Environment Institute Seminar Series 2009

This inaugural seminar series is designed to introduce members of the Environment Institute to each other and to showcase the excellent science being undertaken across the new Institute.

Visiting international collaborators and experts from other institutions will be invited to present during their visit in order to generate new ideas and collaborations for the Institute. Postgraduate students will also be encouraged to present their projects.

Seminars in Semester 1 will be held weekly on Mondays 12-1pm in the Benham Lecture Theatre. All members of the Institute, their research groups and members of other University Faculties, Schools and Disciplines are welcome to attend.

Seminars start at 12:10pm and last for 30 minutes, plus10 minutes of question time.

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Semester 1

Environment Institute Science Seminar Series

23 March
Keeping ahead of our changing world – Step changes in response to resource changes
Speaker: Prof. Mike Young, University of Adelaide

30 March
Energy Today and Tomorrow
Speaker: Prof. Stephen Lincoln, University of Adelaide

6 April
What future for Landscape Futures? Climate, soil, water, biota, economics and people - researching complexity
Speaker: Prof. Wayne Meyer, University of Adelaide

20 April
A virtual co-laboratory for large scale taxonomic research
Speaker: Prof Norm Johnson, Ohio State University

4 May
A tale of three rivers: The Nile, the Darling and the Son
Speaker: Em. Prof. Martin Williams, University of Adelaide

11 May
Are river red gums being pushed to the edge?
Speaker: Dr Anne Jensen, University of Adelaide

18 May
Adapting to a drier Australia
Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Justin Brookes, University of Adelaide

25 May
Shifting species distributions under climate change
Speaker: Prof. Miguel Araújo, Director, BIOCHANGE Lab, National Museum of Natural Sciences, Madrid, Spain

1 June
Why old nuclear power is not new
Speaker: Prof Barry Brook, University of Adelaide

15 June
How can we help biodiversity adapt to the ravages of climate change?
Speaker: Prof. Andrew Lowe, University of Adelaide

22 June
Predicting coral reef biodiversity patterns for conservation: a confederacy of ecological scales
Speaker: Dr Camille Mellin, University of Adelaide

29 June
Policy responses to a drying climate may save Adelaide's kelp forests
Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Sean Connell, University of Adelaide