VENUE
RACV Pines Resort Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia

DATE
Thursday 14 May to Friday 22 May, 2020

Please refer to the RACV Royal Pines Resort website for further information.

CONFERENCE BROCHURE
Dear Members,

Partners, Arboriculture and Vegetation Management Industries.

Arboriculture Australia™ is pleased to announce the RACV Royal Pines Resort, Benowa, Gold Coast, Queensland is the venue hosting our 2020 Annual Conference, Workshops, Trade Show and Australian Tree Climbing Championships, between 14-22 May, 2020. There’s never been a better time to reconnect and re-engage with the arboricultural & vegetation management industry and no better place than the Gold Coast to host our prestigious annual event.

This spectacular venue on the Gold Coast offers the opportunity to combine the conference, educational sessions and trade exhibitions plus the Australian Tree Climbing Championships (ATCC) in a world class subtropical resort. This year will see the annual largest industry conference in the southern hemisphere delivery three consecutive conference streams covering Urban Forestry, Utility Vegetation Management and we are excited to announce the return of the Practicing Arborist stream featuring presentations and hands-on practical sessions from leading international and Australian arborists.

The 2020 Annual Conference venue offers a great opportunity to bring the family along - they can be entertained by the excellent kid’s activities at the Royal Pines Resort and it’s in close proximity to the fantastic theme parks and other tourist opportunities the Gold Coast and surrounding areas provide. In addition, the RACV Royal Pines Resort, ideal for those delegates who wish to have a few rounds of golf on one of the best courses in Australia.

We look forward to welcoming you to our 2020 National Arboriculture and Vegetation Management Conference.

Register online trees.org.au/register
Urban trees are central to providing healthy vibrant and attractive cities throughout the world. They provide a wide range of ecosystem services from mitigating the effects of climate change to providing a sense of place. Diversity in our urban tree population can increase their overall resilience to drought, heatwaves, storms and the rise of pests and diseases. These challenges call for the selection of the appropriate tree species and the design and implementation of novel urban tree management strategies to enhance diversity and resilience.

Diversity can take many forms. It can relate to the diversity of genus, family of species that make up the urban forests, but it can also relate to the diversity of tree locations: for example, pavements, car parks, private gardens, biofilters, golf courses and of course remnant woodlands. Diversity may also relate to the wide range of perspectives and values that urban residents associate with trees in their city, and how they engage in the decision-making and management of those trees.

This international conference, brings together leading researchers and practitioners to discuss aspects of urban tree diversity from around the world. The aim of the event is to assess the state of art research and promote the development of good practice and innovative approaches to urban tree planning and management. The conference will be interdisciplinary, while also engaging urban tree professionals working for the public and private sector, as well as NGOs.

The conference's perspective on the urban tree diversity will include the following topics:

- Selection of urban trees.
- Diverse approaches to design, integrate and establish urban trees.
- Ecosystem services provided by diverse urban trees populations.
- Strategies and planning for the urban tree diversity.
- Managing diverse threats: such as pest, diseases, climate change, invasiveness.
- Diverse social ecological perspectives, values and engagement with urban trees.
PRESENTED BY DR HILLARY BENNETT

Topics:
- Mindset and Practices: The Key To An Engaged Health and Safety culture
- Shifting mindset and engaging safe practices

PRESENTED BY CRISTOPHER BRACK

Topics:
- Engaging and effectively using private resources throughout the entire life cycle of a street of trees

PRESENTED BY ASSOC. PROFESSOR JOE HURLEY, RMIT

Topics:
- Is land-use planning important to the urban forest?
From the introduction of the very first telegraph lines, history has shown how trees and vegetation have played havoc with our utility infrastructure. Fast forward to present day with the utility industry responsible for electricity supplies, telecommunication, waterways and rail networks. We bear witness to how utility arboriculture has transformed into a highly specialised vegetation management subset of arboriculture.

Utility arboriculture now represents an estimated $350 million of arboricultural work in Australia each year adjacent to electricity supplies, plus work adjacent to rail, waterways and telecommunications networks.

The principal objective of the Utility Arboriculture Association of Australia is in driving the standards of both tree work and safety within the industry and ensure consistency nationwide.

