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Throughout history, technology has changed the fortunes of Mankind for the better. So it is now in many industries and human activities, but none so dramatically in recent history as in the Energy Industry.

Technological advances in the Energy Industry have reversed decades of decline in the oil and gas industries in North America, Australia and elsewhere. People around the world are benefiting from abundant and less expensive energy. Even the geopolitical landscape has changed because of technological advances in energy.

In this ninth Energy and Technology Conference, the AACCC highlights emerging technologies which will impact the energy industry in significant ways. Industry and government leaders will discuss the implications of these technologies from costs of production to changing trade patterns and alliances, especially those between Australia and the United States. We want the conference to foster new business opportunities for you.

We are confident you will find the content of this year's conference of great value to your business. But we are always trying to make the conference more valuable to you, and to that end we will solicit your thoughts on improvements we can make for next year's conference.

We look forward to welcoming you at the conference in May!



GREG FOLEY
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May 3, 5:30 – 7:00 pm, Platypus Brewing Join us for the Ice Breaker Reception for networking, small bites and drinks!

AGENDA

SESSION	START-END	TOPIC/DESCRIPTION	SPEAKER/PANELISTS/MODERATOR
	7:15 – 8:30 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
	8:30 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks	Bruce Rutherford , International Director, JLL
	8:40 – 9:50 am	Opening Keynotes	Geraldine Slattery , Asset President, Conventional, BHP BILLITON Patrick Hanlon , Trade & Investment Commissioner and Deputy Consul General, Houston, Australian Trade and Investment Commission
01	9:50 – 10:45 am	<p>MARCH OF THE ROBOTS: CROSSOVER TECH BENEFITTING THE ENERGY INDUSTRY Moderator, Jason Stanley, Managing Director, Tidewater Subsea</p> <p>3D LiDAR Laser Scanning for Rapid Detailed Infrastructure Information Capture</p> <p>The Future Use Of UAV And Drone Technology In The Energy Sector</p> <p>Removing Unshearables From Drilling Campaigns: An Intro To Kinetic Shearing Technology</p>	<p>NEIL MANNING, Chief Business Development Officer, 3D @ DEPTH</p> <p>JASON FORTE, Vice President - Operations, Sky Futures</p> <p>STEVEN ANGSTMANN, Chief Executive Officer, Kinetic Pressure Control</p>
	10:45 – 11:05 am	Networking Break	
02	11:05 – 12:00 pm	<p>LOWERING THE BREAKEVEN: INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY FOCUSED ON COST EFFICIENCY Moderator, Bart Thomeer, Manager, Equipment Sustaining & Development, BJ Services</p> <p>The Use of Innovation in a Down Market to Increase Well Productivity and Efficiency</p> <p>The Role of Technology Incubators Creating Innovation in the Oil & Gas Industry</p> <p>Delivering Results in the Oil & Gas Sector Through the Use of Core Competencies, Technology & Innovation</p>	<p>GREG POWERS, Vice President - Technology, Halliburton</p> <p>MARYANNE MALDONADO, Chief Operating Officer & Vice President Houston Technology Center</p> <p>RAM SHENOY, Chief Technology Officer, RBR Group</p>
	12:00 – 1:10 pm 12:40 pm 1:15 pm	Lunch Introduction Keynote Break	Greg Foley , Vice President Business Development, The Fervid Group Dr. Richard M. Linnehan , Astronaut, NASA
03	1:30 – 2:40 pm	<p>CHANGING LANDSCAPES: MACROECONOMICS Moderator, Jonathan Verlander, Principal, The Energists</p> <p>The Changing U.S. Energy Landscape Global and Local Energy Perspectives.</p> <p>Embracing Diversity In LNG Technology - Innovation In A Changing World</p> <p>The North American Energy Venture Landscape</p>	<p>DEBORAH BYERS, Oil & Gas Leader and Managing Partner, EY</p> <p>HELEN CURRIE, Senior Economist - ConocoPhillips</p> <p>RICHARD WHEELER, Process Technology Manager, Magnolia LNG</p> <p>CORY STEFFEK, Managing Director, North America, Aramco Energy Ventures</p>
	2:40 – 3:00 pm	Networking Break	
04	3:00 – 4:10 pm	<p>SEEKING & STIMULATING BUSINESS IN AUSTRALIA Moderator, Christina Staib, Managing Director, Tanglewood Capital Partners</p> <p>Australian State Government Initiatives</p> <p>Overview Of The Australian Energy Market</p> <p>Discovery Energy: Our Investment Criteria for Australia</p> <p>E&P Ventures in the US</p>	<p>BARRY GOLDSTEIN, Executive Director - Energy Resource Division, South Australian Government</p> <p>JODY ROWE, Chief Executive Officer, Rowe Advisory</p> <p>WILLIAM BEGLEY, CFO, Director & Treasurer, Discovery Energy</p> <p>NEVILLE HENRY, Managing Director, Winchester Energy</p>
05	4:10 – 5:10 pm	<p>OPEN INNOVATION IN THE ENERGY INDUSTRY Moderator, Jason Stanley, Managing Director, Tidewater Subsea</p> <p>Keynote & Panel Session: The Open Innovation Approach & Benefits</p>	<p>RUSSELL POTAPINKSI, Head of Cognitive Science & Robotics, Woodside</p> <p>JULIA BADGER, Robonaut Project Manager, NASA</p> <p>RAPHAEL P. CHANCEY, Director, Watson Labs, IBM Corporation</p>
	5:10 pm	Closing Remarks	Greg Foley , Vice President Business Development, The Fervid Group
	5:15 pm	Wine Reception sponsored by	

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