

2025 Western Australia Chapter Symposium



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Managing Geotechnical Risk and Complex Ground Conditions: Challenges, Solutions and Lessons Learned

HURRY! Registration closes 17 October 2025

The Western Australia Chapter of the Australian Geomechanics Society is pleased to announce the 2025 Western Australia Symposium on “**Managing Geotechnical Risk and Complex Ground Conditions: Challenges, Solutions and Lessons Learned**”.

This event will be held in-person on 24 October 2025 at the Novotel Perth Murray Street.

Geotechnical risk is often one of the most influential factors in projects. From unforeseen soil, rock and groundwater conditions to complex geological settings, the ability to anticipate, assess, and manage these risks is critical. The symposium will highlight the identification and management of geotechnical risks, presenting challenges, groundbreaking solutions, and key lessons drawn from across the industry.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



David Kinlan
Contracts Director, Inframara



Dr Richard Kelly
Chief Technical Principal, SMEC Australia



Kim le Roux
Manager Geotechnical Engineering, Rio Tinto Iron Ore

SPEAKERS

- Hudson Moore, CMW Geosciences
- Terry Waters, Local Geotechnics
- Simon Burgmans, in2Dredging
- Vince Gingoyon, CMW Geosciences
- Babak Hamidi, Menard Oceania
- Alex Petty, PTG Consulting
- Ryan Singh, HATS Consulting
- Dr Ian Gray, Sigra Pty Ltd
- Sudheer Prabhu, Red Earth Engineering
- Wensong Zhang, Rio Tinto Iron Ore

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📅 WHEN

Friday 24 October 2025

🕒 TIME

8:00 am - 5:00 pm

📍 WHERE

Novotel Perth Murray Street
388 Murray Street
Perth WA 6000

📧 REGISTRATION

Please register via:
<https://geomechanics.org.au/meetings/ags-wa-symposium-2025/>

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