



3rd annual SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING SUMMIT 2026

Your strategic reporting blueprint: What regulators expect. What works in practice.

3-5 MARCH 2026 | SYDNEY MASONIC CENTRE (SMC)

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Gundula Ullah
Chief Sustainability Officer
FUNKE



Elizabeth Holzer
Director, Sustainability
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Director of Sustainable
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Rosalinda Bustamante
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Australia's premier **Sustainability Reporting** event returns: practical guidance for mandatory reporting

The **Sustainability Reporting Summit** returns to equip organisations with the skills and tools needed to convert mandatory reporting into measurable business advantage.

You'll hear directly from organisations across Australia and the EU that have already reported, discovering what worked, what didn't, what you need to include, and what you can safely leave out. Learn from their hard-won lessons so you can avoid pitfalls and fast-track your own reporting success.

Designed for sustainability, executive, finance, legal, risk and operations professionals, the summit provides templates, assurance checklists and dashboard approaches you can implement immediately. You'll learn how to tighten governance, reduce regulatory and reputational risk, and leverage the financial value of robust ESG reporting.

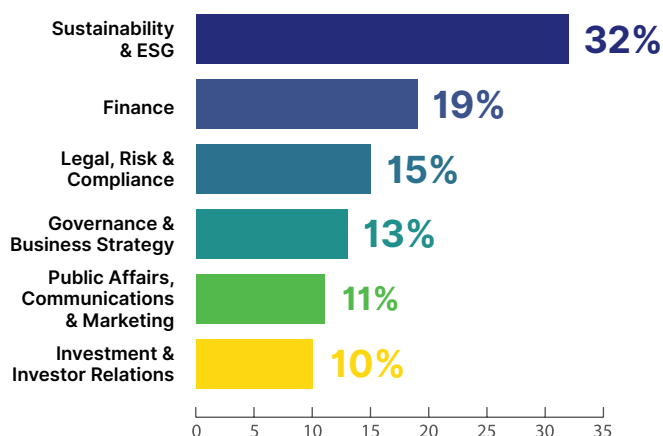
Top 7 Reasons to Attend:

- 1 Learn directly from Australian & EU organisations that have already reported on what works & what doesn't
- 2 Discover how to turn mandatory reporting into strategic value with insights from **NAB**
- 3 Gain regulatory clarity from the **ACCC & Clean Energy Regulator** on reporting risks, green claims, NGER interactions & enforcement
- 4 Master Scope 3 reporting, scenario analysis & forward-looking disclosures
- 5 Translate data into operational and business advantage
- 6 Learn what investors like **ING & Yarra Capital Management** look for in investment-grade disclosures
- 7 Strengthen your assurance & audit-readiness

Who will you meet?

The **Sustainability Reporting Summit** is designed for anyone with a job function related to any part of the sustainability reporting process across all industries and the public sector.

2025 attendee breakdown



Informative, engaging & interactive. The ability to interact with like-minded people and companies who are leaders in the field felt so reassuring in progressing as a business.💡💡

Environmental, Social & Governance (ESG) Consultant,
Cirka (past attendee)

ADDITIONAL SPEAKERS INCLUDE:



Sarah Robson
Senior Responsible
Investment Analyst
First Sentier Group



Paul Dunne
Director, Sustainability
Clean Energy Finance
Corporation



Luke Chalmers
Sustainability Manager
Orica



Blaise Porter
Head of Environment &
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Laura Besley
Head of Sustainability
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Katrina Hall
Senior Manager,
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Worley



Katharine Hopper
Head of Sustainability
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Moana Nottage
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Sustainability &
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David Beard
Sustainability Reporting &
Communications Manager
Essential Energy



Aida Golneshin
Innovation & Sustainability
Advisor
Edlyn Foods

Great speakers who
are subject matter experts.
Very informative and
touched on a lot of hot topics
in mandatory reporting.

