

The Great Aussie Composting Roadshow

6 to 17 March 2023
VIC, NSW and QLD

FREE TO ATTEND



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Centre for
Recycling of Organic
Waste and Nutrients

About the roadshow

The Great Aussie Composting Roadshow will provide intensive animal industries such as egg and broiler farms, cattle feedlots, piggeries and dairy farms with tailored and in-depth information regarding solid manure management, focusing on composting as a management tool.

Where relevant, the composting of food and fibre processing residues and the co-composting of municipal and agricultural residues in regional areas will also be discussed.

Each event will feature five key speakers, listed below, who will provide the majority of presentations, which will be augmented by contributions from local industry and government representatives.

- **Professor Robert Rynk**, State University of New York
- **Matthew Cotton**, Composting Consultant, California
- **Janine Price**, Scolexia Animal & Avian Health Consultancy
- **Dr Kevin Wilkinson**, Frontier Ag & Environment
- **Johannes Biala**, University of Queensland, Centre for Recycling of Organic Waste and Nutrients

This series of events is jointly funded by the Australian Government's National Landcare Program, Smart Farming Partnerships, and the associated partners.



The Great Aussie Composting Roadshow will address and answer your questions on the following key topics:

- **Why consider composting?**
- **Regulations governing manure management and composting**
- **The fundamentals of composting**
- **Composting technologies, equipment and costs**
- **Mortality composting and biosecurity**
- **Co-composting of agricultural and non-agricultural residues**
- **Compost characteristics and compost use**

Each event will conclude with a roundtable for discussion and Q&A.

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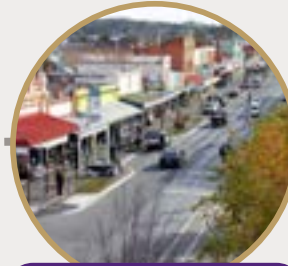
Workshop dates and locations

Monday
6 March 2023



Colac, VIC

Tuesday
7 March 2023



St Arnaud, VIC

Wednesday
8 March 2023



Shepparton, VIC

Tuesday
14 March 2023



Tamworth, NSW

Monday
13 March 2023



Maitland, NSW

Thursday
9 March 2023



Griffith, NSW

Wednesday
15 March 2023



Pittsworth, QLD

Thursday
16 March 2023



Dalby, QLD

Friday
17 March 2023



Beaudesert, QLD

International and local expert speakers



Dr Robert Rynk

Professor Emeritus,
State University of New York,
Cobleskill College of Agriculture and
Technology, USA



Janine Price

Principal Consultant
- Environment and
Regulation, Scolexia
Pty Ltd., Canberra, ACT



Matt Cotton

Principal Consultant/
Owner, Integrated
Waste Management
Consulting, Richmond,
California, USA



Johannes Biala

Director, Centre for Recycling
of Organic Waste and Nutrients
(CROWN), School of Agriculture
and Food Sciences, University
of Queensland, Gatton, QLD



Dr Kevin Wilkinson

Director, Frontier Ag &
Environment, Ballarat, VIC

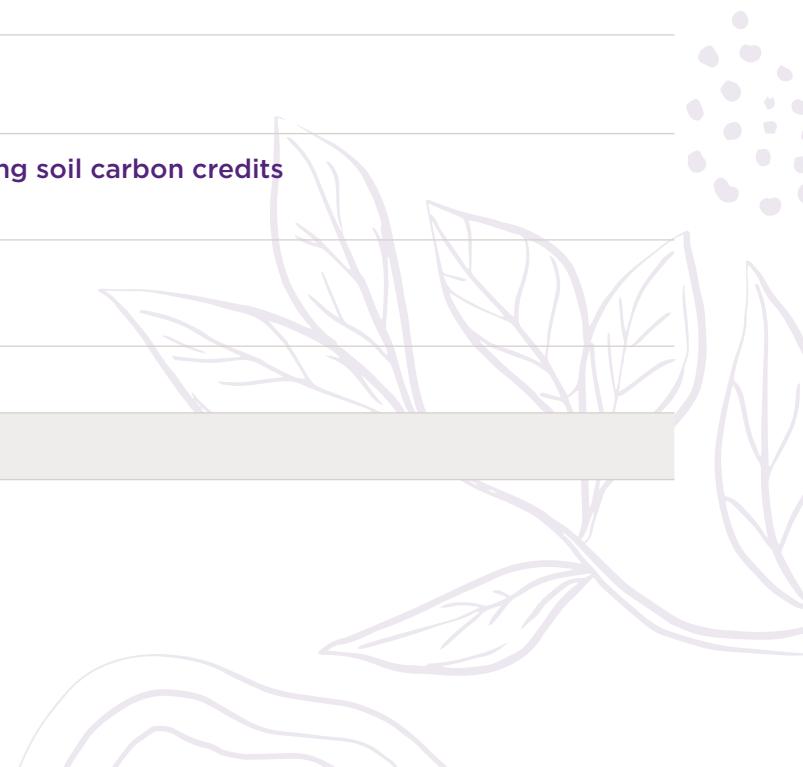


Local Speakers

Various - To be engaged for
each event

Workshop agenda

9:30am	Registration, tea and coffee
10:00am	Welcome and housekeeping
10:10am	On-farm composting – Status, Barriers, Opportunities Dr Kevin Wilkinson
10:45am	Why consider manure composting? Prof Robert Rynk
11:20am	Rules and regulations that govern manure management and composting Janine Price
11:55am	The fundamentals of composting Prof Robert Rynk
12:30pm	Lunch Break
1:30pm	Planning and setting up a composting operation, including business and operational models Matt Cotton
2:05pm	Mortality composting Dr Kevin Wilkinson
2:40pm	Compost characteristics and compost use, including soil carbon credits Johannes Biala
3:15pm	Presentation related to the local area Local speaker
3:30pm	Roundtable discussion and Q&A - local issues
4:00pm	Workshop Close





Register to attend your local workshop

The Great Aussie Composting Roadshow workshops are free to attend!

Please register for your closest workshop using the online form available at: events.humanitix.com/tours/the-great-aussie-composting-roadshow.

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If you require any assistance completing the registration form please contact Emma McVie by email emma@revolveservices.com.au or phone 1300 421 065.

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New South Wales

Thursday 9 March 2023 - Griffith

Monday 13 March 2023 - Maitland

Tuesday 14 March 2023 - Tamworth

Queensland

Wednesday 15 March 2023 - Pittsworth

Thursday 16 March 2023 - Dalby

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