



AUSTRALIAN
**Prawn
Farmers**
ASSOCIATION



CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Oral presentations or Workshops
Submission period is current until 29th June 2018

The Australian Prawn Farmers Association is the leading industry organisation for prawn and shrimp farming in Australia, an industry with a value of circa \$85 million. The industry focuses on providing high quality and high value product to the Australian retail sector and is supported by world leading researchers. The annual Symposium is the pre-eminent forum for Australian prawn farmers to gain new knowledge, network and meet with service providers, vendors and scientists.

The symposium is being held at the RACV Royal Pines Resort, Gold Coast Australia on **Tuesday 14th and Wednesday 15th August 2018.**

The **2018 Ridley Australian Prawn Farmers' Association Symposium** welcomes the submission of expressions of interest for oral presentations and workshops. All submissions should be emailed to roni@agrimix.net.au

Presentations and workshops

This is an exciting opportunity to present original work related to SMART FARMING and disseminate high quality information to the Australian prawn farming industry.

Upon selection, oral presentations will be chosen for either a 15-minute presentation OR participation in the 5 minute "Lightning Round" of presentations. Workshops will be for approximately 90 minutes.

- All expressions of interest must be in English, in Microsoft Word format and limited to between 50-100 words.
- The 50-100 word expression of interest should describe what you would like to talk about in your presentation and how it contributes to the Australian prawn farming industry and SMART FARMING.
- Please include: Presentation Name; all author(s) ' identifying information, including names, degrees, and institutional affiliations (presenting author to be bolded); and narrative text.

Theme SMART FARMING, but not limited to:

- Technology, Innovation & Farm Efficiency; Other: please indicate
- Pathology & Disease management and monitoring; Biosecurity
- Pond Health and Water Quality; Environment & Waste Water Treatment
- Processing
- Hatchery Production Techniques; Nursery Systems
- Grow Out Production Techniques
- Government regulation and governance
- Management and best practice
- Marketing

Please note that presenters are required to pay their own registration, accommodation and travel expenses.