

The logo features a stylized green letter 'B' on the left, which incorporates a leaf-like shape at the top. To the right of the 'B', the text 'BIOMASS 2026' is written in a bold, sans-serif font. 'BIOMASS' is in orange, '20' is in teal, and '26' is in a lighter teal. Below this, the word 'CONFERENCE' is written in a smaller, black, all-caps sans-serif font.

**BIOMASS 2026**  
CONFERENCE

Wed 7 & Thu 8 July 2026 | Darling Harbour, Sydney

*Advanced options for maximising value from biomass*



# SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Hosted by:





**Advanced biomass solutions offer councils, industry, and business practical pathways to reduce emissions, unlock value, and support Australia's transition to net zero.**

# Invitation

**The Australian Industrial Ecology Network (AIEN) is pleased to invite your organisation to partner with us for Biomass 2026, to be held on 7 & 8 July 2026 in Darling Harbour, Sydney.**

Themed *Advanced options for maximising value from biomass*, this two-day conference brings together councils, industry, and business leaders to explore innovative approaches to managing biomass and reducing carbon emissions as Australia transitions to a net zero economy. The event will showcase practical solutions, successful case studies from Australia and overseas, and emerging technologies shaping the future of sustainable biomass management.

The conference opens with an optional first day of site tours to advanced biomass processing facilities across Sydney, providing delegates with a firsthand view of operational innovations. These tours are particularly valuable for young professionals building careers in sustainability and the circular economy, while also offering insights relevant to experienced industry leaders.

Partnering with **Biomass 2026** gives your organisation the opportunity to raise your profile before, during, and after the event, connect directly with key decision makers, and showcase your products and services to a senior national and international audience. Sponsorship options include branding across key networking events, technical sessions, and site tours, providing high-impact exposure throughout the conference.

With a strong focus on collaboration, innovation, and practical solutions, **Biomass 2026** is a unique platform to showcase your organisation, build strategic connections, and position your brand at the forefront of Australia's biomass and sustainability sector.

Explore the range of sponsorship packages available to suit most budgets and objectives, and become a valued partner in an event that delivers real exposure, meaningful engagement, and tangible business opportunities.



**Colin Barker**

Chairman

Australian Industrial Ecology Network

# About the conference

## Key themes for 2026

### > Policy & Market Reform

- Accelerating low-carbon investments and abatement projects
- Climate policy to reduce emissions from new developments
- Industry engagement under schemes such as the ACCU

### > Emissions Reduction Strategies

- Emerging industries tackling net zero locally and globally
- Business cases for reducing emissions and achieving net zero
- Technologies converting biomass into energy and high-value products
- Practical case studies from Australia and overseas

### > Optimising Biomass Management

- Biomass hierarchies: soil enrichment to biogenic products
- Pathways to return biomass to soils for fertility and carbon sequestration
- Oceans, soils, and sustainable farming systems as carbon tools

### > Emerging Opportunities

- Green fuels, including biofuels and hydrogen, for low/zero-emissions electricity
- Green manufacturing technologies shaping a low-carbon future
- Drivers and benchmarks guiding biomass sector growth

### > Planning & Investment

- Fast-tracking investment in anaerobic digestion and organic waste solutions
- Regional planning and bioeconomy precincts supporting low-carbon industries
- Balancing approvals, community confidence, and social licence

## Host organisation



The Australian Industrial Ecology Network (AIEN) is a dynamic network of individuals, companies, and institutions united by a shared commitment to sustainable development through industrial ecology.

AIEN brings together industry, government, and community stakeholders to identify opportunities, address emerging challenges, and develop coordinated, practical solutions that advance sustainability across Australia.

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## Contact

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# Sponsorship opportunities



The following partnership opportunities are designed to give your organisation maximum visibility for your products and services during Biomass 2026.

The conference offers a mix of formal and informal networking opportunities, enabling you to engage with delegates, exchange ideas, and showcase your expertise in a relaxed and collaborative environment.

A variety of sponsorship packages are available to ensure your brand receives high-impact exposure before, during, and after the event.

If your organisation aims to stand out as an innovator in the bioeconomy sector, this is an opportunity you cannot afford to miss. For organisations looking to expand their partnership package or introduce a unique sponsorship idea, we would be delighted to discuss how we can help you achieve your marketing objectives.

