

# NATIONAL CONFERENCE

16th - 18th October

# 2024



## Wednesday 16th October

**09:00 – 13:00** **Board meeting**  
(Board members only)  
Atrium Room, Crowne Plaza Melbourne



**13:00 - 15:00** **Board & Industry Partners Lunch**  
(Board members & Industry Partners only)  
Atrium Room, Crowne Plaza Melbourne



**16:00 – 19:30** **Welcome Reception & Exhibitor Speed Dating**  
Crowne Plaza Melbourne  
Dress: '70s



## Thursday 17th October

**8:15 – 17:15** **Conference**  
Crowne Plaza Melbourne



**18:00 – 22:00** **Networking Dinner**  
Pins Royale Room, Kingpin Crown (enter via Whiteman St)  
Dress: Something gold



## Friday 18th October

**10:00 - 14:45** **Factory Visit (Sponsored by Reid Construction Systems)**  
InfraBuild steel mill & Hollow Core Concrete  
(members only & partners)



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# Conference Programme

08:15 – 08:30	<b>Registration (Crowne Plaza Melbourne)</b> Dress – relaxed casual
08:30 – 08:40	<b>Conference open &amp; welcome</b> Joe Healy, Hollow Core Concrete & NP President & Sarah Bachmann, NP CEO
08:40 – 08:50	<b>Conference Partner Presentation 1</b> Brett King, National Technical Manager, Leviat Australia
08:55 – 10:10	<b>WORKSHOP: Hire the RIGHT people - a system that works</b> Marnie Jones, Director, TALENT X, EDUCATE X, BUSINESS POWER X
10:10 – 10:30	<b>Morning Tea</b>
10:30 – 11:30	<b>Getting started with AI</b> Dawid Naude, CEO, Pathfindr.ai
11:35 – 11:45	<b>Conference Partner Presentation 2</b> Ian Ferrier, Product Development Manager, Reid Construction Systems
11:50 – 12:00	<b>National Precast update</b> Sarah Bachmann, NP CEO
12:00 – 13:15	<b>Lunch (incl. Speed Dating)</b>
13:15– 13:25	<b>Conference Partner Presentation 3</b> Aruna Dissanayake, Engineering Manager, PSA
13:30 – 14:10	<b>EPDs &amp; product conformance</b> Barbara Nebel, CEO, thinkstep-anz
14:10 – 14:30	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>
14:30 – 15:45	<b>WORKSHOP: Creating an accountability culture</b> Marnie Jones, Director, TALENT X, EDUCATE X, BUSINESS POWER X
15:50– 16:10	<b>Data security &amp; hacking: our experience</b> Michael Hudson, Managing Director, Hudson Civil
16:15 – 16:35	<b>Joint venturing into low carbon concrete</b> Alberto Ferraro, Managing Director, PERMAcast
16:40 – 17:10	<b>Collaborating for concrete sustainability</b> Hugh Ong, Portfolio Director, SmartCrete CRC
17:10	<b>Discussion &amp; Close</b>

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