

## Opportunity to Attend the 2023 and 2024 Conference for FREE!

The International Erosion Control Association (IECA) is a non-profit, international, member organisation that provides education, resource information and business opportunities for professionals in the erosion and sediment control (ESC) industry.

# IECA Australasia Vital Young Professional Scholarship Program

(This scholarship is offered by the Australasian Chapter of the IECA (IECA Aust) to young professionals or students living in Australia or New Zealand)



IECA Australasia is very pleased to announce the availability of a sponsored attendance at our 2023 National Conference, to be held in Noosa, Qld, Aust. from the 1<sup>st</sup> November to the 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023 along with the 2024 Conference.

This opportunity is open to a young professional from either Australia or New Zealand embarking on a career in the erosion and sediment control industry. Applicants must be under the age of 35 as at 1<sup>st</sup> November 2023.

### OPPORTUNITIES

- Conference registration for all 2 days of the conference.
- A single ticket to the Welcome Drinks and the Conference Dinner.
- A single ticket to the Pre-Conference Field Tour.
- Accommodation - Single Occupancy (incl 1 buffet breakfast per night) at the Peppers Resort, Noosa.
- Travel costs (airfares, transfers etc) to the value of \$500.
- 2024 Full Conference registration (dates and venue TBC) plus travel costs to the value of \$500.
- 12 months IECA Aust Individual membership and an additional 12 months membership at half price.

## SUBMISSION

Only one sponsored position is available.

Applications can be made by eligible persons by completing the **APPLICATION FORM** and emailing to [sandra@ieca.org](mailto:sandra@ieca.org) **before 5:00 pm on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023.**

### EXPECTATIONS

- Attend all technical and social sessions of the 2023 and 2024 conference and IECA meetings.
- Write an article for the IECA Australasia Newsletter on their experience at the conference for both 2023 and 2024 conferences.
- Actively promote IECA through their industry networks and LinkedIn platforms.
- Present at the 2024 Conference on the learning outcomes achieved through their attendance at the 2023 Conference.
- Assist in mentoring the 2024 Conference Scholarship recipient.
- Attend IECA Australasia Board meetings as an observer (this will be in person at the Conference and then via Tele-conference throughout the year).
- Become a member of IECA Australasia if they are not already for a minimum of two years (12 months complimentary IECA Aust Individual membership and an additional 12 month membership at half price paid by the award recipient).

Applications will be judged by representatives from the IECA Australasia Board of Directors. All applicants will be notified of the outcome by 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023.