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Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship Conference 2018

# Sponsorship Prospectus



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23-24 JULY

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CONFERENCE



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## A message from the Chair

Prof David Williams MAusIMM  
Mine Waste and Tailings  
Stewardship 2018  
Conference Chair

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On behalf of the AusIMM and The University of Queensland Australia, it is with great pleasure that we invite you to support the Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship Conference 2018, to be held in Brisbane, Australia. This follows the inaugural conference in this series held in Sydney in 2015.

The minerals produced through mining continue to provide for what the community has come to regard as the necessities of life, even as the industry and its suppliers recover from the recent downturn in commodity prices. The mining industry's financial and social licence to operate is under increasing threat, as mine waste volumes continue to escalate and tailings dam failures continue to occur at an unacceptably high frequency.

There has never been a more urgent need for improved tailings management, and this conference seeks to showcase innovation in the

design, construction, operation and closure of tailings storages. The conference will provide numerous opportunities to network with consultants, contractors, industry representatives, regulators, researchers and academics to discuss state-of-the-art developments in tailings management around the world. Conference delegates will take part in an extensive and focused technical program that will promote and encourage professional development.

The conference will feature keynote lectures from a number of world tailings experts, and seeks the submission of innovative approaches to tailings management and case studies under a broad range of themes, with a particular emphasis on breakthrough developments.

I warmly invite you to support this important conference and we look forward to welcoming you to Brisbane in July 2018.

# Important information

## Conference themes

- Mine waste geotechnics, geochemistry and biology
- Mine waste minimisation
- Socio-economic aspects of mine wastes
- Financial and social licence to operate
- Operational aspects and case histories of mine waste storage
- Selective placement and encapsulation of potentially contaminating waste rock
- Waste rock dump water balance during operation and post-closure
- Mine waste facility liner and cover systems
- Selection between surface, in-pit and underground tailings storage
- Stability of tailings dams and tailings run-out
- Selection between thickened, paste and filtered tailings disposal
- Co-disposal of tailings and coarse wastes
- Water balance and management
- Waste monitoring and surveillance
- Regulation of mine waste facilities
- Minimisation and control of seepage from mine waste storage facilities
- Reprocessing of mine wastes
- Chemical and biological remediation of mine wastes
- Mine waste facility closure case histories and costs
- Emerging technologies
- Selection of post-liquefaction tailings shear strengths
- Appropriateness of NPV and Discount factors applied to waste disposal
- Governance and management of tailings

## Target Audience

In 2015, over 150 participants attended the inaugural conference. This conference will attract both local and international mining professionals from the following fields:

- Senior mine management
- Thickened, paste and filtered tailings practitioners
- Operators
- Technology developers
- Engineers
- Geotechnologists
- Geoenvironmentalists
- Regulatory personnel
- Researchers
- Consultants
- Academics
- NGOs

## Conference Venue

**Sofitel Brisbane Central**  
249 Turbot St, 4000 Brisbane, Australia  
www.sofitelbrisbane.com.au | +61 4 3835 3555  
h5992@sofitel.com

## INVITATION TO SUBMIT A PAPER

We invite sponsors and exhibitors wishing to present a paper at the Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship Conference 2018 to submit an abstract not exceeding 300 words in English to the Speakers' Portal, available via the conference website.

**Submission deadline:**  
5 February 2018

# Sponsorship opportunities at a glance

<b>Platinum Sponsorship</b>	<b>Platinum Sponsorship</b>		
	<b>SOLD</b>		
<b>Gold Sponsorships</b>	<b>Conference Dinner</b>	<b>Session</b>	
	<b>SOLD</b>	<b>A\$9,900</b> Limited opportunities	
<b>Silver Sponsorships</b>	<b>Conference Proceedings</b>	<b>Technical Session</b>	<b>Name Badge and Lanyard</b>
	<b>SOLD</b>	<b>A\$4,400</b> Four (4) opportunities	<b>A\$4,400</b> Exclusive
	<b>Networking Farewell</b>	<b>Satchel</b>	
	<b>A\$4,400</b> Exclusive	<b>A\$4,400</b> Exclusive	
<b>Other branding opportunities</b>	<b>Joint Conference Supporter</b>	<b>Note Pads and Pens</b>	<b>Exhibition</b>
	<b>A\$4,400</b> Unlimited opportunities	<b>At cost</b> Exclusive	<b>A\$3,850</b> Limited opportunities

All prices are quoted in Australian dollars and are inclusive of the Australian Goods and Services Tax (GST).