The convening of the Utility Arborist Stream is to give focus to and target the real issues that affect safety, sharing best practice and adopting risk-based, tree management programmes for any trees surrounding utilities, particularly electricity networks, in order to reduce power-outages and safeguard the public.

"Utility Arboriculture as an Industry has undergone quite a transition to become a complex and diverse stream of utility vegetation management".
The Utility Arborist streams will include a diverse range of both international and local presenters soon to be announced who will be covering the following topics:

- Conservation Trusts
- Conservation and Risk programs
- Personal Protective Equipment - heavy clothing
- Undergrounding Dandenong’s working with community
- Back to Basics - safety vs compliance
- ENA Update - what makes a good vegetation program
- Victorian Government bushfire program
- UAAA panel discussion Vegetation

PRESENTED BY DAN MARSH
Topics
- Power Line Safety During Wildfire for Vegetation Operations
- Insights into North American wildfires and utilities

PRESENTED BY PHILIP JOHNSON

PRESENTED BY CRAIG HALLAM
Topics
- Improving the knowledge base for assessing Hazard Trees within utility vegetation management

PRESENTED BY IAN FITZPATRICK
Topics
- Tree Management
- Complimentary Engineering Solutions

PRESENTED BY DR HILLARY BENNETT
Topics
- Mindset and Practices: The Key To An Engaged Health and Safety culture
- Shifting mindset and engaging safe practices

PRESENTED BY ERIC WOODYARD
Topics
- Why California Utilities and Government are Losing the Battle Against Wildfire
- Today’s Utility Vegetation Management Program is Not Designed to Mitigate Wildfire Ignitions

PRESENTED BY KEVIN HAMBLIN

CO-PRESENTED BY STACIE GRASSANO
Topics
- Co presenting with Andrew Slack-Smith
  Extracting value from LiDAR, Enabling Understanding through Use Cases

CO-PRESENTED BY ANDREW SLACK-SMITH
Topics
- Co presenting with Andrew Slack-Smith
  Extracting value from LiDAR, Enabling Understanding through Use Cases

PRESENTED BY TIM WICKS

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NEW!
APPLIED ARBORIST & UTILITY VEGETATION WORKSHOP

We are delighted to announce the addition of a dedicated stream for hands-on arborists.

The Applied Arborist & Utility Vegetation Workshop will feature a mix of indoor presentations and outdoor demonstrations, delivered by some of the most well-known arborists from Australia and around the world.

The Applied Arborist & Utility Vegetation Workshop will also provide a great opportunity for networking and crossover into the Utilities and Urban Forester realms. The latest studies and information from these worlds are sometimes slow to transfer across into the practical world, and the inclusion of applied Arborist & Utility Vegetation Workshop at the 2020 conference is one way to bridge the gap. Make the most of this opportunity to get in front of the industry and progress arboriculture to the next level. Add this into the exciting national tree climbing competition and a full trade show of equipment and tools, you have a value-added stream for the professional practicing arborists and utility vegetation managers.

There will be something to spark the interest of gear junkies, minimalistic climbers, and those who want to step it up a notch in their arboricultural career.

The full list of speakers and topics is still to be confirmed, but we are looking at workshops including:

- The latest developments in equipment for climbing and rigging.
- Machine-assisted tree work and
- Equipment inspection and splicing.
Delegates can expect to participate in workshops and learn about the latest innovations and developments in equipment for climbing and rigging; machine-assisted tree work; equipment inspection and splicing.

- Talks & Demonstrations
- Fatigue Management
- Gear set-up & Configuration
- Complex Rigging and Cabling

Practical Sessions

- MASTER YOUR COMMUNICATION & RELATIONSHIPS WITH CUSTOMERS
  With John Mailer from Protrade

- CHAINSAW MAINTENANCE
  With STIHL

- EWP AND INSULATED TOOLS
  With Brenden Walsh from Mobile Test and Cal

- WOODCHIPPER MAINTENANCE
  With Ben Swanson and Jeremy Gosper from Marriott Tree Equipment
TREES ANATOMY WORKSHOP

Only a few places available, selling out fast
As professional arborists we know how prolific and iconic trees are, but have you ever wanted to gain a deeper knowledge of the inner workings and anatomy of trees?