## Why sponsor?

**Sponsorship of Biomass 2026 provides an outstanding opportunity to:**

- Promote your organisation and maintain a high profile among key influencers and decision-makers before, during, and after the event
- Stimulate discussion on issues shaping the bioeconomy sector
- Demonstrate your commitment to a circular bioeconomy for Australia
- Connect, engage, and influence your target audience
- Build and strengthen relationships with clients, prospects, and stakeholders
- Showcase your products, services, and people to your target audience
- Position your organisation as a leader in industry trends and reforms
- Launch new initiatives or products to a highly relevant audience
- Enhance your brand, gain valuable insights, and establish key contacts to grow your business

## Event marketing

**Biomass 2026 will be actively promoted through a range of channels, ensuring maximum exposure for sponsors:**

- Partnerships with related industry organisations
- Advertising in industry publications, e-news, event calendars, and websites
- Dedicated event website and ongoing updates
- Direct mail-outs to a broad list of potential delegates
- Electronic broadcasting and post-event communications
- Promotion via social media networks

# Gold sponsor



**Gain premium brand exposure by presenting your organisation to a targeted, engaged audience. Forge strategic connections with key decision makers while highlighting your products and services.**

## **EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY**

**Investment:  
\$10,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- Corporate logo and acknowledgement as a Gold Sponsor:
  - Printed on the front cover of event promotional material (includes event brochures and advertising where possible)
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- 200-word company profile in Conference Program
- 200-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- The sponsor may provide a freestanding banner to be positioned at the front during the conference sessions (sponsor is responsible for delivery, installation and removal of banner)
- 4 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, , Conference Program, access to papers/presentations 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- Full page advertisement in the Conference Program
- Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- Dedicated email blast to confirmed delegates either prior to or immediately after the conference including logo, link to your website, 300 words of text and one image
- Trade table display in the conference venue
- Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Silver sponsor



**As one of only two Silver Sponsors, your organisation gains prominent brand alignment with the conference, enjoying extensive visibility and engagement before, during, and after the event.**

## **MAX. TWO PACKAGES**

**Investment:  
\$7,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- > Corporate logo and acknowledgement as a Silver Sponsor:
  - Printed on the front cover of event promotional material (includes event brochures and advertising where possible)
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- > 100-word company profile in Conference Program
- > 100-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- > Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- > 2 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, , Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- > 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- > Half page advertisement in the Conference Program
- > Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- > Trade table display in the conference venue
- > Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Bronze sponsor



**Become a Bronze Sponsor and enjoy prime opportunities for high-impact brand exposure throughout the event.**

**MAX. FIVE PACKAGES**

**Investment:  
\$5,000 + GST**

## **What's included:**

- > Corporate logo and acknowledgement as a Bronze Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- > 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- > 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- > Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- > 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- > 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- > Quarter page advertisement in the Conference Program
- > Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- > Trade table display in the conference venue
- > Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Networking dinner sponsor



**The Networking Dinner on Wednesday 17 June 2026 brings together conference attendees and speakers in a relaxed, informal setting - perfect for building connections, sharing ideas, and sparking new collaborations.**

*The sponsoring company may liaise with the Event Organisers regarding theming and entertainment for the function.*

