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Kathleen Plowman, CEO, AHA

Animal Health Australia (AHA) is a not-for-profit public company that facilitates innovative partnerships between governments, major livestock industries and other stakeholders to protect animal health and the sustainability of Australia's livestock industry.



Andrew Cox, CEO, ISC

Invasive Species Council (ISC) was formed in 2002 to keep the Australian environment safe from weeds, feral animals and other harmful invaders and focuses on prevention and early action.



Andreas Glanznig, CEO, CISS

Centre for Invasive Species Solutions (CISS) is a national collaborative research, development and extension organisation, formed to tackle the ongoing threat from invasive species.

Welcome

AHA, ISC and CISS would like to welcome you to the inaugural *Australian Biosecurity Symposium*.

Focusing on preventative biosecurity practices, this Symposium will support outside-of-the-box thinking and the exchange of knowledge and ideas across the biosecurity collective - agriculture (animals and plants), weeds, pest animals, wildlife, aquatics and the environment.

Australia's biosecurity system faces unprecedented pressure. To address this pressure, strong leadership and innovation is essential. Our Symposium provides the ideal platform to explore how to transform Australia's biosecurity systems to better protect our economy, environment and way of life.

Featuring talks from leading industry experts in research and innovation, environmental and business risk management, technology, and behavioural science, as well as a signature panel on the future of Australia's biosecurity system, this Symposium will offer the opportunity to network, develop new concepts, share and test ideas, build new partnerships and engage in challenging discussions that will help us shape the future of Australia's biosecurity system.

On behalf of AHA, ISC and CISS we thank you for your participation at the *Australian Biosecurity Symposium*.

Information

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Please visit the Registration Desk in the foyer to collect your registration pass during the following times:

- Tuesday 11 June 4:00pm-7:00pm
- Wednesday 12 June From 8:00am
- Thursday 13 June From 8:00am

Lanyard

Please wear your lanyard at all times to ensure your access to sessions and admittance to the dinner (if purchased).

Catering breaks

All breaks will be held in the Trade area near the foyer.

Session seating

Please ensure you are seated five minutes before the allocated start time for each session.

Transport

Taxis can be booked at Crowne Plaza's Reception. Light rail and Uber options are also available. The light rail schedule can be found at <u>www.ridetheg.com.au</u>.

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Social events

Tues 11 June

Welcome reception 5:30pm-7:00pm

Pool area, Crowne Plaza

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Wed 12 June

ISC pre-dinner event (RSVP only) 5:15pm-6:15pm

SIFU room, Crowne Plaza



Wed 12 June

Symposium dinner 6:30pm-10:30pm

Norfolk room, Crowne Plaza

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Wed 12 and Thu 13 June

Morning activity 6:00am

Meet in the Crowne Plaza foyer



Full program

The abstracts for each presentation are available online at www.biosym.com.au/program

Presentation types

Oral: Presenters will have 20min (including discussion) to discuss aims and conclusions of their work.

Speed: A unique format with presenters discussing their work in 7mins (including discussion).

Panel: A diverse panel of presenters debating an issue related to a Symposium theme for 40min (including discussion).

Posters

Posters will be available for viewing during break times in the Trade area. Posters will be eligible to win the 'People's Choice' award. Vote for your favourite poster by using the voting card in your satchel and placing it in the box next to the poster display. The winner will be announced at the Symposium summary.

Themes

The presentations and posters align with the four key Symposium themes. Please refer to the key below to see which theme each presentation aligns under:

- Future-proofing biosecurity
- Transformative technology
- International insights: making a difference
- Behaviour change for better biosecurity

Feedback

We'd love to hear what you thought about the Symposium! At the conclusion of the event, a survey will be shared with attendees to help us make the event bigger and better when we return in 2021.



A special thanks to the following committees for making this Symposium possible.

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2019 Australian Biosecurity Symposium

Pre-event

Tuesday 11 June

Welcome reception

5:30pm-7:00pm Pool area, Crowne Plaza

MC: Peter Milne, Chair, AHA with Graeme Hamilton, Vice President, ISC and Helen Cathles, Chair, CISS Welcome address: Tracie Carnovale, Carnovale Recruitment

Join us at the launch of the Symposium – collect your registration ahead of the crowd and relax and network with fellow delegates over canapes and drinks.



