

AUSTRALIAN COMMERCIAL MARINE CONFERENCE



ACMG

Wednesday 29 July 2026 | King Street Wharf 4, Darling Harbour, Sydney

2026 Conference Program

Time	Duration	Activity	Speaker
9:00 – 9:30 AM	30 min	Registration	
9:30 – 9:35 AM	5 min	Opening Remarks	David Good MC
9:35 – 9:45 AM	10 min	Welcome from ACMG Chair	Nick Lester Sealink Marine & Tourism
9:45 – 10:25 AM	40 min	Session 1: Reading the Tide: Australia's Economic Outlook and What It Means for Commercial Marine	Peter Munckton Bank of Queensland
10:25 – 10:55 AM	30 min	Session 2: From Rescue Specialist to Safety Solutions Leader	Clayton 'Ditch' Vladich, Adam Spinelli & Johnny Fisher Control Point Group
10:55 – 11:30 AM	35 min	Morning Tea Break	
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	30 min	Session 3: Tourism at the Helm: Why Visitor Demand, Global Markets and Marine Experiences are Shaping Australia's Commercial Marine Future	Dominic Mehling Tourism Australia
12:00 – 12:30 PM	30 min	Session 4: Hybrid Power and the Next Generation of Marine Engines	Cameron Murch & Jason Rendle Scania Australia
12:30 – 12:40 PM	10 min	Sponsor Presentation	Luke Foster Power Equipment

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12:40 – 1:40 PM	60 min	Lunch Break	Sponsored by Power Equipment
1:40 – 2:10 PM	30 min	Session 5: Pitch Platform	Various
2:10 – 2:50 PM	40 min	Session 6: Australia's first designed, built and operated accessible electric ferry	Tommy Ericson Aus Ships Group
2:50 – 3:00 PM	10 min	Sponsor Session	Jeremy Spear Interferry
3:00 – 3:45 PM	45 min	Afternoon Tea Break	
3:45 – 4:15 PM	30 min	Session 7: \$50 Billion and Counting: The True Economic Weight of Australia's Commercial Marine Industry	David Good ACMG
4:15 – 4:45 PM	30 min	Session 8: Less Resistance, Lower Costs: What Advanced Trim Can Do for Your Vessel	Gavin Rooney Humphree
4:45 – 5:00 PM	15 min	Closing Remarks	David Good MC
5:00 – 8:00 PM	3 hrs	Networking Drinks – All AIMEX, Superyacht Australia & ACMG Members	Sponsored by Power Equipment

Program current as at 27 July 2026.

If you have any questions regarding the Australian Commercial Marine Conference, please contact Maddie Spencer at m Spencer@aimex.asn.au