

Domestic – Regional Travel August 2019

Chief Executive and public sector employees

No of travellers	Destination	Reasons for Travel	Travel Itinerary	Total Cost of Travel ⁶	Travel Receipts
1	Hahndorf	To attend the Growing SA Conference	Attached	Nil	Nil

¹ Excludes salary costs

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CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Once again, the GROWING SA Conference has attracted a top line-up of speakers on the themes of ag tech, farm business management, innovation, global trade and competitiveness and biosecurity.

The conference aims to keep producers updated on policy and farm business advice and enable producers, industry service providers, stakeholders, politicians and policy-makers from across SA to engage in two-way dialogue regarding policy issues and to network.

Monday 26 August	
3.00pm	Grain Producers & Livestock SA AGMs
6.00pm	The Mellor Olsson Pre-Dinner Drinks
7.00pm	The Ramsey Bros GROWING SA Conference Dinner feat. <i>Rob Kerin, Primary Producers SA</i> <i>Fiona Simson, National Farmers Federation</i>
Tuesday 27 August	
7.45am	Light breakfast served ahead of the opening session

8.30am	Welcome to Growing SA <i>Belinda Cay, Growing SA MC</i>
8.40am	Session introduction from sponsor Rural Business Support <i>Brett Smith, Rural Business Support</i>
8.45am	Protecting SA's competitive advantage <i>Hon Tim Whetstone, Minister for Primary Industries & Regional Development</i>
9.10am	Finance, risk and reward...the way forward in changing market conditions <i>Will Rayner, Rural Bank</i>
9.35am	Morning tea
10.20am	An international perspective on the future of biotechnology and agricultural chemical use <i>Professor Kevin Folta, University of Florida</i>
11.00am	The risks to animal agriculture... activism, farm invasion and public policy <i>Fiona Simson, National Farmers Federation</i>
11.40am	When is trespass, not trespass? Activism and the law.

	<i>Victoria Gilliland, Mellor Olsson</i>
12.00pm	Lunch
1.10pm	The view from the inside...why glyphosate is vital to food security <i>Dr Eliza Dunn, Bayer</i>
1.35pm	Trust in Ag Champions...a local project to build our capacity to engage <i>Deanna Lush, SA 2019 AgriFutures Rural Women's Award Winner</i>
1.55pm	Producers' priorities and succeeding the midst of major change <i>Wade Dabinett, Chair, Grain Producers SA</i> <i>Joe Keynes, Chair, Livestock SA</i>
2.15pm	Afternoon tea
3.00pm	What it's like operating a hyperconnected farm <i>Sean Starling, Meat & Livestock Australia</i>
3.25pm	All things agtech...farming in a hyperconnected future <i>Sarah Nolet, Farmers 2 Founders</i>
3.50pm	Enabling hyperconnected ag <i>Mark Forster, Telstra</i>
4.05pm	Panel Q&A from audience

4.25pm	Evaluation
4.30pm	Telstra Networking Drinks
5.30pm	Conference close

**Program is under development & subject to change*

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Hahndorf, SA

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