



## AUSTRALIAN STEEL CONVENTION: VITAL & ADAPTIVE

### **FABRICATOR FORUM PROGRAM**

Tuesday, 11 October 2022 | 2pm- 3:30pm

Four Seasons Hotel Sydney

The Australian Steel Convention is an exciting forum to hear from dynamic speakers covering the global perspective, market drivers including sustainability, compliance, traceability, skills and project case studies.

The Fabricator Forum will focus on what the construction sector is seeking from fabricators, latest on training & skills through to efficient workshop layouts incorporating the latest machinery.



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1315 - 1400 LUNCH SERVED IN EXHIBITION AREA

1400 - 1415 THE CONSTRUCTION SECTOR AND HOW IT RELATES TO FABRICATORS

Jon Davis | Chief Executive Officer, Australian Constructors Association



Rebuilding trust with all industry stakeholders through improved mutual understanding of organisational drivers and constraints to deliver a new industry culture standard. Working with industry and clients to mitigate escalation risk to improve industry productivity through effective contract models. How working collectively with other industry stakeholders can improve the environmental sustainability of the industry

1415 - 1430 AN INSIGHT INTO THE LATEST MACHINERY FROM FICEP

Darryl Mack | Director, Ron Mack Machinery



Ficep is the leading manufacturer providing the widest range of machine tools for the steel construction and fabrication industry. Over the years the company has grown from being a manufacturer of manual machines to be the global leader in manufacturing the most advanced CNC machines and automatic systems for the steel

1430 - 1445 OPTIMISING WORKSHOP LAYOUTS FOR SAFETY AND PRODUCTIVITY

Chris Littlewood | Country Manager - Australia, CombiLift



Combilift's innovative, multi-directional technology coupled with over 20 years of experience in volume optimisation means we're experts in making your space work harder. Our free warehouse planning consultancy service lets you visualise the potential Combilift can unlock within your existing footprint.

1445 - 1500 GENERAL CONTRACTING IN TODAY'S MARKET

Richard Hodgett | Engineering Manager, Built



A view of the current market conditions from the perspective of Built, a privately owned national diversified tier one general contractor. With a \$4.5bn project pipeline and currently operating across most major market sectors, new projects in the Public Health, Education and Defence sectors, this session provides exciting insights and opportunities for steel fabricators.

1500 - 1515 UPDATE ON SKILLS AND TRAINING FOR STEEL FABRICATION & WELDING



Peter Schreiner | Industry Innovation Specialist - Construction & Engineering, TAFE NSW

An overview of current and future training and skills education available through TAFE providing the opportunity for feedback and insight from fabricators as to requirements of the industry.

1515 - 1530 Q&A (FACILITATED BY FORUM HOST)

1530 - 1630 Farewell Drinks at Grain Bar, Four Seasons Hotel Sydney