FP&A and Sustainability Reporting Manager,
Discovery Parks (past attendee)





CONFERENCE DAY 1 | 4 March

08:30 Registration & welcome coffee

08:50 Opening remarks from the Chair



Andrea Culligan

Lead Partner - Climate & Sydney Office Managing Partner
Deloitte

LESSONS FROM THE FIRST REPORTERS

- 09:00 CASE STUDY: **Delivering the first report: practical insights from AGL**
- Learn from a leading organisation's experience navigating the first wave of mandatory ESG reporting
 - Discover practical solutions to challenges faced during implementation across complex operations
 - Strengthening your organisation's first reporting cycle



Theodore Comino

Manager Climate Change Reporting & Analysis
AGL

- 09:30 PANEL DISCUSSION: **Practical insights from the first reporters: what worked, what didn't, and why**
- Candid reflections on successes, pitfalls, and unexpected hurdles faced by first-wave reporters
 - Understanding the level of resources and cross-team effort required to meet reporting obligations
 - Setting realistic expectations and avoiding common missteps

Moderator:



Paul Dunne

Director Sustainability
Clean Energy Finance Corporation



Sarah Robson

Senior Responsible
Investment Analyst
First Sentier Group

Panellists:



Luke Chalmers

Sustainability Manager
Orica



Laura Besley

Head of Sustainability
CSR

10:10 Partner Presentation

10:30 Morning Tea & Networking

INSIGHTS FROM THE REGULATORS ON AVOIDING PITFALLS & MEETING STANDARDS

- 11:00 **Green claims, grey areas: The ACCC's perspective on credible climate action**
- Examining how the ACCC is approaching sustainability claims, net zero commitments and enforcement against greenwashing
 - Understanding the risks and responsibilities for businesses making climate and transition claims
 - Gaining clarity on what credible, transparent corporate climate action looks like in today's regulatory landscape



Elizabeth Holzer

Director, Sustainability Taskforce
ACCC

- 11:30 **Navigating the interaction between the national greenhouse and energy reporting (NGER) scheme and climate-related disclosures**
- Understanding reporting obligations under the NGER Act
 - Examining thresholds and compliance requirements in the context of climate-related disclosures
 - Identifying key overlaps, gaps, and points of divergence between NGER and sustainability reporting frameworks



Nathan Rudder

Manager, NGER Obligation Management
Clean Energy Regulator

LESSONS FROM THE EU FOR AUSTRALIA'S REPORTING JOURNEY

- 12:00 INTERNATIONAL CASE: **Ahead of the curve: leveraging Europe's playbook for Australian sustainability reporting**
- Hear directly from an influential Chief Sustainability Officer who's navigated sustainability reporting for a multibillion-dollar international media giant.
- Examining how FUNKE implemented sustainability regulations across the organisation
 - Learning strategies to avoid duplication, streamline reporting, and deal with legislation that is still subject to change
 - Discovering lessons in integrating reporting standards into local operations while maintaining compliance and efficiency
 - Translating reporting standards into tangible results



Gundula Ullah

Chief Sustainability Officer
FUNKE

12:30 Networking Lunch

ESTABLISHING RESPONSIBILITIES & EMBEDDING PROCESSES

- 13:30 FIRESIDE CHAT: **Establishing cross-functional responsibilities in mandatory reporting**
- Understanding board and executive liability, and why sustainability reporting matters across the organisation
 - Discovering how different leadership roles can help avoid greenwashing and potential compliance or legal issues
 - Gaining practical insights into governance frameworks that support effective organisation-wide reporting



Ricky Bridge

Group Executive General
Manager Sustainability &
Environment
Downer Group



Angus Thompson

Executive Manager, Strategy
and Sustainability
Sime

- 14:10 **Embedding compliant reporting processes across the organisation**
- Learning strategies to drive company-wide adoption of sustainability reporting practices
 - Discovering how to integrate disclosures into corporate culture for accurate, consistent, and compliant reporting
 - Leveraging internal champions and operational teams to ensure reporting processes are implemented smoothly and effectively



Rosalinda Bustamante

Global Sustainability Reporting Manager
Dyno Nobel

BALANCING COMPLIANCE, STAKEHOLDER EXPECTATIONS & FINANCIAL RESILIENCE

- 14:40 FIRESIDE CHAT: **When reporting meets reality: navigating economic pressures & investor expectations**
- Understanding how investors interpret disclosures and assess corporate risk and resilience
 - Exploring the impact of ESG and macroeconomic pressures on company reporting, valuations, and board-level decisions
 - Gaining investor insights on what makes reporting meaningful, credible, and actionable for investment decisions



