

# INDUSTRY INNOVATION

# FOREST TO FIBRE: TIMBER FUTURES

2 OCTOBER 2024 | 12.30PM - 5PM

HERVEY BAY REGIONAL ART GALLERY & HEBBLEWHITE FARM

Join us for an engaging event and gain a better understanding of where materials used in the built environment come from. Hear from forest and timber industry leaders discussing **innovative timber processing**, have opportunities to network, and get an exclusive behind-the-scenes tour of the Fraser Coast Regional Council's **native hardwood plantations at Hebblewhite Farm**. Enjoy lunch and explore Harvey Bay Regional Art Gallery's '**Forest to Fibre**' exhibition which presents cutting edge research into sustainable timber processing and design alongside local stories, artworks and histories.

PRESENTATIONS | PLANTATION TOUR | NETWORKING  
ARCHITECTS | ENGINEERS | BUILDERS | TIMBER SPECIFIERS

## PROGRAM

**History and Overview of the Wide Bay Water Hardwood Plantation irrigated with Recycled Wastewater** – Ben McClatchie, Water Reuse Manager, Wide Bay Water and Waste Services Directorate

**Establishing solutions for hardwood plantation thinnings and small diameter logs** – Dr. Bill Leggate, Team Leader and Principal Research Scientist, Forest Products Innovation, Agri-Science Queensland, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries

**Forest to Fibre – The research, design and construction of the Exhibition Installation** – Kim Baber, Fellow in Civil Engineering and Architecture, School of Architecture, Design and Planning, The University of Queensland

## Hebblewhite Farm Tour

Don't miss this rare chance to go behind the scenes at one of Fraser Coast Regional Council's native hardwood plantations.

Networking drinks at Hervey Bay Regional Gallery



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