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Please tick here if you agree for your details to be provided to our Regional Outlook conference partners.

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Canberra ACT 2601
Fax: 02 6272 2001
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Registration:

The conference and pre-conference dinner are two separate ticketed events.

If you would like to attend the pre-conference dinner please contact:
Rod Grant, Australian Alpine Valleys Agribusiness Forum
admin@alpvaleys.com.au or 03 5721 7594
Pre-conference dinner \$55 (includes \$5 GST)

To register for the conference please complete payment details below.

Conference registration \$77 (includes \$7 GST)

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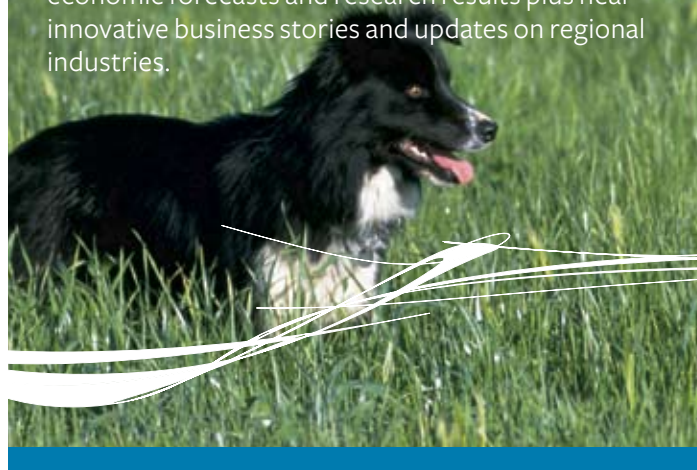
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About ABARE's Regional Outlook conferences

ABARE (the Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics) is hosting a series of Regional Outlook conferences across Australia in 2009.

Each conference features a diverse range of local speakers, complemented by ABARE economists and analysts.

With a conference program tailored to the region, delegates can access the latest commodity data, economic forecasts and research results plus hear innovative business stories and updates on regional industries.



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Regional Outlook CONFERENCE

29 July 2009

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Goulburn Ovens TAFE
Building D, Docker St
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Tues 28 July Pre-conference dinner 6.30pm

Wed 29 July
8.30 am
Registration
Welcome to Country

The big picture: an economic overview

Chair
Warwick Long
ABC Rural

9.00 am
Opening address

9.30 am
Jammie Penm
ABARE
National and international issues affecting the region

9.50 am
Roddy Brown
Westpac
A banker's perspective on rural finances

10.10 am
Panel discussion

10.30 am
Morning tea

Building sustainable agriculture

Chair
Brian Thompson
Department of Primary Industries, VIC

11.00 am
Vince O'Donnell
ABARE
Commodity outlook and farm performance

11.15 am
Jamie Snell
Newry
Strategic planning for success in a family farm business

11.30 am
Hannah Marriott
Yarallah Lamb
Doing things differently to maintain profitability

11.45 am
Phil Chamberlain
Rutherglen Estates
Making the most of opportunities

12.00 pm
Panel discussion

12.30 pm
Lunch

Water and climate: critical factors

Chair
Tim Clune
Australian Alpine Valleys Agribusiness Forum

1.30 pm
Catherine Tulloh
ABARE
Agriculture: moving toward emissions trading

1.50 pm
Mark Williams
Bureau of Meteorology
Regional climate outlook

2.10 pm
John Gray
Bureau of Rural Sciences
Soil carbon for productivity or trading?

2.30 pm
Panel discussion

3.00 pm
Afternoon tea

Taking the risk: succeeding in the region

Chair
Graham Nickless
Wangaratta Unlimited

3.30 pm
John Corboy
Corboy Fresh Fruit
The future for horticulture in the region

3.50 pm
Simon Quilty
Q-Exports
Operating internationally from a regional base

4.10 pm
Jodie Goldsworthy
Beechworth Honey
Drawing on the past to shape the future

4.30 pm
Panel discussion

5.00 pm
Conference close

* program may change in the event of unforeseen circumstances

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Conference 29 July

Registration fee \$77 (including GST) includes:

- entrance to the conference
- copy of the current issue of *Australian commodities*
- copies of available papers
- morning and afternoon tea and lunch

Registration enquiries

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Pre-conference dinner 28 July

The Australian Alpine Valleys Agribusiness Forum invites conference delegates and guests to a pre-conference dinner. Featuring guest speaker Professor Rick Roush, University of Melbourne who will explore *GM crops: will they feed and power the world?*

For dinner bookings please contact:
Rod Grant, Australian Alpine Valleys Agribusiness Forum
Ph: 03 5721 7594
Email: admin@alpvalleys.com.au

Venue: Quality Hotel Wangaratta Gateway,
29-37 Ryley Street, Wangaratta

Date: Tuesday 28 July from 6.30pm
Cost: \$55 pp (including GST), excludes wine and beverages

RSVP Friday 24 July.
Please advise any dietary requirements at time of booking.

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