

Queensland Landcare Conference
Caloundra: Tuesday 14 — Friday 17 September 2010
—Summary of the conference program—

Stream codes	
Core stream topics: C—.....: Natural resource management: C—NRM Landcare project reports: C—LPR Integrated land management: C—ILM	Subsidiary topics: S—.....: Sustainable Land management options: C—SLM Income diversification: C—ID Subsidiary topics: S—ST

Times	Stream	Subjects and activities <i>For descriptions of what happens in the Keynote presentations, Forums and Workshops see the Structure and activities section in the attached speakers' etc. brief.</i>
14 September		
1.00 to 4.30pm	Conference registration, welcome and introduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Delegate arrivals and registration. ◆ Official welcomes ◆ Explanation of the aims, themes, activities and format of the conference and how to use the conference program timetable. [This briefing should not be missed by delegates if they wish to get the best out of the structure of the conference program and avoid those frustrating timetable clashes on core stream activities that are so common in many other multi-stream conferences.]
7.00 to 8.30pm	Welcome reception	Meet and mingle with fellow delegates.
15 September		
6.45 to 7.45am 15, 16 and 17 September	Recreation	Daily early morning recreational activity sessions to refresh the mind, body and soul will be conducted for those who want to participate at either an 'introductory' or 'experienced practitioner' level. A choice of Meditation, Yoga, Tai Chi, or Nature Walks will be available
9.00 to 11.30am	Recreation	Arts and crafts demonstrations
9.00am to 5.05pm	Management of Natural Resources C—NRM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Keynote presentation— Soils ◆ Keynote presentation— Water ◆ Keynote presentation— Vegetation and biodiversity ◆ Two forums on Management of Natural Resources
	Natural Sequence Farming C—SLM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Keynote presentation ◆ Two forums on Natural Sequence Farming ◆ Workshop on Natural Sequence Farming.
	Permaculture C—SLM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Keynote presentation ◆ Forum on Permaculture
	Traditional Aboriginal Landcare S—ST	Forum with Aboriginal Elders
	Organic farming C—SLM	Keynote presentation
	Carbon farming C—SLM	Keynote presentation

	Queensland Landcare project reports C—LPR	Presentations, poster displays and question and answer sessions on successful landcare projects from around Queensland.
16 September		
Conference centre activities: 9.00am to 2.00pm Field excursions: 2.15 to 6.00pm	Carbon Farming C—SLM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Two forums on Carbon Farming ◇ Workshop on Carbon farming
	Having examined a variety of sustainable natural resource and land management needs and strategy options, the conference moves on to deal with the processes involved in effective land management planning, integration and implementation. This stage enables delegates, under the guidance of successful practitioners of these strategies, to consider what parts the sustainable management practices examined might possibly play in the future management of <i>their</i> land, and how they could be incorporated in their planning and practical execution of the management of their land.	
	Land Management Planning C—ILM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Keynote presentation: Management planning process ◇ Keynote presentation: Integrated property management planning ◇ Workshop: Property fire management planning ◇ Field excursion: Assessment of fire danger in the field ◇ Field excursion: Integrated property management planning
	Organic farming C—SLM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Forum on Organic farming ◇ Field excursion: Organic farming
	Permaculture C—SLM	Field excursion: Permaculture
	Traditional Aboriginal Landcare S—ST	Field excursion: <i>Bush foods and medicines</i>
	Queensland Landcare project reports C—LPR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Presentations, poster displays and question and answer sessions on successful landcare projects from around Queensland. ◇ Field excursion: Rehabilitation of native bushland.
17 September		
9.00am to 2.40pm	Income diversification C—ID	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Two forums on income diversification on rural, semi-rural and peri-urban lands ◇ Workshop on income diversification on rural, semi-rural and peri-urban lands.
	Land Management Planning C—ILM	Two workshops on framing <i>your</i> integrated property management plan.
	Queensland Landcare project reports C—LPR	Poster displays and question and answer sessions on successful landcare and integrated landcare and nature conservation projects from around Queensland.

9.00am to 2.40pm (continued)	The Queensland Nature Refuge program S—ST	Forum on the nature of the Nature Refuge program and its effectiveness as a landcare and nature conservation tool.
	The Land for Wildlife program S—ST	Forum: Landcare for nature conservation outcomes— project selection, planning, and implementation priorities; whole-of-property and multiple property co-ordination of activities.
	Whole community co-operative Landcare — dream or possibility? S—ST	Forum examining the feasibility and possible outcomes of establishing and managing co-ordinated co-operative whole-of-community landcare programs.
	Making land management decisions — it's not easy! S—ST	Forum exploring the issues facing landholders when making decisions about the management of their land.
	The Queensland landcare movement: Landcare21 – supporting Landcare beyond its 21st year S—ST	Forum exploring current and emerging needs and challenges and how the landcare movement in Queensland can best meet them.
	The Australian Landcare Management System S—ST	A presentation explaining the Australian Landcare Management System and its benefits to the land managers who use it.
	Landcare Queensland S—ST	Three sessions reserved for purposes yet to be advised by Landcare Queensland.
	Closing address	