complimentary Registrations

3 | Full Event Registrations

\$8,000 (Flat Rate)

5 ONLY

WELCOME NETWORKING RECEPTION PARTNER

SOLD

Begin the two-day program on a high note by hosting the Welcome Reception the night before the Forum—an exclusive networking opportunity where you can connect with key decision-makers.

Forum Participation

- 1 | Welcome address during welcome reception
- 1 | Table-Top exhibition

Brand

- 1 | Full branding & acknowledgement as Welcome Reception Partner

Complimentary Registrations

- 3 | Full Event Registrations

\$10,000 + GST (Flate Rate)

1 ONLY

INDIGENOUS PARTNER

The Indigenous Partnership recognises the critical role of First Nations peoples in Australia's carbon farming industry and ensures their voices are central to the Forum. This package provides complimentary tickets for Indigenous participants, supporting equitable access and representation. In addition, partners receive benefits similar to the Partner package, including branding across event collateral, program participation opportunities, and delegate passes. By becoming an Indigenous Partner, your organisation will demonstrate its commitment to Indigenous leadership, collaboration, and the co-benefits of carbon farming in regional communities.

Forum Participation

- 1 | Participation* OR Workshop Participation
- 1 | Table-Top Exhibition

Brand

- 1 | Full Branding & Acknowledgement as Indigenous Partner

Indigenous Participation

- 10 | Full Event Registrations for First Nations' Delegates

Additional Complimentary Registrations

- 6 | Full Event Registrations

\$10,000 + GST (CMI Member Rate)

\$15,000 + GST (Non-Member Rate)

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Contact us to tailor the inclusions

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