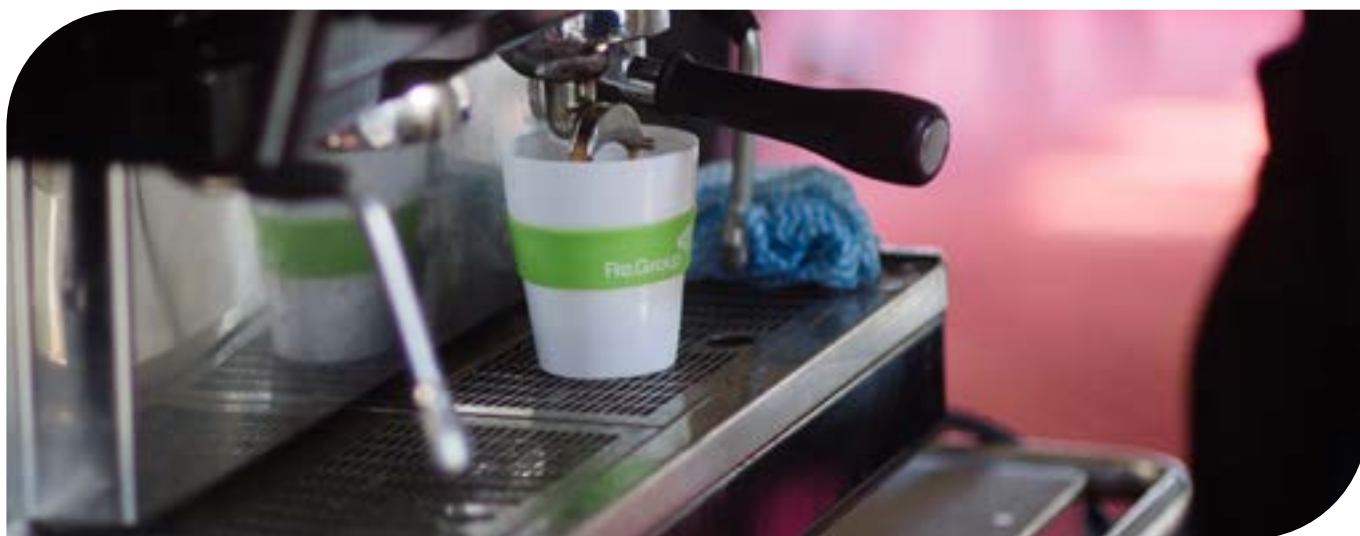
## **EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY**

**Investment:  
\$7,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- > Corporate logo and acknowledgement as the Networking Function Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- > 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- > 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- > Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- > Acknowledgement by the MC as the function sponsor
- > Sponsor advertisement/corporate logo on table signage
- > The Sponsor may provide branded shirts and/or hats for wait staff to wear during the Function
- > The Sponsor may address the guests during the function (5 minutes maximum)
- > The sponsor may provide two freestanding banners which will be positioned in a prominent location for the function duration
- > 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, , Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- > 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- > Quarter page advertisement in the Conference Program
- > Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- > Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Barista sponsor



**A favourite among delegates, the Barista area offers a prime networking opportunity while keeping attendees energised with freshly brewed coffee throughout the conference breaks.**

*Please note: The Conference will supply coffee cart including up to 120 cups of coffee per day. The sponsor may choose to provide additional coffee at their expense.*

## **EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY**

**Investment:  
\$7,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- > Corporate logo and acknowledgement as the Barista Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- > 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- > 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- > Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- > The Sponsor's logo will be printed on the coffee vouchers
- > The Sponsor may provide branded napkins for use at the Coffee Cart
- > The Sponsor may provide two freestanding banners for placement alongside the Coffee Cart
- > The Sponsor may provide reusable branded coffee cups. A sample or description of the cups must be provided to AIEN for approval at least two weeks prior to the event. Alternatively, the Conference Secretariat can source cups on your behalf, the approximate cost for branded reusable cups is \$500 - 1,000.
- > 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- > 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- > Quarter page advertisement in the Conference Program
- > Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- > Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country.

# Lanyards sponsor



**Showcase your organisation with your logo on the lanyards worn by all attendees - delivering high-visibility exposure throughout the entire event.**

## **EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY**

Investment:  
\$4,000 + GST

### **What's included:**

- > Corporate logo and acknowledgement as the Lanyards Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- > 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- > 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- > Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- > Company name/logo and website printed on the delegate lanyards
- > 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, , Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- > 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- > Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- > Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Technical tour sponsor



**The Technical Tour on Wednesday 17 June 2026 gives delegates a firsthand look at Sydney's advanced biomass facilities and the innovations driving the shift to a low-carbon economy.**

## **EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY**

**Investment:  
\$5,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- Corporate logo and acknowledgement as the Technical Tour Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- A representative of the sponsoring organisation may address the guests on the bus at the commencement of the tour (5 minutes maximum)
- Opportunity to distribute marketing material on the bus at commencement of tour (sponsor responsible for delivery, distribution and collection of any unused materials).
- 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- Quarter page advertisement in the Conference Program
- Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Session sponsor



**Session Sponsorship\* lets your organisation align with a specific topic or speaker, positioning your brand at the heart of the conversation and in front of a targeted, engaged audience.**

