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LIGHTING COUNCIL TO HOST ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION SEMINAR IN BRISBANE

Lighting Council Australia will host an Environmental Education Seminar on Tuesday 5 September at the Marriott Hotel, Brisbane.

Following the success of the previous seminar held on Tuesday 23 May in Sydney, Lighting Council has again announced a panel of experts in the field of recycling and product stewardship who will address attendees in Brisbane.

Chaired by Russell Loane OAM, Managing Director of Eye Lighting, the seminar will feature a range of speakers from different industry and government stakeholders, including:

Mike Arieni, Managing Director of Solar Bollard Lighting, a Brisbane-based designer and supplier of premium solar lighting products;

Matt Douglas, Associate Director of Electrical Infrastructure at the University of Queensland;

Zoltan Sekula, Product Stewardship Manager at CMA ecoCycle, a leading Australian recycler of E-waste, and;

Axl Drimi, Principal Sustainability Manager at the Queensland Government Accommodation Office in the Department of Energy and Public Works.

Speakers will provide an update to attendees on the current E-waste recycling trends, as well as raise awareness for best practices and innovation in E-waste recycling strategies.

Lighting Council Australia operates two product stewardship schemes to promote and facilitate the safe recycling of mercury-containing fluorescent lighting products and nickel-cadmium-containing exit light batteries, FluoroCycle and EXITCYCLE.

Members of industry, government stakeholders and other stakeholder organisations can become a signatory to FluoroCycle and EXITCYCLE. For more information, visit [the Lighting Council Australia website](https://www.lightingcouncil.com.au).

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