

2023 FIGHT FOOD WASTE RESEARCH IMPACT CONFERENCE

KPMG Sydney
Level 26 Tower 3/300
Barangaroo Ave, Sydney NSW 2000

Time	Session	Presenter
Wednesday 22 November		
Session 1 – OPENING		
9.00am	Welcome	John Webster Chair, Fight Food Waste Ltd
9.15am	Opening address	Brianna Casey CEO, Foodbank Australia
9.30am	2022/23 Year in Review	Dr Steven Lapidge CEO, Fight Food Waste Ltd
Session 2 – TRANSFORM		
10.00am	Collaborating to enable food waste transformation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Fern Ho Co-founder & CEO, Leaf Protein Co ▶ Andrew Redman Chief Technical & Sustainability Officer, Perfection Fresh <p>Project: "Greenleaves" – wet extraction of leaf protein from fresh broccolini and other green leafy vegetable waste.</p>
10:30am	MORNING TEA	
11:00am	Impact from the first five years: TRANSFORM Program	Francesca Goodman-Smith TRANSFORM Program Leader, Fight Food Waste CRC
11:15am	TRANSFORM Product Showcase	Facilitated by Francesca Goodman-Smith Panel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Rowan Little General Manager, Montague Fresh Project: <i>Montague Fresh circular fruit waste.</i> ▶ Rachel Williamson Product Development Manager, AG Schilling & Co Project: <i>Pea Fractionation and non-nut products.</i> ▶ Matthew Kronborg Founder & CEO, Grainstone Project: <i>Prioritisation of value-adding opportunities to upcycle brewing by-products.</i> ▶ Colin Leung Food Technologist, Department of Agriculture & Fisheries Project: <i>Shelf life, nutritional and sensory validation of value-added unmarketable strawberry produce.</i>
12:00pm	TRANSFORM students: Thesis presentations	Hear from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Alexis Chung ▶ Roanna Jones ▶ Hannah Churton ▶ Shanmugan Alagappan ▶ Mary Addae ▶ Melinda Nguyen
12:30pm	LUNCH	

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Session 3 – REDUCE		
1.30pm	Impact from the first five years: REDUCE Program	Associate Professor Simon Lockrey REDUCE Program Leader, Fight Food Waste CRC
1.40pm	REDUCE Projects	Facilitated by Simon Lockrey Hear from: ▶ Dr Bhavna Middha RMIT Project: 1.1.2 Consumer fridge behaviour and waste reduction of red meat. ▶ Peter Stasinopoulos RMIT Project: 1.1.2 Consumer fridge behaviour and waste reduction of red meat. ▶ Associate Professor Lukas Parker RMIT Project: 1.2.4 National date labelling and storage advice – Phase 1. ▶ Dr Upamali Amarakoon Central Queensland University Project: 1.4.1 Enhancing Foodbank's stakeholder engagement.
2.30pm	REDUCE Research Insights	Facilitated by Simon Lockrey Panel: ▶ Amanda Kane Manager, Organics, NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) ▶ Sarah Pennell Chief Operating Officer, Foodbank Australia ▶ Tim Brown Co-founder, Gander Australia ▶ Victor Barichello Chief Executive Officer, Empauer Pty Ltd
2.55pm	REDUCE students: Thesis presentations	Hear from: ▶ Huize Ni ▶ Nisansala Ranundeniya ▶ Jack Hetherington ▶ Brian Llagas ▶ Khouloud Kamalmaz
3.05pm	REDUCE Projects	▶ Janet Howieson Curtin University Project: 1.3.1 On board processing and packaging innovation in the Australian wild harvest prawn fishery. ▶ Nerida Kelton (Pre-recorded video) Executive Director, Australian Institute of Packaging Project: 1.2.1 Save food packaging criteria and framework.
3:40pm	AFTERNOON TEA	



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Session 4 – STOP FOOD WASTE AUSTRALIA		
4.00pm	Delivering sustainability: the power of partnerships and collaboration	Sam Oakden Head of Australian Food Pact, Stop Food Waste Australia
4.20pm	The Australian Food Pact- 2 years young	Sam Oakden Head of Australian Food Pact, Stop Food Waste Australia Hear from: ▶ Sirina Gezer Agrifood Science Manager, Innovation & Growth, Simplot Australia ▶ Winston Hugh National Food Waste Reduction Manager, Compass Australia
5.00pm	Impactful Collaborations – Horticulture Sector Action Plan	Facilitated by Sam Oakden Panel: ▶ Melissa Smith Horticulture lead, Stop Food Waste Australia ▶ Molly Chapman TRANSFORM Deputy Program Lead, Fight Food Waste CRC ▶ Johnathon Davey Executive Officer, Melons Australia
5.30pm	End of day one	
5:30pm – 7.00pm	CONFERENCE NETWORKING EVENT	Drinks and canapes Sussex Hotel, 20 Sussex Street, Sydney

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Session 5 – ENGAGE		
9.00am	Day two welcome	Professor David Pearson ENGAGE Program Leader, Fight Food Waste CRC
9.05am	International progress on food waste, and European consumer behaviour change campaigns	Toine Timmermans Director, Fight Food Waste Ltd Program Manager, Sustainable Food Chain, Wageningen University & Research
9.40am	Impact from first five years: ENGAGE Program	Professor David Pearson ENGAGE Program Leader, Fight Food Waste CRC
10.00am	Impact from Evaluating Household Interventions project	Facilitated by Sarah Hughes ENGAGE Program Coordinator, Fight Food Waste CRC Hear from: ▶ Dr Gamithri Karunasena Fight Food Waste CRC ▶ Libby McKay Campaign Manager, Eat Well Tasmania ▶ Amanda Kane Manager Organics, NSW Environment Protection Authority
10.30am	MORNING TEA	
11.00am	Harvesting Change: Uniting a Nation to Conquer Food Waste	Mandy Hall Marketing Director, Fight Food Waste Ltd
11.20am	Update from Saveful	Kate McQuestin Corporate Affairs Director, Saveful
11.30am	Impact from Future Leaders	Associate Professor Olav Muurlink Future Leaders Program Leader for Central Queensland University Hear from: ▶ Associate Professor Tangerine Holt Future Leaders Program Leader for KPMG ENGAGE Program students: ▶ Danica Jobson ▶ Sijia Liu ▶ Regine Abos ▶ Stacey Tabert ▶ Xuan Li ▶ Ester Landells
12.25	Closing address	Professor David Pearson ENGAGE Program Leader, Fight Food Waste CRC
12.30pm	LUNCH	
1:30pm	End of conference	
Session 6 – PARTICIPANTS MEETING & AGM		
1.30pm	Participants Meeting	John Webster Chair, Fight Food Waste Ltd Dr Steven Lapidge CEO, Fight Food Waste Ltd
2.30pm	FFWL Annual General Meeting	Geoff Crook CFO/Company Secretary, Fight Food Waste Ltd
3.00pm	Close of Participants Meeting/AGM - End of day two	