

Preliminary Program

Wednesday, June 12

9:00 AM Opening ceremony and welcome to Country

9:30 AM Presentation of the MinErAL Network and its Australian component

10:00 AM Coffee Break

10:30 AM Mining in Cairns, Australia

Confirmed Speakers: **Bill Cummings**, Principal at Cummings economics & compass research, Cairns, Australia
Janice Wegner, Senior lecturer, College of Arts, Society & Education, James Cook University
Galiina (Kal) Ellwood, PhD candidate at James Cook University

12:00 PM Lunch

1:30 PM Native Title Claim and Mining

Confirmed Speakers: **Michael Neal**, Director, P& E Law, native title Law specialist, Cairns, Australia
Ciaran O'Faircheallaigh, Professor, School of Government and International Relations, Griffith University.
Melissa Sutton & Michael Limerik, Queensland Resources Council
Pierre-Yves Lemeur, Anthropologist, IRD, UMR GRED, Montpellier

3:30 PM Coffee Break

4:00 PM Negotiating across mining life cycles : IBAs, Consultation and Consent

Confirmed Speakers: **Rémy Rouillard**, Postdoctoral fellow, department of geography, Memorial University.
Thierry Rodon, Principal investigator of the MinErAL Network, Political science department, Laval University.
Ciaran O'Faircheallaigh, Professor, School of Government and International Relations, Griffith University.
Claire Levacher, Postdoctoral fellow, Laval University
Réal McKenzie, Former Chief of the Innu Nation of Matimekush-Lac John

6:00 PM Diner

Thursday, June 13

9:00 AM Mining Geographies

Confirmed Speakers: **Severine Bouard**, researcher, Institut Agronomique Néο-Calédonien
A representative of Koniambo Nickel SAS

Awaiting confirmation: A member of the Jabalbina board

Dag Avango, part of the leadership of REXSAC and researcher, KTH-Royal institute of technology

10:30 AM Coffee Break

11:00 AM Projects in development

Confirmed Speakers: **Sabrina Bourgeois**, PhD candidate at Laval University
Karen Bouchard, PhD candidate at Laval University
Zoé Borin, PhD candidate at University of Ottawa
Julie Fortin, PhD candidate at Laval University

12:30 PM Lunch

13:30 Projects in development (Continued)

Confirmed Speakers: **Linus Lundström**, Postgraduate student at Arctic Research Center at Umea University (ARCUM)

Awaiting confirmation: Jesse Marnock, Planning student, James Cook University.

Jeanie Govan, PhD candidate, Charles Darwin University.

2:30 PM Free afternoon

Friday June 14

9:00 AM General Assembly of the MinErAL Network

12:00 PM End of the conference and travel home