# Benefits of sponsoring

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Participating as a sponsor and/or exhibitor can take you straight to your target market and demonstrate your level of support and commitment to the mine waste and tailings stewardship industry.

Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship 2018 can provide your organisation with:

1

Maximum exposure at a premier conference devoted to those involved in the mine waste and tailings stewardship community.

2

An opportunity to build and reinforce strategic relationships within the mining industry.

3

Time to network with industry colleagues and develop strategic relationships with key decision makers.

4

A cost effective way to reinforce your organisation's brand and build brand awareness amongst a relevant audience.

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Access to a broad network of industry partners.

6

Finding new business opportunities.

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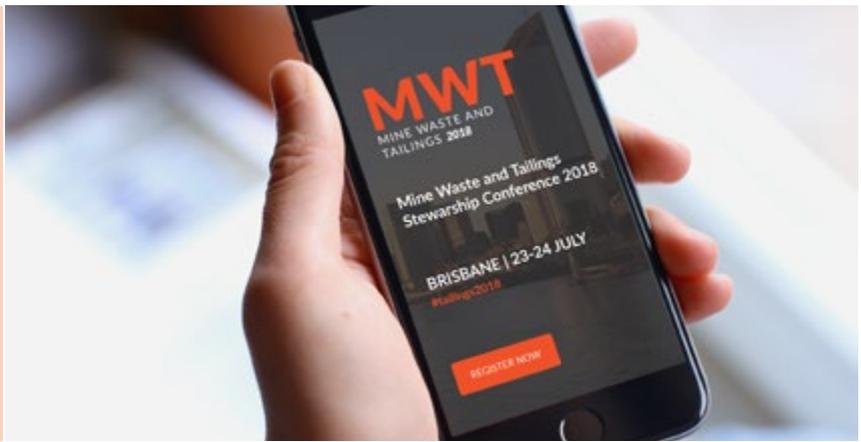
Time to present latest innovations and new products or services to a relevant audience, and showcase your expertise and capabilities.

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Increased marketing opportunities including visibility on the conference website and associated marketing materials.

# Platinum Sponsor

High visibility, superior quality, corporate credibility in an uncluttered environment that makes your message stand out.



**A\$16,500**

Exclusive opportunity

**SOLD**

**RioTinto**

Associate your organisation with the Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship Conference 2018 and take advantage of the maximum exposure this level of sponsorship offers.

We will work alongside you to provide multiple opportunities to promote your organisation before and during the conference. We are confident your participation at this level will provide you with excellent leveraging opportunities.

As Platinum Sponsor, you will benefit

from prominent levels of exposure and representation with the following entitlements:

- Sponsor of the official conference app
- Your logo throughout of the conference app
- A company representative to chair a session
- Company logo featured on the title slides and the opportunity to provide a pull-up banner for the sponsored session
- Two (2) complimentary raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements) in a premier position
- Three (3) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- A company profile in the conference proceedings
- One full-page colour advertisement in the conference program
- Verbal acknowledgement as Platinum Sponsor in the opening session
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

# Gold Sponsor Conference Dinner



Take advantage of the maximum exposure this conference will offer.

**A\$9,900**

Exclusive opportunity

**SOLD**



The social highlight of the conference will guarantee you the opportunity to host the delegates for an unforgettable evening of networking in a relaxed atmosphere. Don't miss out on this exclusive opportunity to be the social and networking face of the conference.

- Sponsor of the official Conference Dinner
- Opportunity for a company representative to make a short presentation
- One reserved table at the dinner in a premier position including ten (10) tickets
- Opportunity for a senior representative to sit at the VIP table
- Exclusive branding on the menus
- Opportunity to provide a gift to delegates on the dinner tables
- Opportunity to provide a rolling presentation or video during the dinner
- One (1) complimentary raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements) in a premier position
- Two (2) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- One full-page colour advertisement in the conference program
- Verbal acknowledgement as a Gold Sponsor in the opening session
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

# Gold Sponsor Session

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High visibility,  
superior quality,  
corporate credibility  
in an uncluttered  
environment that  
makes your  
message stand out.