Arboriculture Australia™ is delighted to announce a very special Tree Anatomy Workshop open to members attending the National Conference in May 2020.

Shigo’s famous touching trees workshop has been given a new lease of life by Mark Hartley and Adam Tom, who are Australia’s renowned subject matter experts. A workshop in high demand wherever it is delivered around the world!

Now is the time to secure this once in a lifetime opportunity.

Day and Time.
May 15-17, 2020
Workshop 1 - SOLD OUT

May 20-22, 2020
Workshop 2

This three-day workshop is a best seller, selling out at every Arboriculture Australia and ISA Conference and at almost everywhere else they are delivered around the world.

This is a ‘sleeves rolled up’ and ‘hands-on’ laboratory exploration about how trees work. It’s a once-in-a-lifetime workshop that you won’t forget or regret investing your time in.
You will develop a three-dimensional cellular understanding of trees that many arborists lack. You will gain the skills to prepare samples and leave with practical exercises you can use on your own and with others.

If you diagnose tree problems, assess development impacts on trees and/or prune trees understanding their inner workings will help you to make better decisions.

- Find and identify many of the common cells found in trees.
- Gain a better understanding of roots and how they work.
- Develop an understanding of how xylem functions in three different planes.
- Discover how codit really works.
- Observe how vessels interact around the branch collar and how this influences how we prune.
- Touch and examine unusual and specially selected samples.
- Get intimate with trees like you never have before.

By dissecting and examining samples and using prepared slides you will:

“Thoroughly enjoyed... I have been looking forward to this class for three months and it exceeded my expectations”

“Best workshop I’ve ever been to”

“Comforting to know arboricultural practice is in such good hands”
The Australian Tree Climbing Championship (ATCC) is the pinnacle tree climbing event on the Australian calendar and Arboriculture Australia Ltd is proud to host the event as part of its annual national conference.

The competition is open to men and women to compete in a closed format free style climbing competition. With such a high caliber of Australian climbers expected to participate, the 2020 ATCC promises to be a cracker as we aim to significantly raise the standard.

The winners of the Australian Tree Climbing Championship will participate in the International Tree Climbing Championships in Albuquerque, NM on August 7-9, 2020.

Sign up to volunteer at the event at trees.org.au/atcc-volunteer

Day 1 - Gear Check
And Judges briefing to be held at the Hydrate Bar located in the lobby of the RACV Royal Pines Resort, Gold Coast, Queensland.

Day 2 - Preliminary Events
to be held at a Cascade Gardens, Gold Coast, Queensland.

Day 3 - Masters Events
To be held at the RACV Royal Pines Resort. 6.30pm ATCC awards presentation, Trade Exhibition Area.
TRADE EXHIBITION
OUR BIGGEST EVER

2020 saw our trade exhibition grow to 24 exhibitors. This is the largest trade exhibit the association has seen in the last 20 years. Apart from the traditional indoor trade area, this year we are taking full advantage of the outside lawn area where all exhibitors and sponsors can have the opportunity to display large equipment and run demonstrations.

**Exhibitor**
- Active Tree Services
- Ahearn
- Altec
- Arbor Australis
- Arbortrim
- Artrack
- Asplundh
- Bandit
- Citywide
- DNA Training
- Eastern Tree Services
- ENSPEC
- Hansa Products
- Heritage Tree Care
- Husqvarna
- NM Group
- Platform Sales
- Powerclear
- Private Brands
- Speciality Trees
- STIHL
- Thoughtplanters
- Treescape
- Treeserve
- Tudor Insurance Brokers
- Vermeer
- Minimum Industry Standards
- Arboriculture Australia Book Stand

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GENERAL INFORMATION

CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS

Arboriculture Australia Professional Registered Members and ISA Certified arborists will be able to gain CEUs in all sections of this Arboriculture Australia Ltd Annual event. CEU forms will be located at the registration desk each day.

Please note it is the responsibility of the individual registered member to ensure the forms are signed before leaving the conference.

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ANNUAL GALA DINNER

The RACV Royal Pines offers a fantastic setting for this year’s Gala Dinner prepare yourself for a sit down for a full 3 course meal including beverage package.

Relax and enjoy some light entertainment while catching up with colleagues and friends.

