

# INVITATION FROM ForestWorks



**Hyatt Hotel and Parliament House** Canberra

**Annual  
Industry  
Development  
Conference**



**Wednesday 14 September 2011**

## **Productivity & Competitiveness**

- International competitiveness
- Investment in productivity
- Carbon – the game changer for the industry?

The Industry Development Conference is presented by ForestWorks, the Industry Skills Council for Australia's forest, wood, paper and timber products industry, with the assistance of key national organisations and industry.

## **Industry Liaison Dinner at Parliament House**

In the evening, join, meet and exchange views with Australia's political and industry leadership, policy makers and decision makers at the 'Industry Liaison Dinner' at Parliament House.

**Thursday 15 September 2011**

## **First Super Investors Seminar 2011**

**Carbon pricing: impact on forestry & products investments**

A sequel to the 2010 seminar on the future of plantation investments it is now time to address the 'where to from here?' issues.



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## Productivity & Competitiveness

After consultation with industry leaders, the topics for the Industry Development Conference are:

- International competitiveness and global trade dynamics, challenges and opportunities for industry sectors
- Investors and investment – investing in resource and value adding
- Achieving productivity – directions for investing in scale, technology, labour and skills
- The price on carbon and its effect on traditional and emerging (non-traditional) products and markets – the game changer for the industry?

The aim of this conference is to provide Australian and international industry leaders, decision makers, stakeholders and Federal and State policy makers the opportunity to consider and discuss global trade dynamics, exchange rates and investment in productivity, technology, labour and forest resources. The conference provides the chance to formulate industry-wide strategies that unlock opportunities and secure our future. Full program and speakers to be announced soon.

Thursday 15 September 2011

## First Super Investors Seminar 2011

### Carbon pricing: impact on forestry and timber products investments

- Global perspectives on carbon pricing and forestry and wood products investments
- Analysis of the carbon price mechanism on Australia's forestry and wood processing sectors
- Investment opportunities from a carbon price
- Discussion of investor considerations for Australian forestry and wood processing investments.

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# Annual Industry Development Conference



In addition to the main conference and dinner function on 14 September and the First Super Investors Seminar on 15 September, ForestWorks, with the assistance of industry organisations, is coordinating the following meetings during this period:

**Tuesday**  
**13**  
**September**

**Hyatt Hotel**  
Canberra

**Forests and Timber –  
Women’s Forum**

**12.00pm – 5.00pm**

Free

(Registration required)

**Industry briefing –  
Carbon Pricing and  
Carbon Initiatives**

**5.15pm – 7.00pm**

Free

(Registration required)

**Wednesday**  
**14**  
**September**

**Hyatt Hotel**  
Canberra

**Industry Development  
Conference**

**10.00am – 5.00pm**

**Parliament House**  
Canberra

**Industry Liaison Dinner**

**6.30pm – 11.00pm**

Conference & dinner

Package = \$660 (inc. GST)

Dinner only = \$280 (inc. GST)

**Thursday**  
**15**  
**September**

**Hyatt Hotel**  
Canberra

**First Super Investors Seminar**

**8.30am – 1.00pm**

Seminar only = \$350 (inc. GST)

**ForestWorks Skills &  
Employment Council meeting**

**8.30am – 1.00pm**

Free

(Registration required)

Note: ForestWorks is committed to keeping the conference affordable for attendees. ForestWorks subsidises the conference and ticket prices are below cost. Prospective attendees experiencing financial hardship may be eligible for a further reduction. Please contact ForestWorks CEO Michael Hartman to discuss on 03 9321 3500.

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## ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation in Canberra can be very busy during this period so we strongly advise you to source and book accommodation as early as possible. Participants need to make their accommodation arrangements directly with the hotel.

## PARTICIPATION FEES

**The fee for the 2011 Industry Development Conference, 14 September 2011 including the 2011 Industry Liaison Dinner is \$660 including GST.**

**Attendance at the dinner only is \$280 including GST.**

## REGISTRATION

### Delegate details

Title: (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organisation: \_\_\_\_\_ Position title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Special dietary requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

### Full conference fees

*ForestWorks subsidises the conference and ticket prices are below cost.*

\$660 inc GST includes dinner  \$280 inc GST dinner only  \$350 First Super Seminar only

*Free registration for the following meetings:*

Forests & Timber – Women’s Forum  Industry Briefing – Carbon Pricing & Carbon Initiatives

ForestWorks Skills & Employment Council meeting

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ForestWorks - Attention: Events Manager**

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### Cancellations policy

Cancellations received in writing by the conference organiser prior to 24 August 2011 will receive 100% refund, after 1 September 2011 will receive 50% refund. However, an alternative delegate may be nominated at any time. All cancellations and substitutions must be made in writing to the Events Manager to: industryconference@forestworks.com.au Please contact ForestWorks if you do not receive confirmation within five days of registration.

**Registrations to be completed and paid in full by 1 September 2011**