*\*List of sessions to be published in April 2026*

## **ONE SPONSOR PER SESSION**

**Investment:  
\$4,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- > Corporate logo and acknowledgement as a Session Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- > 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- > 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- > Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- > Your company logo will be displayed on the opening slide for your session
- > 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- > 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- > Opportunity to provide a 30 second pre-roll video to play at the start of your sponsored session (sponsor to provide and subject to approval by the conference organiser.
- > Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- > Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# Catering sponsor



**Position your brand in the catering area, where all delegates gather - offering maximum visibility and exposure before and throughout the event.**

## **EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITY**

**Investment:  
\$5,000 + GST**

### **What's included:**

- Corporate logo and acknowledgement as the Catering Sponsor:
  - Printed on event promotional material
  - Inclusion in all relevant electronic communications
  - On event webpage
  - On the sponsors slide shown at regular intervals throughout the event (along with other event sponsors)
  - On the table signs at the conference
- 50-word company profile in Conference Program
- 50-word company profile and web-link from sponsors' page on event website
- Recognition during the conference opening and closing addresses
- Company logo displayed on signage within the catering area on the selected day
- Company logo displayed at the conclusion of each session on the selected day (via PowerPoint)
- 1 x Full Registration Packages including 1 x Technical Tour Ticket, 1 x Networking Dinner Ticket, all conference sessions, lunch, tea breaks, Conference Program, access to papers/presentations
- 30% discount on any additional registration packages purchased
- Quarter page advertisement in the Conference Program
- Promotion through the host organisation's social media networks
- Advance list of conference attendees (those who have given permission to be published in the Conference delegate list). The list includes First Name, Surname, Organisation and State/Country

# The fine print

## Sponsorship terms and conditions

1. The Australian Goods and Services Tax (GST) at 10% is applicable to all goods and services offered by AIEN and all prices in this document are exclusive of the GST. GST is calculated at the date of publication of this document. AIEN reserves the right to vary the quoted prices in accordance with any movements in the legislated rate of the GST.
2. Sponsorship will be allocated only on receipt of a signed Sponsorship Agreement. Upon receipt of the Sponsorship Agreement a tax invoice for the required 50% deposit will be issued. The deposit is payable 30 days from the date of the tax invoice. The balance is due and payable by Tuesday 31 March 2026. Applications received after Tuesday 31 March 2026 must include full payment. Applications will be processed in strict order of receipt and AIEN reserves the right to reject a Sponsorship Application at any time.
3. All monies are payable in Australian dollars. Payments made by credit card may be subject to a merchant fee of 3%.
4. Sponsorship entitlements including organisation logo on the event website and other marketing material will be delivered upon receipt of the required deposit payment.
5. All monies due and payable must be received cleared by AIEN prior to the event. No organisation will be listed as a Sponsor in any official event material until full payment and a has been received by AIEN.
6. Inclusion of corporate logos, organisation profile and other information in printed materials is subject to meeting publication deadlines and specifications. The preferred format for logos is vector .EPS or .AI. Advertising should be submitted as a print ready PDF and any images must be high resolution, suitable for printing (minimum 300 dpi). The placement of banners and promotional material is subject to approval by AIEN. All artwork is to be approved by AIEN prior to printing.
7. AIEN makes no guarantee as to the number of delegates that may attend the event
8. CANCELLATION POLICY: Any cancellation of sponsorship must be advised in writing, however, once promotion of your sponsorship has commenced, no refunds will be available, and you will be liable for full payment. After Sponsorship has been confirmed and accepted, a reduction in Sponsorship is considered a cancellation and will be governed by the above cancellation policy.
9. No Sponsor shall assign, sublet or apportion the whole or any part of their Sponsorship package except upon prior written consent from AIEN.
10. Sponsorship monies will facilitate towards the successful planning and promotion of the meeting in addition to subsidising the cost of management, communication, Invited Speakers, program and publications. Sponsorship monies are not expended on any entertainment incurred which is incidental to the activities of the event.
11. UNAVOIDABLE OCCURRENCES: In the event that the event is cancelled or delayed outside the control of the Organiser, including but not limited to fire, flood, labour disputes, natural disasters, acts of God, work stoppages, slowdowns or disputes, or other similar events, then the Sponsor may be issued a refund after all fixed expenses are paid, any remaining funds will be distributed to Sponsors. The Sponsor shall not claim for any loss or damage.
12. INSURANCE AND LIABILITY: AIEN shall not be liable to the sponsor, or any other person, for any loss, damage or injury sustained at or in connection with their sponsorship.



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