Jordan Grace

Head of Sustainability
Analyst Performance
NAB



Moana Nottage

Senior ESG & Sustainability
Alphinity Investment Management

15:20 Afternoon Tea & Networking

- 15:50 PANEL DISCUSSION: **How should organisations manage the financial impacts of sustainability reporting?**
- How do ESG and climate disclosures affect asset valuations, impairments, and investor scrutiny?
 - What are some real-world insights from leaders navigating board-level and investor concerns?
 - How do financial implications translate into practical considerations for reporting, ESG, risk, and corporate affairs teams, ensuring reporting decisions are meaningful across the organisation?

Moderator:



Paul Dobson

Partner, Climate &
Sustainability Lead
Deloitte



Michael Puli

Director of Sustainable
Finance
ING



Alexandra Rudman

Finance Sustainability
Manager
Stockland



Julian Loh

Sustainability Manager
(Climate, Nature & Innovation)
QIC

- 16:30 **Sustainability reporting in a shifting landscape of political and economic headwinds**

- Adapting reporting strategies amid macroeconomic volatility, geopolitical risks, and anti-ESG sentiment
- Understanding the implications of external pressures on corporate disclosure and strategy
- Lessons from early adopters balancing compliance, stakeholder expectations, and financial resilience



Katrina Hall

Senior Manager, Sustainability & ESG
Worley

17:00 Closing remarks from the Chair and end of Day 1

17:10 Networking Drinks

08:30 Welcome coffee
08:50 Opening remarks from the Chair

TRANSLATING DATA & REPORTING INTO STRATEGIC ACTION

- 09:00 Integrating sustainability reporting into strategic decision making**
- Translating ESG and sustainability reporting data into informed decision-making across the organisation
 - Aligning cross-functional teams to achieve measurable operational, financial, and strategic outcomes
 - Tracking, measuring, and using insights from reporting to drive continuous improvement and organisational impact



Georgia Warren-Myers
Head of Sustainability and Risk - APAC
JLL

- 09:30 PANEL DISCUSSION: Leveraging sustainability reporting to improve climate transition planning**
- How can organisations translate net-zero and emission reduction commitments into actionable plans that feed into sustainability reporting?
 - What practical tools and approaches (scenario analysis, target-setting, forward-looking disclosures) help ensure climate strategy is measurable and reportable?
 - How can organisations best leverage each of those tools?
 - How can cross-functional teams overcome operational and governance challenges to embed climate transition across the organisation?



Moderator:



Su-Fern Tan
Head of ESG - Pacific Region
CBRE



Emma Hawkins
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Sustainability
Clean Energy Finance Corporation

Panellists:



Paolo Bevilacqua
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Chris Leat
Sustainability Solutions Manager
Toll Group

- 10:10 Deloitte presentation**
- Sarah Kinsela**
Partner, Climate & Sustainability
Deloitte



10:30 Morning Tea & Networking

- 11:00 Operationalising data to achieve measurable business, risk & ESG outcomes**
- Applying insights from reporting directly into business and operational workflows
 - Translating ESG data into measurable outcomes for efficiency, risk management, and business impact
 - Engaging and galvanising the workforce to ensure adoption and sustained performance gains



Olivia Tyler
Chief People & Sustainability Officer
IVE Group

- 11:30 FIRESIDE CHAT: Maximising commercial & environmental value from emissions reporting**
- Utilising emissions inventories to deliver commercial value
 - Achieving stronger customer engagement and product and bid differentiation
 - Streamlining & tailoring supplier engagement in resource-constrained settings, including prioritisation frameworks and data-light approaches
 - Prioritising & investing in R&D and partnerships to accelerate measurable emissions reductions and commercial outcomes