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2019 Australian Biosecurity Symposium

Day 1	Wednesday 12 June 9:00-11:00am
	Plenary (Norfolk)
9:00-9:45am	Introduction Introduction: Costa Georgiadis, Symposium MC Welcome to Country: Stacie Fogarty Symposium launch: Andrew Cox, CEO, ISC
9:45-10:25am	Chair: Costa Georgiadis Keynote: Digital technology disrupts everything - including biosecurity Presenter: Hugh Bradlow, Australian Academy of Technology and Engineering
	Hugh will demystify emerging digital platforms, examining both their opportunities and limitations and considering their use in various industries to improve biosecurity.
10:25-11:00am	Morning tea

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	Plenary (Norfolk)	Phoenix	Monaco II	Waratah	
	Transdisciplinary learnings and insights Chair: Andrew Cox	Digital detection - one step ahead Chair: Len Stephens	Alien species vs biosecurity super heroes Chair: Ian Thompson	Forensic surveillance - the first line of defence Chair: Richard Price	
11:00-11:20am	Transforming Australia's biosecurity system: insights from the health system Rob Grenfell	Using technology and computational science to improve pest animal detection and identification in biosecurity monitoring Paul Meek	Mexico's bottom-up approach to formulate Island Biosecurity Protocols Mariam Latofski-Robles (Mexico)	Implementation of molecular g detection methods in marine pest surveillance James Forwood	
11:20-11:40am	A multi-stakeholder approach to improve biosecurity in Mexico Georgia Born-Schmidt (Mexico)	Integrating passive and active surveillance tools for biosecurity surveillance Peter Caley	One Biosecurity: the South Australian approach to addressing the challenges of market access assurance and equipping producers to meet 21st century biosecurity demands Cleopas Bamhare and Andrew Ewers		
11:40-12:00pm	Using social sciences to better understand biosecurity challenges in the egg industry Marta Hernandez-Jover	Automating field monitoring and deterring systems for enhanced wildlife pest management practices Ashley Tews	The Plant Biosecurity Research Initiative: collaboration across plant sectors for enhanced biosecurity RD&E Jo Luck	Pet or pest? New application of stable isotope methods for the early detection of invasive alien species Katherine Hill	
12:00-12:20pm	Can transdisciplinary approaches future-proof Australia's biosecurity? Wilna Vosloo, Yiheyis Maru and Corissa Miller	CropSafe: Victoria's 'eyes in the field' surveillance system for the grains industry Luise Sigel	No super hero wanted to prevent invasive species Matt Morrison (USA)	DiagamiRs – detecting disease by targeting the host Cameron Stewart	
12:20-1:10pm	Lunch (Poster viewing will be available durir	ag this time in the Trade areal			

	Plenary (Norfolk)			
1:10-1:50pm	Chair: Costa Georgiadis Keynote: Barrow Island and I Presenter: Julia Martin, Chev	beyond - industry-led biosecuri t rron Australia	ty innovation in pursuit of exce	llence
		of Chevron's systematic risk-base es applied to the company's opera		
	Plenary (Norfolk)	Phoenix	Monaco II	Waratah
	Lights, camera, action! Driving behaviour change Chair: Ian McDonald	Risk-based objectives - are we winning? Chair: Andrew Robinson	Playing the eradication game Chair: John Robertson	Disease prevention - the race to respond Chair: Robyn Martin
1:50-2:10pm	Moving to action to prevent the spread of invasive species Ken Donnelly (Canada)	Estimating the monetary value of Australia's biosecurity 'system' Aaron J Dodd	Weed prevention and eradication: mobilizing action at the 'pointy end' of the invasion curve Hillary Cherry	The race is on: managing Panama disease tropical race 4 in far-north Queensland Rhiannon Evans
2:10-2:30pm	Biosecurity communications: driving behaviour change to minimise risk Victoria Greentree	Growing agricultural export markets by modernising biosecurity Rieks van Klinken	Tools for developing cost-effective decisions for managing invasive pest eradications David Ramsey	Inferring outbreak transmission networks Simon Firestone
2:30-2:50pm	Transforming Biosecurity Queensland's engagement capabilities through digital targeting Chris Hollingdrake	More than just pulling weeds: the essential role of civil society in biosecurity Andrew Cox	Weed eradication: history of adaptive management combined with innovative game-changers are poised to improve success rates Steve Csurhes	Intercepting animal disease risks approaching Australia Helen Scott-Orr
2:50-3:10pm	The benefits and challenges of effective community engagement: moving beyond surveillance Lori Lach	The Biosecurity Plan Builder: promoting uptake of biosecurity planning amongst dairy farmers Sarah Chaplin	Environmental benefits of biosecurity policies Kasia Mazur	From go to woe: would a rabies incursion spread in northern Australia? Michael Ward
3:10-3:40pm	Afternoon tea (Poster viewing will be available duri	ng this time in the Trade areal		

