

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM ON THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY

2019

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Become a
global leader
in the circular
economy

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

This unique practitioner's program will give business and government leaders the practical skills to make a difference in the circular economy. You will see how to put theory into practice and translate concepts into tangible actions.

You will broaden your understanding of the circular economy in the company of experienced international participants from diverse backgrounds. You will be exposed to an experiential learning environment through site tours and learn from national and international experts in fields including water, waste, energy and materials management. This is a personalised learning experience that a conference cannot provide.

The diversity of the program's themes is grounded in visits to a range of circular economy operations – all within close proximity to each other in and around the city of Adelaide.

Adelaide, South Australia, is increasingly recognised as a leader in circular economy initiatives. This leadership program provides the chance to see these first-hand, develop your knowledge and deepen your understanding based on proven successes.

- More than 84% of the state's waste is diverted from landfill
- 57% of the state's entire energy consumption is met by renewable energy and completion of current projects will increase this to 75% by 2021

- It is one of the most water efficient regions in the world, recycling nearly 40GL of wastewater and urban stormwater per year. This figure is set to exceed 50GL per year in 2019 after the commissioning of current infrastructure projects.

One of the many take-outs of the program will be a customised personal action plan. With expert guidance, you will build your capacity to influence and lead change specific to your organisation and community.



South Australia is a hub for the circular economy where the government, industry, community, research and education sector actively collaborate. We are uniquely positioned to demonstrate the circular principles in the areas of recycling and resource recovery; water management; climate change; smart cities; innovation and renewable energy. There is nowhere else where you can see the circular economy in practice and concentrated in one conveniently located geographic metropolitan location.

*Vaughan Levitzke,
Chief Executive, Green Industries SA*



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

WITH INTERNATIONAL

PEERS AND EXPERTS

Major themes in the program include:

- Circular economy policy and practice
- Community and society
- Industry
- Water management

There are six learning modes:

1. Presentations by experts who are internationally recognised as thought-leaders in the circular economy.
2. Site tours and on-site presentations demonstrating circular economy practices.
3. Networking with practitioners, solution providers, policy makers, experts and educators in the circular economy.
4. Case study presentations, analysis and discussion.
5. Peer discussions and problem-solving sessions.
6. Formulating a personal action plan.

LIMITED INTAKE

Winter Program

22 July – 26 July 2019

Summer Program

2 December – 6 December 2019

BENEFITS OF ATTENDING

Who should attend

The leadership program is ideal for experienced professionals, public sector managers, academics, and business and industry leaders from diverse backgrounds who are involved in sustainability, urban planning, industrial efficiency, renewable energy, and waste and water resource management amongst other areas.

Experience world-class site visits within or near the Adelaide metropolitan area, backed by the practical know-how of international experts in the circular economy. The learning program also includes expert presentations, case studies, peer discussions and networking with business and policy leaders.

At the end of the program you will attain alumni status, maintaining your contact with an international network of established experts and emerging leaders in the circular economy.



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Empower yourself to realise the benefits of the circular economy at this global leadership program. Deepen your understanding of the circular economy and see initiatives developed in one of the world's most progressive green states.



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Green Industries SA is an enabler and driver of change, supporting the development of the circular economy through diverse collaborations which improve productivity, resilience, resource efficiency and the environment.

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International collaboration