**A\$9,900**

Limited opportunities

This is your opportunity to demonstrate your commitment to and support for the conference program. Gain maximum exposure by aligning your brand and core business with a session.

- A company representative to chair a session
- Company logo featured on the title slides and the opportunity to provide a pull-up banner for the sponsored session
- One (1) complimentary raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements) in a premier position
- Two (2) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- One full-page colour advertisement in the conference program
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# Silver Sponsors

## Conference Proceedings



**SOLD**

The conference proceedings will be used as a valuable reference document for delegates. The Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship Conference 2018 will produce an eBook conference proceedings.

- Your company name and logo included on the cover of the eBook
- A company profile in the conference proceedings
- 50 per cent discount off raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements)
- One (1) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

## Technical Session

**A\$4,400**

**Limited opportunities**

Use this opportunity to brand your core business by sponsoring a technical session. Sessions will be allocated in order of confirmation.

- A company representative to chair a technical session
- 50 per cent discount off raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements)
- Company logo featured on the title slides and the opportunity to provide a pull-up banner for the sponsored technical session
- One (1) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

## Name Badge and Lanyard

**A\$4,400**

### Exclusive opportunity

Delegates will receive a conference name badge to be worn for the duration of the conference. Have your branding on each name badge and lanyard.

- Exclusive branding of the conference lanyard and name badge
- 50 per cent discount off raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements)
- One (1) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

## Networking Farewell

**A\$4,400**

### Exclusive opportunity

Align your brand with the networking aspect of the conference, and make an impact with an exclusive opportunity to host the final networking drinks for delegates.

- Sponsor of the official Networking Farewell
- 50 per cent discount off raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements)
- Opportunity to provide free standing company signage at the Networking Farewell
- One (1) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

## Satchel

**A\$4,400**

### Exclusive opportunity

All delegates will receive a satchel upon registration with your company name branded alongside the AusIMM and The University of Queensland logo and conference name.

- Your logo printed on the conference satchels
- 50 per cent discount off raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements)
- One (1) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

## Joint Conference Supporter

**A\$4,400**

Unlimited opportunities

Show your support for the Mine Waste and Tailings Stewardship 2018 and Life-of-Mine 2018 conferences. This opportunity recognises your organisation as a supporter of both conferences being held back-to-back at the Sofitel Brisbane Central

- 50 per cent discount off raw spaces or shell scheme exhibition stands (3m x 2m, with exhibition entitlements)
- Two (2) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions
- Your company logo on all onsite major signage including: entry features, registration desk, plenary room, program boards and sponsor acknowledgement signage
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website
- Your logo on the conference holding slides
- One PDF flyer in the eSatchel

## Note Pads and Pens

**At cost**

Exclusive opportunity

Have your branded stationary available to all delegates to use during the conference.

- Note pads and pens to be supplied by the sponsor. Quantities and delivery details to be provided by Event Management.
- Your logo including hyperlink on the conference website

## eSatchel Insert

**A\$550**

Unlimited opportunities

The eSatchel is an alternative to the traditional conference bag filled with flyers. Delegates will be able to access your promotional material via the eSatchel in the conference app.

## Exhibition

**A\$3,850**

Limited opportunities

The exhibition will run for the duration of the program, with catering breaks hosted amongst the exhibition area to ensure maximum exposure.

- One (1) complimentary full delegate registrations including social functions. Any subsequent staff must register at the appropriate registration delegate rate.

Additional equipment can be ordered through the Exhibition Contractor. Upon your booking, your details will be forwarded to the exhibition company and they will contact you directly.

\*Exhibition floor plan will be available soon.