	Plenary (Norfolk)	Phoenix	Monaco II	Waratah
	Climate proofing biosecurity Chair: Christine Milne	Biosecurity and human health - risks and preparedness Chair: Sam Allan	Optimising policy decisions and investment Chair: Andrew Robinson	Post-truth phenomenon - leadership and engagement Chair: Lachlan Drummond
3:40-4:00pm	Climate change implications for biosecurity Mark Howden	Salmonella Enteritidis - its importance to business and public health	Science-based economic analysis and biosecurity policy in Australia Jay Gomboso	From broadcast to narrowcast: tailoring information for our audience Ryan Diessel
		Sarah Britton	Economic value of freedom from Equine Influenza Ahmed Hafi	The new Qld Biosecurity Act 2014 – what have we learned? What needs to change? Bronwyn Fargher
			Interactive dashboards for effective biosecurity monitoring, reporting and evaluation Jens Froese	Immunising biosecurity policy, research and practice in a post-truth world Richard Price
4:00-4:20pm	How will climate change impact biosecurity in New South Wales? William Cuddy	Lessons from international settings for Australian biosecurity: the case of a multi-sectoral one-health approach to zoonotic diseases Sarah-Jane Wilson	Measuring biosecurity system effectiveness Andrew Cox	Understanding stakeholder motivatio to better influence their behaviour Maria Hauff
			National priority pest list of exotic environmental pests and diseases Jess Evans	Improving biosecurity surveillance in plant industries: case-study of the production nursery industry Barton Loechel
			What should we be looking for? Prioritising insect pests and pathways to Australia Melodie McGeoch	Evaluation of social media engagements strategies relevant to Australian biosecurity and alien wildlife trade
4:20-5:00pm	Climate-proofing Australia's biosecurity system Facilitator: Christine Milne Panellists: Wendy Craik, Will Cuddy, Mark Howden and Julia Martin	Are we prepared for a Q fever outbreak? Facilitator: Sarah Britton Panellists: Jane Heller, Kiera Glasgow and Simon Firestone	What does the Global Burden of Animal Diseases Program mean to biosecurity in Australia? Mieghan Bruce	Is anybody listening? How to rise above the uproar in the digital era Facilitator: Tim Lester Panellists: Rachael O'Brien, Ian McDonald, Emily Rucker and Robbie Sefton
	•		and effort Melissa Welsh (NZ)	

2019 Australian Biosecurity Symposium Evening social program

Wednesday 12 June

ISC pre-dinner event (RSVP only)

5:15pm-6:15pm SIFU Room, Crowne Plaza

Join us for the launch of the results of the Insect Risks and Pathways Project, a joint initiative of ISC and Monash University.

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Symposium dinner

6:30pm-10:30pm Norfolk Room (Plenary), Crowne Plaza

Presenters: Andreas Glanznig, CEO, CISS; Costa Georgiadis, Symposium MC, and

Ian Thompson, Australian Government Department of Agriculture

Network with members of the biosecurity collective alongside a three-course meal.

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	Plenary (Norfolk)
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8:30-8:45am	Session Chair: Costa Georgiadis Introduction: Kathleen Plowman, CEO, AHA
8:45-9:25am	Keynote: The role of behaviour change in managing Australia's biosecurity challenges Presenter: Don Hine, School of Psychology, University of New England
	Don will discuss how behavioural sciences can be applied to change behaviour and empower landholders to meet their biosecurity obligations.
9:25-9:45am	Presentation: New tricks for old dogs - innovative training for Australian biosecurity detector dogs Presenter: Jeff Smith, Australian Government Department of Agriculture
	This presentation will highlight how the Australian Government Department of Agriculture keeps their detector dog fleet ready to respond to and detect the constantly evolving threats to Australian biosecurity. Turns out you can teach an old dog new tricks.



