

Wednesday 26 July – NZGA Winter Seminar Day 1

Energy Transition in Aotearoa – the role of geothermal

Great Lake Centre, Taupō

12:00	Getting ready: Registrations, lunch, networking Free barista coffee: bring your own keep cup
13:00	Karakia, welcome and introductions
13:20	Energy transition in Aotearoa: 1) Governing transformation: How are national policy frameworks and regulatory landscapes shaping the course of change? <i>Chaired by Wendy McGuinness, the McGuinness Institute Te Hononga Waka</i> <i>Ken Allen - MPI</i> <i>Angela Parker - MBIE</i> <i>Merewyn Groom - Te Uru Rākau - New Zealand Forest Service</i> <i>Ed Parker - NZTE</i> <i>Mary Pappon - Bay of Plenty Regional Council</i> <i>Jim McLeod - Waikato Regional Council</i>
15:35	Our Future Voices: Student sponsorship
15:45	Afternoon tea
16:15	Energy transition in Aotearoa: 2) Our collaborative voices in our transition journey <i>Chaired by Kennie Tsui - New Zealand Geothermal Association</i> <i>Kevin Hart - New Zealand Wind Energy Association</i> <i>Mike Hopkins - Carbon and Energy Professionals (CEP)</i> <i>Simon Arnold - National Energy Research Institute (NERI)</i> <i>Charlotte Downes - The Diversity Agenda</i>
17:15	Day 1 Close

Thursday 27 July – NZGA Winter Seminar Day 2

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8:30am-9:15am	Getting ready: Registrations, and networking Free barista coffee: bring your own keep cup
09:15	Karakia, welcome and reflection of Day 1
09:20	Waiwhatu project – new Māori words about our geothermal resource
09:40	Keynote speaker: Glenn Wellington - Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority (EECA)
10:10	Energy transition in Aotearoa: 3) Accelerating the energy transition: What are the actions/projects/technologies that our communities are undertaking to accelerate transformation without compromising reliability and energy security? <i>Chaired by Clare Baxter - NZGA</i> <i>Global perspective in energy transition - Heidi Rydningen - OMV</i> <i>The End of Silica Scaling and Unlocking the Full Potential of Geothermal Energy</i> <i>Presented by Professor Jim Johnston and Dr Michael Schweig - CaSil Technologies Ltd</i>
11:15	Morning tea

11:45	<p>Energy transition in Aotearoa: 3) Accelerating the energy transition: What are the actions/projects/technologies that our communities are undertaking to accelerate transformation without comprising reliability and energy security? <i>Chaired by Clare Baxter - NZGA</i></p> <p><i>Growing our international capability: delivering geothermal training programmes overseas – Greg Ussher (Jacobs) and Matt Sophy (Contact Energy)</i></p> <p><i>Contact Energy: Tauhara project update - Craig Woolacott</i></p> <p><i>He Ahi Eco-Energy Park - Blandina Diamond</i></p>
13:00	Lunch
13:45	<p>Energy transition in Aotearoa: 4) The collaborative and cross-disciplinary themes that our industry is all facing. How can we foster collaboration and build innovative partnerships between cross-sectoral businesses? <i>Chaired by Jacqui Nelson - NZGA</i></p> <p><i>Phoenix Metal Recycling - our carbon zero plant in Taupō - Hilary West-Reeve</i></p> <p><i>Genesis Energy - Huntly power station in transition - Scott Westbury</i></p>
15:10	Our Future Voices: Student sponsorship
15:30	Afternoon tea
16:00	Our Future Voices: Student sponsorship
16:30	Energy transition in Aotearoa: 5) Our future generation’s voices Secondary school team presentation
16:45	NZGA updates
17:00	Day 2 close and karakia