# Exhibition Floor Plan

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**Coming soon**

# Terms and conditions

1. The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy will hereafter be referred to as 'the organisers'.
2. Charges will be based on the stand modules as shown in the plans of the exhibition which will include the total package shown in the brochure, or as may be amended unless items are excluded as will be shown in the contract.
3. If the exhibitors fail to comply in any substantial respect with the terms of her/his agreement the organisers shall have the right to sell the space, the exhibitor, however, to be liable for any loss suffered by the organisers thereby, and all monies paid by the exhibitor hereunder shall be absolutely forfeited to the organisers. If in the event of the exhibitor failing to occupy the said space by the opening time of the show, the organisers are authorised to occupy or cause the said space to be occupied in such manner as it may deem best for the interest of the exhibitor and without releasing the exhibitor from any liability hereunder.
4. The organisers reserve the right to replan the modular plans to the benefit of exhibitors and delegates, as they see fit.
5. The organisers reserve the right to decline any application or modular space and no application will be considered unless made on the correct form and paid in full. This form is to be completed fully and without alteration and stand modules are let on these conditions.
6. No stand will be held as let until this form is signed and returned to the organisers with the appropriate payment. In the event of the exhibition being cancelled, the organisers will return all payments but will not be responsible for the cost of any work carried out by the exhibitors or their contractors.
7. No exhibitor shall erect any sign, stand, wall or obstruction, which in the opinion of the organisers interferes with an adjoining exhibitor.
8. No exhibitor shall display on her/his stand any advertisement for goods manufactured and/or sold, or services provided by a non-exhibitor unless written permission has been obtained from the organisers and no stand may be sublet in any manner without the consent of the organisers.
9. Exhibitors will comply with the rules and regulations stipulated by the organisers, the Health Department and the Metropolitan Fire Brigade and with all relevant state and Commonwealth Acts.
10. The exhibitor will not damage any walls or floors or ceiling of the exhibition area in which her/his stand is located or by nails, screws, oil, paint or any other cause whatsoever.
11. Storage of any products or materials (including packaging) is the responsibility of the exhibitor. The organiser is not responsible for providing storage space at the venue.
12. Exhibitors liabilities: Every exhibitor hereby accepts liability for all acts or omissions of him/herself, her/his servants, contractors, agents and visitors and undertakes to indemnify the organisers. To keep them indemnified against all liability in respect thereof and against all actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, costs and expenses whatsoever, which may be taken or made against the organisers or incurred or become payable by them arising out of the supply by the exhibitor of samples of any kind whatsoever whether such samples be sold or given away free and including any legal costs and expenses and any compensation costs and disbursements paid by the organisers on the advice of counsel to compromise or settle any such claims. Notwithstanding the indemnity hereby given, the exhibitor undertakes to arrange appropriate third party liability insurance.
13. Insurance liability: Neither the organisers nor the hall owners will be responsible for the safety of any exhibit or property of any exhibitor, or any other person, for loss or damage of, or destruction to same, by theft or fire or any other cause whatsoever, or for any loss or damage whatsoever sustained by the exhibitor by reason of any defect in the building caused by fire, storm, tempest, lightning, national emergency, war, labour disputes, strikes or lock-outs, civil disturbances, explosion, inevitable accident, force majeure, or any other cause not within the control of the organisers or for any loss or damage occasioned, if by reason of happenings of any such event, the opening of the exhibition is prevented or postponed or delayed or abandoned, or the building becomes wholly or partially unavailable for the holding of the exhibition. The exhibitor agrees and undertakes to insure in their full replacement value of the contents of her/his stand and all associated equipment and materials.
14. The exhibitor is responsible for the safety of her/his products, displays and stands. During move-in or move-out period, material should be not left unattended at any time.
15. Exhibitors must provide staff for their modular space for the total time that the show is open.
16. Exhibitors may only conduct competitions or offer prizes with the permission of the organisers.
17. Exhibitors' name-tags will be issued to all exhibitors and their staff; these are not transferable and must be worn at all times during the show. The organisers reserve the right to charge any offender of transferring name tags, an additional full registration fee.
18. Volatile or toxic liquid etc. must not be stored in the display areas without permission in writing of the organisers. Exhibitors who obtain such permission must provide at least two fire extinguishers of an approved type and retain these on their stands. Exhibitors using such items will be liable for any damage caused.
19. The organisers will take all precautions they consider necessary for the protection and security of exhibited articles but cannot be responsible for the safety, loss or damage of any exhibit or other property or any other person under any circumstances whatsoever.
20. The organisers reserve the right to postpone the holding of the exhibition from the set dates, and hold the exhibition on other dates as near to the original dates as practicable, utilising the right only where circumstances necessitate such action and without any liability to the organisers.
21. If due to any unforeseen circumstances it is found necessary to close the exhibition on any day or days or to vary the hours the exhibition is open the organisers reserve the right to do so, at their sole discretion.
22. The organisers may from time to time add to or vary the foregoing rules and regulations and do anything at their sole discretion they deem desirable for the proper conduct of the exhibition, provided that such amendments or additions do not operate to diminish the rights reserved to the exhibitor under the agreement and shall not operate to increase the liabilities of the organisers.
23. Cancellation of space: In exceptional circumstances the organisers will be prepared to consider cancellation of their contract with exhibitors, but only if the following conditions are complied with:
  - That the request is received in writing and at least two months prior to the opening of the exhibition.
  - That the organisers are able to re-let the cancelled space in its entirety.
  - That the reason given for the request of the cancellation is, in the opinion of the organisers, well founded.
  - That the exhibitor agrees that the organisers shall retain 50 per cent of the cancelled booth price if the cancellation is presented in writing 30 days or more prior, no refund applies to cancellations made within 29 days prior to the exhibition start date. No Exceptions.
24. Conduct of exhibitors and representatives:
  - Annoyance: The organisers reserve the right to stop any activity on the part of any exhibitor that may cause annoyance to other exhibitors or visitors. Business must be conducted only from the exhibitor's own stand and under no circumstances may this be carried out from a gangway or elsewhere in the exhibition.
  - Microphones and music: The use of microphones and music is permitted, but the volume must not be such as to cause any annoyance to other exhibitors. The organisers reserve the right to prohibit their use if in the organiser's opinion any annoyance is being caused.
  - Gangways: Any encroachment upon gangways or passages shall be deemed to be a breach of contract and articles or goods found therein during the period of the exhibition may be removed by the organisers or their agents and the organisers shall not be responsible for any loss thereto occasioned by such removal.
  - Dress standards: Exhibitors are to dress in a manner reflecting the delegates – business attire or very smart casual. Inappropriate footwear and dress, in the view of the organiser will not be accepted. The organisers decision is final.
25. Right of rejection: Exhibits are admitted to the exhibition, and shall remain there, solely on strict compliance with these rules and regulations. The organisers reserve the right to prohibit in whole or in part and reject any exhibitor or her/his representative in the case of failure to compliance with the rules and regulations. There shall be no return of payment if such rejection or prohibition is deemed necessary by the organisers.
26. Dismantling the exhibits: Exhibits must not be removed and displays must not be dismantled either partly or in total, before closing time on the last day of the exhibition. All exhibits and display material must be removed as soon as possible and by the time indicated.