Michelle Wilson
Senior Sustainability Manager
SunRice



Erin Kuo-Sutherland
Chief Sustainability Officer
Yarra Capital Management

COLLECTING DATA & CREATING A COMPLIANT & COMPLETE REPORT

- 12:10 Ensuring ESG data is accurate, reliable, and actionable**
- Ensuring data quality contributes to credible sustainability reporting and effective decision-making
 - Cleaning, validating, and governing data to ensure accuracy and reliability
 - Creating & utilising high-quality data to improve reporting outcomes and support board- and investor-ready disclosures



Emma Verheijke
Group Head of Sustainability
Collins Foods

- 12:40 Practical guide to preparing your climate/ESG annual statement**
- Managing the reporting process to ensure accuracy, completeness, and timely delivery
 - Best practices for integrating data from multiple teams efficiently and reliably
 - Step-by-step guidance on drafting a compliant, accurate and comprehensive report



Charlotte West
Head of Sustainability & ESG
WiseTech Global

13:10 Networking Lunch

- 14:10 Defining reporting boundaries: how early adopters avoided scope creep**
- Learning how first-wave reporters set clear, realistic boundaries to keep ESG reporting manageable
 - Discovering strategies to focus on material, high-impact disclosures without overreaching
 - Balancing completeness, reliability, and feasibility in initial reporting efforts



Katharine Hopper
Head of Sustainability
EVT

- 14:40 Lean reporting: focusing on process, not tools**
- Strategies utilised by first-wave reporters to create efficient reporting processes without over-reliance on software
 - Discovering best practices in governance, data integrity, and accountability
 - Streamlining workflows while maintaining reliability and compliance



Jaya Prasad
Assistant Company Secretary & Senior Sustainability Advisor
New Hope Group

15:10 Afternoon Tea & Networking

SCENARIO ANALYSIS, SCOPE 3 & THE ROAD AHEAD

- 15:30 Scenario analysis in reporting: best practice approaches & how to avoid the pitfalls**
- Using defensible scientific pathways or reliable forecasts to structure and select scenarios for ESG and climate-related risks
 - Combining qualitative and quantitative data
 - Assessing risks & defining materiality and impacts
 - Engaging finance teams to quantify financial effects for credible reporting
 - Avoiding common pitfalls by ensuring assumptions are auditable, clearly explaining quantifications, and showing both mitigated and unmitigated impacts to demonstrate risk management



Karen Durand
General Manager Sustainability & Environmental Geoscientist
Dyno Nobel

- 16:00 Preparing for mandatory Scope 3 reporting & getting the processes right**
- Navigating the unique compliance requirements and deadlines for Scope 3 emissions
 - Avoiding common pitfalls when moving from voluntary to mandatory Scope 3 reporting
 - Implementing practical strategies from first-wave reporters to streamline Scope 3 data collection and reporting



Blaise Porter
Head of Environment & Social Impact
Iress

- 16:30 PANEL DISCUSSION: The road ahead: what reporting will look like beyond 2026**
- How are leading organisations preparing for the next phase of mandatory and voluntary reporting?
 - Which shifts in priorities will most influence compliance, investor confidence, and market credibility?
 - What practical actions will future-proof reporting strategies beyond 2026?



David Beard
Sustainability Reporting & Communications Manager
Essential Energy



Aida Golneshin
Innovation & Sustainability Advisor
Edlyn Foods

17:10 Closing remarks from the Chair & end of Sustainability Reporting Summit 2026

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PRE-CONFERENCE MASTERCLASSES

Tuesday, 3 March

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The pre-conference masterclasses provide attendees with morning and afternoon tea breaks and a 1-hour lunch break allowing for extra networking opportunities and in-depth learning.

The masterclasses start at 9:00 and finish at 17:00.

MASTERCLASS A: Sustainability reporting fundamentals - building your essential toolkit to minimise risk

Back by popular demand, this one-day intensive masterclass is designed for management, team leaders, and sustainability professionals responsible for ensuring their organisation's sustainability reporting meets all current regulatory requirements while effectively communicating their commitment to environmental stewardship to internal and external stakeholders.

This practical course provides a clear, step-by-step foundation for mandatory and voluntary sustainability reporting. Participants will learn the core concepts and hands-on processes needed to measure and report greenhouse gas emissions, set accounting boundaries, establish a Basis of Preparation, and reconcile carbon data to financial systems, all with an eye to accuracy, completeness and defensible disclosures.

