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Day 1

Time	Session	Details	Speakers
8:30	Registration & coffee		
9:00	Opening	Welcome and keynote introduction	Matthew Harris , President, Consult Australia
9:10	Welcome Keynote		Dr. Tim Williams , CEO, The Committee for Sydney
9:30	Economic Outlook	An analysis of global business trends and the shift of world wealth from West to East. Topics discussed will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Australia's relative economic prospects in the wake of the end of the mining investment boom - The realignment of the Chinese economy and the key global and domestic economic risks that will confront business over the next 12 to 18 months 	Phil Ruthven , Chairman, IBISWorld
10:15	Morning tea & networking break		
10:45	Panel: Australasian Perspective	Connecting the Asia Pacific and the outlook for regional growth.	Moderator: Phil Ruthven , Chairman, IBISWorld Panellists: Andrew Wood , CEO, WorleyParsons Ian Hopkins , CEO, Norman Disney & Young Irawan Koesoemo , Executive Chairman, Bitu Enarcon Engineering, Indonesia Kiran Kapila , Chairman and Managing Director, Intercontinental Consultants and Technocrats Rina Alzate , Director, Public-Private Partnership Center of the Philippines
11:45	Infrastructure and Superannuation	Presenting a case to superannuation for investment in infrastructure.	Danielle Press , CEO, Equisuper
12:15	Networking lunch		
1:30	Keynote/panel: Technology and Innovation	Making the most of technological advances: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The changing nature of hardware and software - Using technology as a driver of innovation and productivity - Getting the right balance between innovation and ROI 	Keynote: Javier Baldor , Vice President, BST Global Panellists: Rob Malkin , Sales Director, Asia Pacific, Autodesk Elizabeth Harper , CIO, GHD Patrick Lane , Partner, Consulting Technology Deloitte Rob Hammond , Managing Director, Tracey Brunstrom & Hammond

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2:45	Current and Future Infrastructure Drivers	Perspectives on political will; the infrastructure deficit and government balance sheets; private sector drivers for investment; and population growth and urbanisation.	<p>Moderator: Jonathan Cartledge, Director of Policy & Government Relations, Consult Australia</p> <p>Panellists: Jim Miller, Head of Infrastructure, Utilities and Renewables, Macquarie Capital Anna Hughes, Senior Director, Analytical Manager, International Public Finance Ratings, Standard & Poor's Kathy Jones, Principal, KJA</p>
3:45	Afternoon tea		
4:15	Panel: Global Trends	Update on the standout global financial, environmental and regulatory trends.	<p>Moderator: Megan Motto, CEO, Consult Australia</p> <p>Panellists: Peter Bailey, Chair and CEO Australasia Region, Arup Dr Stefan Hajkowicz, Leader, CSIRO Futures Mark Bruzzone, Managing Director - Government & Infrastructure, Australia, MWH Enrico Vink, Managing Director, FIDIC</p>
5:00	Day one close		
6:00	Parliamentary Reception	Royal Automobile Club, Sydney	

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Day 2

Time	Session	Details	Speakers
8:45	Refreshments		
9:15	Welcome		Megan Motto , CEO, Consult Australia
9:30	Keynote	Global M&A Activity	Andrej Avelini , Managing Director, EFCG
10:30	Morning tea & networking break		
11:00	Panel: Mergers and Acquisitions	What are the key issues to consider to get it right: - Getting the right price - Structuring the deal - Cultural considerations	Moderator: Dr Nelson Ogunshakin OBE , Chief Executive ACE UK Panellists: Greg Steele , Managing Director - Australasia, Hyder Consulting Dr. Michael Shirley , Group Vice President ANZ Infrastructure & Environment, Jacobs SKM Gary Spence , Managing Director, Brown Consulting
11:45	Panel: Business Integrity Management	How do we balance the needs of the developing world for infrastructure development with the need to operate with integrity and protect those communities whom we seek to serve? What does best practice look like and how do we avoid common pitfalls?	Moderator: Enrico Vink , Managing Director, FIDIC Panellists: Vladislav Krasikov , Senior Procurement Specialist, World Bank Alistair Sherwin , Assistant Secretary Aid Risk Management and Fraud Control, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Ian Shepherd , CEO, GHD Dick Kell , Senior Consultant, Cardno, Past President and Life Member Consult Australia, and Past President FIDIC
12:30	Networking lunch		
1:30	Financial Performance Management and Benchmarking	How does benchmarking help an industry lift its performance? What are the key figures and ratios CEO's should be worried about?	Keynote: Ben Shields , Lead Partner, Deloitte Private Consulting Panellists: Dean Savins , Finance Director, AECOM Dominic Boardman , Financial Controller Australia Darren English , Regional Finance Director, Australia / New Zealand, Hyder Consulting Don Stewart , CFO, Arup
2:30	Keynote	Special guest speaker	John Grill , Chairman and Non-Executive Director, WorleyParsons, interviewed by The Hon. Patricia Forsythe , Executive Director, Sydney Business Chamber
3:15	End of day two	Wrap up and close	Megan Motto , CEO, Consult Australia