

ACTS Conference day 1 Wednesday 13 November 2019



Start	End	ACTS Conference day 1 Wednesday 13 November 2019			
8.00	8.55	Registration			
9.00	9.05	Mihi Whakataua (Traditional Welcome)			
9.05	9.15	Kapa Haka (Māori performance) – He Waka Kōtuia Māori performing arts group			
9.15	9.25	Welcome and introduction – Corey Peterson (ACTS President)			
9.25	9.35	Host Welcome address – Stephen Willis (Chief Operating Officer, University of Otago)			
9.35	10.00	Keynote address – Ron Bull (Tumuaki Whakaako, Otago Polytechnic) & Vanessa Carswell (Principal, Warren and Mahoney Architects)			
10.10	10.40	Networking and refreshments break			
Streams		Leadership & Governance (room 1.02)	Partnerships & Engagement (room 1.01)	Learning, Teaching & Research (room G.03)	Facilities & Operations (room G.04)
10.45	11.45	Climate Emergency Boot Camp <i>Seb Crawford</i>	Making a Green Impact: Empowering meaningful change through team-based action <i>Rhiannon Boyd, Andrea Marsden, Arifa Sarfraz, Catherine Elliot, Dani Harmshaw & Raveena Grace</i>	Seeding the student body for the next Sustainability Leaders <i>Suzanne Davis & Sophie Rutter</i>	100% Renewable, 100% Do-able <i>Daan Schiebaan</i>
11.50	12.35	Young sustainable leaders abroad <i>Phillipa Schliebs & Britt Little</i>	A sustainability journey: Challenges and lessons <i>Nik Mungilwar</i>	SDGXchange – a new way of matching research with funding! <i>Jane Diplock</i>	Managing Carbon, Renewable Energy & Responsible Investment in Higher Education <i>John Davis (South Pole), Carbon: Corey Peterson, Renewable Energy: Clare Walker & Responsible Investment: Lin Stevenson</i>
12.40	1.20	ACTS AGM			
1.20	2.20	Lunch			
2.25	3.10	Sustainability highlights from UK & Ireland – study trip report <i>Corey Peterson</i>	Developing an Environmental Education ‘Mind Space’ <i>Wendy Rakete-Stones & Emma Passey</i>	Breaking down silo’s through interdisciplinary sustainable practice <i>Allen Hill</i>	Bike for a Better Future <i>Jen Rodgers & Megan Brasell-Jones</i>
3.15	3.45	Building buy-in at the top <i>Andrew Wilks</i>	Sustainability Reconfiguration and Renewal at University of Canterbury <i>Matt Morris & Chloe Wium</i>	Western Sydney Matters: Sustainability Curriculum Transformation at Western Sydney <i>Jen Dollin</i>	Net Zero Carbon for Aotearoa’s buildings <i>Brad Crowley</i>
3.45	4.10	Networking and refreshments break			
4.15	5.00	Organic Waste as an opportunity for socio-ecological regeneration in a campus community <i>Finn Boyle</i>	Smoking hot! Biodiversity management at Charles Sturt University <i>Kym Witney-Soanes</i>	Speaking Their Language: Interdisciplinary Videos for the SDGs <i>Tonya Sweet</i>	Innovation in waste contracting <i>Greg Nel</i>

Start	End	ACTS Conference day 2 Thursday 14 November 2019			
8.30	8.50	Registration			
8.50	9.00	Welcome – Corey Peterson (ACTS President)			
9.00	9.10	Host Welcome address – Megan Gibbons (Deputy Chief Executive for People and Performance, Otago Polytechnic)			
9.10	9.20	Headline sponsor address – Martin Russell (New Zealand partnerships manager, Keepcup)			
9.20	10.20	Climate Action panel – Prof Samuel Mann (<i>facilitator</i>) , Megan Gibbons, Barry Bignell, Maria Ioannou, Hoani Langbury, Scott Willis, Zak Cohen Rudin			
10.20	10.50	Networking and refreshments break			
Streams		Leadership & Governance (room 1.02)	Partnerships & Engagement (room 1.01)	Learning, Teaching & Research (room G.03)	Facilities & Operations (room G.04)
10.55	11.55	Our powers combined – the NZ collaborative <i>Andrew Wilks, Lesley Stone, Thomas Neitzert, Rachael Goddard, Matt Morris & Jen Rodgers</i>	Shooting for the STARS™ <i>Carmen Primo Perez & Meghan Fay Zahniser</i>	Making a Difference? Who wants to be MaD? <i>Samuel Mann & Ray O'Brien</i>	UQ Unwrapped – reducing UQ's Plastic Footprint <i>Christine McCallum</i> Plastic Free Campus – Choose your battles wisely <i>Arifa Sarfraz</i>
12.00	12.30	Improving credibility and accountability of Sustainability Reports and SDGs <i>Lin Stevenson</i>	Expanding our impact over 10 years of CSU Green grants <i>Michelle Wilkinson</i>	Integrating Sustainability as a cross curriculum priority in teacher education programs: Expanding our impact through mentoring, creativity and reflection <i>Thelma Raman</i>	Towards Zero Carbon – Reducing Carbon Emissions in Existing Facilities at Victoria University Wellington <i>Nick Baty & Jenny Spence</i>
12.30	1.30	Lunch			
1.35	2.35	LiFE amongst the STARS – where can the Sustainability Leadership Scorecard fit? <i>Seb Crawford, Kym Witney-Soanes, Ed Maher, Suzanne Davis, Matt Morris & Carmen Primo Perez</i>	BCORPS with purpose: Positive deviants for sustainable futures <i>Fleur Fallon</i>	Blending BiCulturalism and Sustainability at L7 <i>Sarah Sellar & Ron Bull</i>	Choose to Reuse – Tackling single use packaging on campus <i>Sue Hopkins</i>
2.40	4.30	PD1: Generation Zero: Engaging students in Climate Action (room G.02) <i>Jen Coatham</i>		PD2: BeWeDō: Transforming Conversations (room G.02A) <i>Andrea Marsden & Dr. Mark Bradford</i>	
6.00	6.20	Coach departs Dunedin for Lanarch Castle. Bus stop 1 Executive Residence (leaves at 6pm). Bus stop 2 The Municipal Chambers (leaves 6.10pm)			
6.15	12.00	Green Gown Awards Australasia Gala Dinner			

Start	End	Day 3 Friday 15 November 2019	
9.15	10.15	Campus tours (morning tea will be provided)	Tour 1: Otago Polytechnic
11.00	12.00		Tour 2: University of Otago

Conference conclusion