

# Port Lincoln Regional Outlook conference

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## Port Lincoln 18 May 2016

### ABARES Regional Outlook conference

Port Lincoln Hotel  
1 Lincoln Highway  
Port Lincoln SA





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### Registration includes:

- conference entry
- access to ABARES recent publications
- morning and afternoon tea and lunch
- delegate directory
- profile data – *about my region*

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# Port Lincoln 18 May 2016

8.30 AM Registration

## Investing in rural industries – growing our future

CHAIR **Brooke Neindorf**  
ABC Rural

9.00 AM Welcome to Country

*Opening address*

**Rowan Ramsey MP**  
Federal Member for Grey

9.30 AM **Jammie Penm**  
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*National and international issues affecting  
South Australia*

9.50 AM **Michael Growder**

Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade  
*Agriculture, trade, foreign investment and FTAs  
– the Australian situation*

10.10 AM Questions and discussion

10.30 AM Morning tea

## Growing the grains industry

CHAIR **Eric Parnis**  
Primary Industries and Regions SA

11.00 AM **Darren Ray**

Bureau of Meteorology  
*Bringing together water, weather and  
climate intelligence*

11.20 AM **David Mobsby**

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*Commodity outlook and issues*

11.40 AM **Kingsley MacDonald**

'Glenrowan', Coppio SA  
*Achieving sustainable growth in grain farming*

12.00 PM **Damian Fitzgerald**

Viterra

*The value of an efficient farm gate to global  
market supply chain*

12.20 PM Questions and discussion

1.00 PM Lunch

## Expanding fisheries opportunities and developing rural leaders

CHAIR **Dion Dorward**

Regional Development Australia Whyalla  
and Eyre Peninsula

2.00 PM **Robert Curtotti**

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*Fisheries outlook and issues*

2.20 PM **Sarah Powell**

Champions Academy  
*Developing future leaders and reinvigorating  
rural communities*

2.40 PM **John Isle**

Sarin Group Fishing

*Producing a high quality product with  
sustainable practices*

3.00 PM **Jedd Routledge**

Natural Oysters

*How, why and where to: a snapshot of the  
SA oyster industry*

3.30 PM Questions and discussion

4.00 PM Close and afternoon tea