

TUESDAY 2 MAY LOCATIONS TO BE ANNOUNCED

Time	Activity	Notes
9:00am - 4:00pm	Pre-conference tour of Bowen region— visit vegetable production and other sites in the region	If you are interested in participating, please contact AMIA on 07 3278 3755 or email edm@mangoes.net.au . There will be a fee to cover coach hire and meals (itinerary to be confirmed)
5:00pm - 8:00pm (to be confirmed)	Welcome reception	

WEDNESDAY 3 MAY PORT DENISON SAILING CLUB

Time	Activity	Presenters
8:30am	Welcome and conference opening	To be confirmed
	The changing retail landscape—challenges and opportunities for suppliers	Tristan Kitchener (Kitchener Partners)
	Mango consumers, marketing and growing demand	Treena Welch (AMIA) and Elisa King (HIA)
	Growing for flavour and profit	Several of Australia's leading mango growers
	Meeting retail challenges	Leading Australian retailers
	USA and Asia—challenges and opportunities	Leading international retailers
6:00pm - 10:00pm (to be confirmed)	Gala event including dinner and industry awards	

THURSDAY 4 MAY PORT DENISON SAILING CLUB

Time	Activity	Presenters
8:30am	Quality assurance streamlined for suppliers—The Harmonised Australian Retailer Produce Scheme (HARPS)	Tristan Kitchener (Kitchener Partners) and a panel of retail representatives
	Market access and disinfestation research	Peter Leach (QDAF), Brian Thistleton (NTDPIR) and a panel of speakers
	Exporting mangoes to Asian markets	Andrew Macnish (QDAF)
	Understanding the application of new technology in the orchard and packing shed	Jesse Reader (Bosch)
	Developing robotics for the orchard	Tristan Perez (QUT)

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Preliminary Program

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THURSDAY 4 MAY		THREE MANGO ORCHARDS IN THE BOWEN REGION
Time	Activity	
1:00pm	Orchard demonstrations and presentations (see below for further details)	
5:30pm - 6:30pm	AMIA annual general meeting	
6:30pm	Free night	

FIELD DAY

FRIDAY 5 MAY		THREE MANGO ORCHARDS IN THE BOWEN REGION
Time	Activity	
8:00am - 12 noon	Orchard demonstrations and presentations (see below for further details)	
1:00pm - 5:00pm	Orchard demonstrations and presentations (see below for further details)	
6:00pm	Farewell drinks	

FIELD DAY

FIELD DAY PROGRAM*		
<p>ORCHARD 1</p> <p>Innovation and Technology</p> <p>Orchard sprayers</p> <p>In-transit ripening</p> <p>Tray liners and impact on quality</p> <p>Technology to deliver improved harvest timing</p> <p>Mapping mango orchards</p>	<p>ORCHARD 2</p> <p>Canopy management, floral manipulation and tree nutrition</p> <p>Managing flowering by manipulation</p> <p>The use of molecular markers in designing trees</p> <p>Maximising nitrogen use</p> <p>Canopy management and light interception</p> <p>Rootstocks and their influence on production</p>	<p>ORCHARD 3</p> <p>Pest Management</p> <p>Fruit fly and area wide management</p> <p>Improving management of mango scale</p> <p>Fruit Spotting Bug—monitoring and management</p> <p>Fruit Spotting Bug —lure and kill strategy</p> <p>Managing Magpie Geese</p> <p>Magpie Geese deterrents</p> <p>New crop protection products and making better use of existing products</p>
<p>*Further demonstrations and presentations are currently being added to the field program. Please re-visit the website for future updates.</p>		

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