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## International Mine Water Association Annual Conference 2012

30 September - 4 October | Bunbury, Western Australia

We invite you to the International Mine Water Association's (IMWA) 2012 conference in one of the southern hemisphere's powerhouses of mining; Western Australia. A vast dry landscape of numerous mineable resources from iron and copper, to gold and uranium, with water challenges and an innovative mining industry. This event will showcase the latest mine water management solutions the international community has to offer.

We have already had over 140 abstracts submitted and strong support from sponsors and exhibitors. This is the first time this prestigious international industry conference has been in Australia in 25 years, and the first time in Western Australia. The conference themes are within a broader theme of "Reducing the impact and making the most of mine water" as a broader addressing of mining industry sustainability through wise and care use of water.

Bunbury, the conference location in south-western Australia, offers a laid back small town Australian atmosphere in modern surrounds. Close to coal and heavy mineral mines as well as the mine pit lakes of the Collie Lake District. Bunbury is also the tourist gateway to the picturesque tall forests and wild coasts of south-west of Western Australia and the renowned Margaret River Wine Region. Join the leading mining houses, world class scientists and engineers to learn about best practice and cutting edge solutions to the mine water issues the international industry and stakeholders currently face.

Conference co-chairs Mark Lund and Clint McCullough, and the IMWA 2012 Steering Committee welcome you to IMWA's 2012 Symposium in Bunbury - Western Australia



## Keynote Speakers

**Dr Paul Vogel (Environmental Protection Authority)** "EPA strategies to address current mining issues in Western Australia, in particular as they pertain to water"

**Dr David Jones (Department of Environment and Heritage)** "Water in mining challenges for the Australian and international mining industry"

**Dr Phil Gorey (Department of Mining and Petroleum)** "Key issues/challenges to the industry including water supply, AMD and mine dewatering, and DMP's expectation"

**Adrian Brown (Adrian Brown Consultants, USA)** "Bankable mine inflow and impact determination"

## Special Session: Department of Water (WA)

**Dr Marnie Leybourne** "Water Management Associated with the Mining Industry in Western Australia"

**Dr Hamid Mohsenzadeh and Mr Gary Humphreys** "Mine Dewatering in the Pilbara Region of Western Australia"

**Mr Wayne Tingey** "Collie Basin (Optimising Water Resource Use)"



## Important Dates

Pre-conference workshops  
28-29 September 2012

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