Day 2	Thursday 13 June	9:45-11:15am		
	Plenary (Norfolk)	Phoenix	Monaco II	Waratah
	Caring for our country Chair: Wayne See Kee	Matching policy to future thinking Chair: Simon Humphrys	Changing mindsets to motivate change Chair: Helen Cathles	Detecting invasion through non-traditional surveillance Chair: Carol Booth
9:45-10:05am	The doorway into Australia Fred Gela	Moving towards a national sterile insect technique future for fruit fly control in Australia: policy considerations, research and extension Will Zacharin	Two steps forward, no steps back: growing our industry through collaboration Helen Jenkins	Is this pest established or not? Non-traditional diagnostics inform incursion responses about immediate risk Karen Armstrong (NZ)
10:05-10:25am	Making biosecurity more meaningful for Indigenous communities Ron Glanville and Danny Mosby	Risks to Australia's biosecurity from the trade of ornamental fish Joy Becker	Biosecurity learnings from a Queensland commercial fishing perspective Eric Perez	Essential biodiversity informatics for evidence-based decisions on biological invasions Melodie McGeoch
10:25-10:32am	One Health-focused companion animal veterinary services assist in mitigating biosecurity threats in remote Indigenous communities Bonny Cumming	Insect farming is here, but are we ready for it? Olympia Yarger	Wildlife drones: translating innovative sensor technology into an advanced animal tracking tool for land managers Debbie Saunders	Plant invasive biogeography, or the need to study invasives in their native and non-native ranges Daniel Montesinos
10:32-10:39am	Title TBA Wayne See Kee ■●	Verification of irradiation treatment on fresh horticultural produce and insect pests Karine Caron	Using behaviour science to maintain resilience of Queensland's biosecurity system Stephanie Keir	En garde: biosecurity begins with fencing Richard Le Lievre
10:39-11:15am	Morning tea (Poster viewing will be available duri	ng this time in the Trade area)		

Day 2 Thursday 13 June 11:15-1:05pm

	Plenary (Norfolk)	Phoenix	Monaco II	Waratah
	Managing the effectiveness of biosecurity differently Chair: Peter Milne	Surfing the horizon - what lies ahead? Chair: Helen Jenkins	Technology and policy - the dynamic duo Chair: Andreas Glanznig	Targeted methods to create behaviour change Chair: Sharon Starick
11:15-11:35am	Using science and technology to futureproof biosecurity on Barrow Island Johann van der Merwe	Managing translocation risk for aquatic animals in NSW Debra Doolan	New kids on the block: balancing environmental and economic priorities Michelle Christy and Ian Thompson	Biosecurity: managing the mental game Aditi Mankad
11:35-11:55am	Bad biosecurity behaviour or rational reaction to rules? Aligning stakeholder incentives through insurance Susie Hester	No swimming allowed: preventing the spread of invasive fishes in western Canada Brian Heise (Canada)	Insights from global interception data for predicting establishment risk Rebecca Turner (NZ)	Zoos and aquariums – we speak to the world! Andrea Reiss
11:55-12:15pm	Stopping the spread of invasive species with behavioural psychology Ken Donnelly (Canada)	Bay of Plenty Regional Council's approach to freshwater biosecurity in the Rotorua Lakes, NZ Lucas MacDonald (NZ)	Principles of probabilistic risk assessment for novel biocontrol technology Keith Hayes	Do truckies care about bugs? A human-centred design approach to influencing biosecurity behaviours in transporters Isabella Wallington
12:15-1:05pm	Lunch (Poster viewing will be available duri	ing this time in the Trade area)		

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Day 2 Thursday 13 June 1:05-3:05pm