Catering sponsored by

STIHL MATES BAR

Welcome Reception and Gala Dinner refreshments is brought to you courtesy of STIHL our major partner.

CATERING

Morning, afternoon teas and lunch are included in the registration fees. Meals will be served in the Trade Display Area at the conference venue. The cost of Gala Dinner and Welcome Reception is included in your conference registration fee. Please indicate your attendance in the registration form. For additional guest tickets, contact the events team.

For all special dietary requirements please inform the events team: conference@trees.org.au

DRESS CODE

Welcome Reception: Neat casual

TOURS AND NETWORKING EVENTS

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

The Welcome Reception will be held in the Trade Exhibition Area set amongst the backdrop of the industry’s finest products and equipment. Activity sponsored by our major partners.

Tours & Golf activities to be announced.
ANNUAL GALA DINNER: COCKTAIL

Delegates must wear their name badges at all times or entry will be refused. No singlet or thongs permitted.

SPONSOR AND TRADE EXHIBITION

The Trade Exhibition will be available as both an indoor and outdoor area.

The indoor area will provide a more intimate networking feel where you can catch up with colleagues and potential clients throughout the days catering sessions. This area will permit walk-in material only. There will also be a large outdoor area available for our Sponsors & Trade Exhibitors who would like to showcase their larger equipment.

Bring your biggest and brightest equipment to our designated outdoor trade area and showcase them to the industry! Delegates will have a direct line of entry past this area when they attend the conference venue. Make sure you make the most of this opportunity to show case everything you have to offer to the industry!

WANT TO EXHIBIT?

Contact the Trade Exhibit Team - Call 1300 664 374 or email conference@trees.org.au

REGISTRATION, TOUR AND SOCIAL FUNCTION COSTS

Early Bird Conference Registration (up to January 31)

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Please note: Arboriculture Australia has offered a discounted rate to the *Applied Arborist & Utility Vegetation Work registration. The reduced price does not include access to the Urban Forestry or the UAAA sessions or the annual dinner.

If you require full access to all conference sessions and the Gala dinner, you will need to purchase a full conference registration.

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The RACV Royal Pines Resort has something for everyone including a generous 10% discount across the entire hotel including the Spa, Food and Beverage, Tennis and the Golf Course for all our Conference attendees.

** 10% discount available for all Conference attendees staying at the resort.

The RACV Royal Pines Resort
Ross Street Benowa QLD 4217

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There are several restaurants in the resort including:

**Videre**
Take the high tea experience to a new level, with Videre Restaurant High Tea. Located on level 21 and overlooking the Gold Coast, this unique high tea will amaze your eyes and taste buds with our in-house Chef de Patisserie’s wonderful creations. Enjoy High Tea from Friday to Sunday from 10am to 3pm.

**Trattoria Amici**
Inspired Italian food including antipasto, wood fired pizzas, salads, a wide range of pasta dishes, classic main courses and indulgent desserts. Trattoria Amici is a wonderful dining experience to share with family and friends. Takeaway also available. Open for dinner seven days from 5:30pm until late.

**Arakawa**
Arakawa is fashioned in the traditional Japanese style. Offering enticing dining options including intricately hand-crafted sushi, traditional a la carte dishes and the thrills of teppanyaki tables. Arakawa also features intimate tatami tables which can be reserved for special occasions. Open for dinner from Tuesday to Sunday from 5:00pm with early bird dining options.
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Sit back and take in the panoramic views of the magnificent resort grounds while you enjoy coffee, refreshments, lunch and indulgent high teas. It’s an ideal meeting place for business or pleasure. Open seven days from 7am to 5pm.

Kalinda

Enjoy casual breakfast buffet dining at Kalinda Restaurant. Start your day with a hot buffet breakfast, along with continental options, specialty pastries from our in-house pastry kitchen and plenty of coffee and refreshing juice to get your day underway. Open for breakfast seven days, from 6:30-10:30am.

Tees Clubhouse

Enjoy the magnificent views of the golf course with seating available either indoor or outdoor in a friendly clubhouse. Offering all day casual dining with a wide selection of breakfast and lunch items, it is an excellent casual dining option.