#### Cancellation of sponsorship:

Cancellations of sponsorship and/or table displays must be received in writing by email only.

Refunds will apply as follows:

More than six (6) months prior to the conference commencement date – 75% refund (less 25% administration fee).

Six (6) - Three (3) months prior to the conference commencement date – 50% refund (less 50% administration fee)

Three months prior to the conference commencement date – NO refund.

## Booking Form

### PERSONAL DETAILS *(Person/s responsible for sponsorship liaison)*

Title - Please circle (Prof / Dr / Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms)

First Name

Last Name

Organisation

Position

Address

State

Code

Country

Email

Telephone

Mobile

Website

### SPONSORSHIP - Please select level of sponsorship: (Please indicate ✓ )

- |   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum Sponsorship A\$16,500         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gold Session A\$9,900             | <input type="checkbox"/> Gold Conference Dinner A\$9,900      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Conference Proceedings A\$4,400 | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Technical Session A\$4,400 | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Name Badge & Lanyard A\$4,400 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Networking Farewell A\$4,400    | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Satchel A\$4,400           | <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Conference Supporter A\$4,400  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Note Pads and Pens - At Cost           | <input type="checkbox"/> eSatchel Insert A\$550            | <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibition Booth A\$3,850            |

### PAYMENT & COMPANY LOGO (IN HIGH RESOLUTION PRINT QUALITY JPEG & EPS FORMAT) MUST BE RECEIVED WITH YOUR COMPLETED BOOKING FORM

Sponsorship total A\$	\$ _____	1st preference booth no.:	_____
Exhibition total - A\$3,850 per booth	\$ _____	2nd preference booth no.:	_____
Total	\$ _____		

### METHOD OF PAYMENT

**(Note: All sponsorships and exhibition bookings must include payment with this form)**

Crossed cheque made payable to The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy

- Visa
  Mastercard
  American Express
  Diners Card

Please include account-mailing address for Amex amounts over A\$1,000:

Card No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVN: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Cardholders Name: \_\_\_\_\_