

Minerals West Coast West Coast Minerals Forum 2023 Itinerary Wednesday the 17th of May

Time	Name of speaker/speakers	Company/organisation represented	Topics covered
7:30am	Doors open to registrations and arrivals	Doors open to registrations and arrivals	Doors open to registrations and arrivals
0815	Patrick Phelps	Minerals West Coast	Housekeeping and welcome
0830	Richard Tacon & panellists	Minerals West Coast/Bathurst Resources	<p>Morning panel discussion: <i>Why work or invest in mining on the West Coast or elsewhere in New Zealand in 2023?</i></p> <p>Minerals West Coast's chairperson and Bathurst Resources chief executive, Richard Tacon, will chair this panel.</p> <p>The line-up of panellists includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lincoln Smith, Terra Firma Mining • Jayde van Dissel, Elect Mining • Stephanie Hayton, OceanaGold • Ray Mudgway, Westland Mineral Sands • Damian Spring, Santana Minerals
0920	Ray Mudgway	Westland Mineral Sands	Ray Mudgway, managing director of Westland Mineral Sands, will present on the development of the company's heavy mineral sand export business, its existing mining operations near Westport, and future developments in the West Coast region.
0940	Robert Brand	TiGa	Robert Brand is managing director of TiGa, a company on the cusp of developing the ilmenite and garnet resources of the Barrytown flats. The company is in the process of obtaining resource consents and

			progressing to development of an operational mine site for exports of ilmenite and garnet concentrates on the domestic and international markets.
1000	Morning tea	Morning tea	Morning tea
1030	Lincoln Smith	Terra Firma Mining	Lincoln Smith, managing director of Terra Firma Mining, will present on plans to develop a gold resource at Mt Baldy, in the Maruia Valley.
1050	Mark McCulloch	Raven Exploration/Siren Gold	Mark McCulloch, a geologist with Raven Exploration, working for Siren Gold, will talk about exploration work developing Siren Gold's resources in the in the Reefton gold field.
1110	Jamie Cudby	Reefton Gold	Jamie Cudby, a geologist with Reefton Gold, will discuss exploration methods and techniques used exploring for gold and developing resources in the Reefton gold field.
1100	Jackie Bock	Federation Mining	Jackie Bock, superintendent for Federation Mining at the company's Snowy River underground development. Jackie will be talking about development of the site to date, and work programmes on site in the short to medium term.
1200	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1300	Eden Sinclair	Bathurst Resources	Eden Sinclair, domestic resources manager for Bathurst Resources, will present on the company's closure of its Canterbury Coal operations, including earthworks, water management, and returning the site to the landowner.
1320	Megan Williams	OceanaGold	Megan Williams, environmental advisor with OceanaGold, will discuss the development and completion of Fossickers tailings storage facility, one of the final stages of OceanaGold's restoration

			and rehabilitation of its Globe Progress mine near Reefton. This will cover partial capping of tailings, restoration planting, water management, and construction of the Fossickers spillway.
1340	Sam Curtis	SGS	Sam Curtis, operational integrity manager with SGS, will present on the company's work developing and delivering occupational hygiene systems for mining operations and other industrial work sites.
1400	Afternoon tea	Afternoon tea	Afternoon tea
1430	Hugh McMillan & panellists	SGS	<p>Afternoon panel discussion: <i>What are some necessary and foreseeable breakthroughs for the ongoing safe, economic, and environmentally responsible recovery and utilisation of mineral resources in the near term?</i></p> <p>Hugh McMillan, general manager of natural resources for SGS NZ, will chair the panel.</p> <p>The line-up of panellists includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mike Meehan, New Zealand Institute for Minerals to Materials Research • Kevin Ruscoe, IT Recycla • Fiona Bartier, Bathurst Resources • Peter Haddock, E-Quip Engineering
1515	Mike Meehan	New Zealand Institute for Minerals to Materials Research (NZIMMR)	Mike Meehan, chief executive of New Zealand Institute for Minerals to Materials research, will discuss work that is underway developing markets for West Coast coals in carbon foams (including developing domestic manufacturing), and developing a West Coast gold refinery and markets for ethical gold.

1535	Kevin Ruscoe	IT Recycla	Kevin Ruscoe, managing director of IT Recycla, will present on his company's work recycling minerals from waste electronics such as phones, computers, tablets etc, and the extent to which mineral recycling can increase, and how it can supplement and complement producing minerals by mining virgin materials.
1555	Rob Boyd	Bathurst Resources	Rob Boyd, technical marketing manager with Bathurst Resources, will present on peer-reviewed research outlining the efficiencies and emissions reductions achieved when using West Coast coals in steel manufacturing processes in the Indo-Pacific steel industry.
1615	Josie Vidal	Straterra	Josie Vidal, chief executive of Straterra, will give an update on politics and policy relating to the mining sector as New Zealand approaches the 2023 general election.
1635	Patrick Phelps	Minerals West Coast	Closure of forum for the day, minerals West Coast members/prospective members welcome to stay for Minerals West Coast's AGM (annual general meeting).

MINERALS WEST COAST'S AGM WILL BE HELD IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE FORUM CONCLUDES

DINNER AND DRINKS HELD AT NEARBY BULLER WORKINGMEN'S CLUB (CLUB BULLER)