



Conference Programme

TUESDAY 25 JULY 2023

11am - 1pm	Mitek Technical Training Session 1
1.30 - 3.30pm	Mitek Technical Training Session 2
2pm - 4.30pm	Pryda Technical Training Session
5.00 - 7.00 pm	The Pryda Ice Breaker networking function

WEDNESDAY 26 JULY 2023

7.30 am	Registration desk opens
9.30 am	Mihi Whakatau Welcome from the FTMA with MC – Te Radar and Seith Harrison Official Opening Hon. Dr. Megan Woods Minister Building and Construction
10:00 am	Session 1 Keynote Looking at the Big Picture Brad Olsen
10.40 am	Break sponsored by Scotpac
11:10 am	Eye Openers Session 2 Policy priorities for building and construction in 2023 Amy Moorhead
11:45 am	Session 3 Off-site Construction – Moving Up the Value Chain Johann Betz
12.15 pm	Session 4 The potential for New Zealand manufacture of High-performance Engineered Wood Products Rosie Sargent
12.40 pm	Lunch Break sponsored by Koppers Performance Chemicals
1.20 pm	Eye to the Future Session 5 Building for Climate Change, Built Ready (MCM & BPIR) Katie Symons
2.00 pm	Session 6 Vocational futures and reforms Paddy Kymbrekos
2.20 pm	Session 7 FTMA new SOP's Steve Coll and Byron Coll
2.45 pm	Break – sponsored by Arxada Wood Protection
3.25 pm	Seeing the Wood for the Trees Session 8 The future for New Zealand's wood fibre resource and wood processing industry Jane Cuming
4.10 pm	Session 9 New Engineered Wood Products Enhancing Frame and Truss Jason Cordes
4.35 pm	Wrap Up Conference Day 1 and closing
6.30 pm	Cocktail Function sponsored by Red Stag
7.30 pm	Gala Dinner sponsored by Mitek with Guest speaker Brad Smeele

THURSDAY 27 JULY 2023

8.00 am	Registration desk opens
8.40 am	Introduction to Day 2 with Te Radar and Seith Harrison
8.50 am	Session 10 Keynote Leadership and Resilience John Shackleton
9.30 am	Session 11 Timber Frame and Truss – Our most sustainable building alternative? David Toyne
10.00 am	Session 12 Introducing The FTMA Knowledge Café -- building a better FTMA Business – a 1 minute intro for each presenter
10.20 am	Break – sponsored by Arxada Wood Protection
10.50 am	Session 13 – Knowledge Café – six 15-minute sessions - move tables when the bell rings a. Business Finance Greg Wertheim b. Succession Planning Andrew Skinner c. Credit control Ronnie Tan d. Director Obligations and Opportunities Guy Beatson e. Understanding Liability Insurance in NZ Kerry Gosper f. Continuity and Contingency Planning David Toyne g. Managing Immigration Affairs for NZ Employers Saif Shaikh h. Prevention is better than cure – Importance of Maintenance Planning Craig Carlyle i. Health and safety risks – keeping on top of the latest case law Ash Carlyle j. Attracting and retaining great people Cassie Luke k. Resilience – improving resilience to disruptive events Lauren Walker
12.30 pm	Wrap up of Knowledge Café – Te Radar and Seith
12.40 pm	Lunch Break sponsored by Nelson Pine
1.30 pm	Session 14 Mates in Construction Graeme Haxton
1.50 pm	Session 15 Keynote Shining a light on the future of work Nigel Latta
2.35 pm	Wrap Up Conference Day 2 – evaluation and ideas for the next FTMA conference
2.45 pm	Conference Closing

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