Learning outcomes:

- Understand the key principles and objectives of sustainability reporting, and the strategic benefits of voluntary sustainability initiatives
- Gain a deep understanding of Australian mandatory sustainability reporting and how it interacts with global frameworks
- Measure your carbon footprint using the GHG Protocol and apply robust Scope 1, 2 and 3 data collection approaches
- Develop a Boundary Setting Policy and a Basis of Preparation (carbon accounting methodology) you can operationalise
- Understand the interaction between the GHG Protocol and the NGER Scheme, including any uplift requirements for Scope 1 & 2
- Reconcile carbon data to the general ledger and other finance systems to ensure completeness and traceability
- Master data collection, validation and quality assurance processes for reliable reporting
- Create and utilise key metrics, narratives and visuals that resonate with stakeholders
- Ensure compliance with disclosure requirements and best practice for defensible reporting

Participants will walk away with robust & practical toolkits, policies, methodologies & workflows needed to elevate sustainability reporting, reduce regulatory and reputational risk, and increase stakeholder trust.

Facilitators:



Claudia Warszawski
Senior Manager
BDO



Ramona Amos
Manager
BDO

MASTERCLASS B: Advanced sustainability reporting - operationalising data for impact

This one-day intensive masterclass is designed for participants with a strong foundational knowledge of ESG reporting. It concentrates on translating data into actionable insights, meeting advanced regulatory requirements, and embedding reporting into operational and strategic decision-making.

Through a mix of taught material and hands-on exercises, attendees will work with scenario analysis, climate risk assessments, financial modelling and the drafting of mandatory disclosures so their reporting is board- and investor-ready and aligned with AASB S2 and current Australian requirements.

Learning outcomes:

- Keep up to date with the latest developments in mandatory sustainability reporting in Australia and globally
- Conduct climate risk and opportunity assessments that address both physical and transition risks
- Design and execute scenario analysis in line with the Corporations Act 2001 requirements (including the minimum two mandated scenarios)
- Develop financial models to quantify current and anticipated financial effects from climate and sustainability scenarios
- Assess materiality and apply AASB S2 guidance to prioritise disclosures and evidence
- Draft and prepare mandatory sustainability reports that meet regulatory expectations and stakeholder needs
- Embed sustainability reporting into operational workflows for greater efficiency, reliability and auditability
- Leverage digital tools, dashboards and AI to enhance data accuracy, analysis and reporting outcomes.
- Apply lessons from early adopters on governance, common pitfalls and compliance challenges
- Develop practical cross-functional strategies for alignment across Finance, HR, Operations and Sustainability teams
- Participate in hands-on exercises to streamline reporting, improve data quality and produce board/investor-ready insights

Participants will leave with advanced, practical skills, templates and models to implement, optimise and strategically leverage sustainability reporting that drives measurable value, ensures compliance, and strengthens organisational decision-making.

Facilitator:



Aletta Boshoff
National Lead Partner, IFRS & Corporate Reporting
BDO

Partner with the Sustainability Reporting Summit 2026

The **Sustainability Reporting Summit** is the premier forum to connect with sustainability, finance, investment, governance, and legal leaders shaping the future of corporate reporting in Australia. Over two days, the summit brings together senior decision-makers from across industry and the public sector who are under pressure to deliver transparent, auditable, and credible disclosures.

If your organisation provides strategies, technologies, or solutions that help businesses meet their sustainability and reporting obligations, this is your opportunity to showcase your expertise and build relationships with the decision-makers driving change.

If you'd like to become a partner at the **Sustainability Reporting Summit**, contact **Lewis Halliday** on lewish@questevents.com.au or +61 (0)412 678 218 today.

Very diverse lineup of speakers who were well distributed across various levels of sustainability reporting challenges. Valuable and informative. 🗨️

Chief Financial Officer, acQuire (past attendee)

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“Excellent line up, involved audience, outstanding facilitation. I left satisfied by the quality of the insights provided.”

RI & Sustainability Specialist, RMIT University (past attendee)