Hydrate

Hydrate Bar provides a spacious and welcoming environment to enjoy a drink and bar snacks with friends and colleagues. Hydrate Bar is also available for private functions.

Arika Pool Bar

Relax at RACV Royal Pines Resort’s Arika Pool Bar & Terrace beside the outdoor tropical pool. A range of light snacks & meals are available to enjoy poolside or on the terrace.

Accommodation

Accommodation availability is based on select Run of House rooms (Mountain View & Superior Rooms) and Spa Suites. The advertised rates are for room only.

Room configurations

No specific configurations are currently held and subject to availability. Mountain View Rooms = 2 X Double beds only. Superior Rooms - Mixture of 2 X Double beds & King beds, Spa Suites & Executive Suite is King bed only. Family Room configuration options subject to availability.

Additional Charges

A maximum of 2 adults and 2 children or 3 adults may be accommodated within our guest rooms An extra person / bed charge of $50.00 per night will apply for the 3rd adult sharing a guest room or where additional bedding is required to accommodate guests

Infants 0 – 3 years of age utilising a cot stay free of charge. Children 4 – 14 years of age sharing the same room as their parents and using existing bedding are free of charge to a maximum of two children per room.

Breakfast

Buffet breakfast is available in the Kalinda Restaurant has been included in the advertised accommodation breakfast rates. Breakfast is $22.00 per person and must be pre-booked with your accommodation. If guest do not take an accommodation rate with breakfast included prior to arrival the walk-in rate at Kalinda Restaurant will be charged at $34.00. $12.50 per child aged 5 - 17 years.
**CONFERENCE HOTEL**

**Check-in / Check-out**

Check-in at 2.00pm | Check-out at 11.00am.
Any departure after 11.00am to 5.00pm will incur an additional charge of $20.00 per hour/ per room. Departures after 5.00pm will incur an additional night’s room rate.

24 hours’ notice is required where the conference attendee wishes to check-out earlier than the scheduled departure date.

**Parking**

Complimentary self-car parking for guests.

**Internet**

Complimentary WiFi internet throughout the conference area, hotel and guest rooms.

**Spa and Golf**

10% discount towards One Spa and Golf booking for the duration of the Conference (excluding group bookings)

**Child minding Services**

Want to bring the kids, child minding services are on request to the hotel, this will ensure your children are looked after so you can enjoy the conference sessions and social functions.

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**GENERAL INFORMATION, TERMS & CONDITIONS**

**Registration fees**

**Members and Non members**

The registration fee covers attendance at all Conference Sessions, morning and afternoon teas, lunches, Sunday Welcome Reception, Gala Dinner, Arboriculture Australia Name Tag and lanyard, Conference Handbook, Conference Satchel and CD of proceedings.

For catering purposes, please indicate your intent to attend any of the social functions listed on the Registration Form. Please note that if no indication is given on the registration form, a non-attendance will be assumed, and catering will not be provided. You can purchase additional guest tickets for additional social functions, Gala Dinner and Welcome Reception.

**Students only**

To be eligible for a student rate, you must either be a current Arboriculture Australia Student member, or you must submit a letter signed by your RTO, TAFE, University or School Lecturer stating your current enrolment in an Arboriculture or Horticulture Course. This letter must be signed by the head lecturer, be presented on the institution’s official letterhead, and must include the signatory’s contact details for verification of enrolment purposes.

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Workshops

Workshop Fees and corresponding attendance limits are outlined in the program table.

Loyalty discount

A Loyalty discount is available to selected members. To qualify for the Loyalty Discount, delegates must be a current Arboriculture Australia member and have attended last year’s 2019, Alice Springs conference as a paying delegate or as a speaker.

Registration desk

The Registration desk will be located in the trade area. Opening times are indicated on the conference schedule.

GST

Arboriculture Australia Ltd will issue a tax invoice for all conference fees.

Privacy

Please complete the privacy section of the registration form if you do not want your personal information to be included in the published participant list. The list may be circulated to conference delegates and trade exhibitors at the discretion of Arboriculture Australia Ltd.

Cancellation of Registration

There is no refund of Conference registration fees or accommodation bookings, but tickets and accommodation are transferrable.

This must be notified in writing to conference@trees.org.au no later than May 1, 2020.

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