	Plenary (Norfolk)						
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1:05-2:05pm	Chair: Costa Georgiadis						
	Keynote Panel: The current sta	te of play					
	Keynote Panellists: Beth Woods, Queensland Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, Lyn O'Connell, Australian Government						
	Department of Agriculture and	Roger Smith, Biosecurity New Ze	ealand				
	Panellists will discuss the curren	t state of biosecurity in Aus and N2	Z and how the two nations will mit	igate risks over the next 3-5 yea			
	Plenary (Norfolk)	Phoenix	Monaco II	Waratah			
	This session is proudly sponsored by Department of Primary Industries						
	Rise of peri-urbanisation -	Border biosecurity -	Translating biosecurity into	Training to a better future			
	engaging our citizens	smarter approaches	practice on-farm	Chair: Paula Fitzgerald			
	Chair: Bruce Christie	Chair: David Palmer	Chair: Kathleen Plowman				
2:05-2:25pm	Citizen scientists as early detectors of priority exotic plant pests in urban	Undelivered risk: a counter-factual analysis of the biosecurity risk avoided	Engaging farmers in biosecurity practices: challenges and pathways	LAMP in Victoria – Footrot lights the way			
	environments	by inspecting international mail	Marta Hernandez-Jover	Nickala Best			
	Jessica Lye	Andrew Robinson					
	"Tools of engagement" for positive						
	biosecurity behaviour change in peri-urban areas						
	Nicole Schembri						
	Biosecurity risk of smallholder pigs in						
	peri-urban Sydney						
	Graham Wilson						
2:25-3:05pm	Adelaide's urban animal and plant control program – keeping authorised	Smarter border biosecurity: a	Unlocking the key to better biosecurity	Emergency animal disease training			
	officers abreast of preventative	strategic risk-based approach to allocating effort	practices: are we getting it right? Facilitator: Jackie Poyser	– lessons learnt and where to from here?			
	biosecurity trends	Facilitator: Costa Georgiadis	Panellists: Ian McColl, Tess Herbert,	Facilitator: Paula Fitzgerald			
	Susan Ivory	Panellists: Robyn Martin, Christine	Melinee Leather and Edward Storey	Panellists: Ashley Cooper, Sam Hamil			
	Peri-urban panel	Reed (NZ), Andrew Robinson and Ian Thompson		and Claire Petterson			
	Facilitator: Bruce Christie Panellists: Jessica Lye, Nicole Schembri,						
	Graham Wilson and Susan Ivory						

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3:05-3:25pm	Afternoon tea
	(Poster viewing will be available during this time in the Trade area)
3:25-4:15pm	Chair: Robbie Sefton, Seftons and the National Rural Press Club
	Signature Panel: Future-proofing Australia's biosecurity system
	Panellists:
	Andrew Cox, ISC
	Andreas Glanznig, CISS
	Lyn O'Connell, Australian Government Department of Agriculture
	Kathleen Plowman, AHA
	Roger Smith, Biosecurity New Zealand
	Panellists will discuss what transformational change Australia needs over the next decade to meet the challenges facing the national biosecurity system.
4:15-4:30pm	Symposium summary - where to next?
	Kathleen Plowman, CEO, AHA
	Andrew Cox, CEO, ISC
	Andreas Glanznig, CEO, CISS

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1	Abandoned and neglected	orchard biosecurity management in NSW	•			
	David Haslett					
2	Achieving biosecurity char platform as an educationa Emma Rooke	nge through technology – the One Biosecurity online l tool	•			
3	Australia's recent history of implications for emergent Adam Toomes	of vertebrate alien interceptions and the alien threats	•			
4	Baiting invasive ants using Benjamin Hoffman	g Australia's largest drone	٠			
5	Bee initiatives shake-up awareness of Varroa Mite and American Foulbrood Leonie Martin					
6	Biocheck® - is the biosecu David Beggs	rity conversation as important as the written plan?	•			
7	Communicating biosecurity information to Australian-registered veterinary practitioners lan McDonald					
8	Communicating with Tasmanian Farmers to create meaningful culture change towards farm biosecurity Mandy Bowling					
9	Developing and implementing biosecurity legislation compliance and enforcement training program Fahri Fahri					
10	Horse owners' behaviour: Barbara Moloney	suspecting and reporting of Hendra virus cases	•			
11	How prepared are your sta	off?	•			

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12	Improving detection, investigation and management of emergency animal	•
	diseases Tabita Tan	
13	Institutional innovations for effective biosecurity action in peri-urban Australia Vivek Nemane	•
14	National Sheep Health Monitoring Project – shifting from surveillance to a biosecurity and value chain productivity tool Rob Barwell	•
15	NSW Bee Biosecurity Officer promotes better disease management and regular surveillance of exotic bee pests Rod Bourke	•
16	Online trading of biosecurity matter and associated risks - a pilot study Nicole Schembri	•
17	Operationalising general surveillance for biosecurity - What does it take? Marwan El Hassan	•
18	Potential of dual-view multi-energy X-ray to detect animal health problems automatically and in real time Cassius Coombs	•
19	Producer motivations for and against engagement in surveillance Lawrence Gavey	•
20	Producer perspectives on initiative to reward engagement in surveillance in the market chain Chris Corsbie	•
21	Pros and cons of cross-sectoral RD&E strategies Ashleigh Wildridge and Tory Ludowici	•
22	The biosecurity net is set in NSW Nathan Cutter	•
23	The future: horses and traceability Lisa Burrows	•

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- Behaviour change for better biosecurity

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