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RPM MINE PLANNING FORUM PERTH 2026

3rd September 2026 | The Ritz-Carlton Perth

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Welcome

Welcome to the **2026 Perth Mine Planning Forum**.

Now in its third year, the Forum brings together mining engineers, planners and technical professionals from across the industry for a day of practical discussion, technical insights and shared experiences.

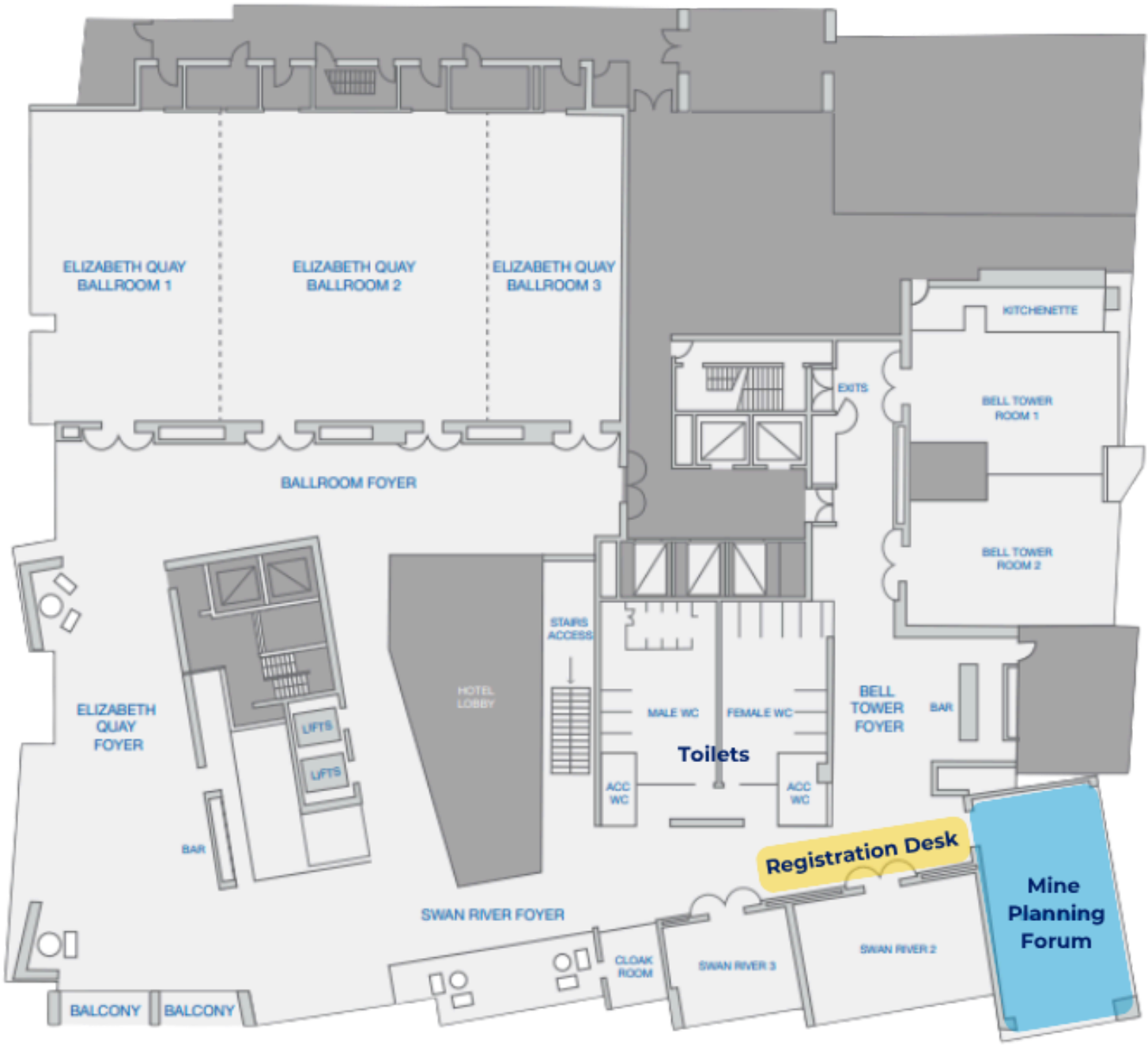
This year's program explores some of the key challenges and opportunities across mine planning and operations, with sessions covering truck-limited scheduling, plan compliance, parametric mine planning, short interval control, fleet optimisation and strategic planning.

We're also pleased to welcome **Rio Tinto** for a technical chat, sharing their experience with XECUTE and some of the challenges, learnings and unexpected benefits uncovered along the way.

Thank you for joining us. We hope you enjoy the day.

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Join us on level 1 at The Ritz-Carlton Perth in the Swan River Room 1.



Competitions

Kahoot!

Some exciting prizes are up for grabs throughout the day, use the following to access Kahoot!

Kahoot!

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Opening Address

Anthony Fraser I Regional General Manager - ANZ

Join our Regional General Manager for ANZ, Anthony Fraser, as he welcomes you to our annual Mine Planning Forum.

🔎 Use Case: Drone Data in Mine Planning

Dylan Hardenbergh I Senior Solutions Executivve

A case study examining how more frequent aerial imagery supports mine planning leading to improved productivity and efficiency.

Plan Compliance: Connecting Planning with Operations

Chet Fong I Senior Solution Executive

Explore how executable planning, timely operational data and responsive planning workflows can work together to improve plan compliance. This session looks at how better alignment between planning and operations can help teams identify deviations, respond faster and keep production on track.

Truck-Limited Scheduling: Bridging Planning and Operations

Sandon Putland I Senior Mining Consultant

Explore how truck constraints are applied within the schedule, how trucks are assigned, and where planning assumptions can differ from operational reality.

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Parametric Basics

Alun Phillips I Product Manager

Explore the fundamentals of parametric mine planning, how RPM has applied parametric approaches for decades, and how these capabilities continue to evolve. This session will look at where we've come from, how parametrics are being used today, and what's next.

🔥 XECUTE in Practice: A Technical Discussion with Rio Tinto

Luke Vedelago I Senior Business Executive

Chet Fong I Senior Solution Executive

Rio Tinto Team Members

A technical chat exploring Rio Tinto's experience with XECUTE, including the challenges encountered, process gaps uncovered through implementation, and unexpected benefits realised along the way.

Short Interval Control: Closing the Production Feedback Loop

Kode Patterson I Senior Mining Engineer

Explore how real-time production data can create faster feedback loops between planning and operations, enabling teams to identify deviations, respond to changing conditions and keep production aligned with the plan.

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XECUTE FleetOptimiser: Optimising Fleet Decisions

Chet Fong I Senior Solution Executive

Kode Patterson I Senior Mining Engineer

A practical use case exploring how XECUTE FleetOptimiser applies simulation and AI to evaluate fleet scenarios, optimise haulage and support better fleet planning decisions.

Strategic Planning Case Studies

Alun Phillips I Product Manager

Explore practical case studies demonstrating how EO and MinePlanner can be applied across strategic mine planning, from evaluating options and scenarios through to developing practical mine plans.

Terrace Mining in Action

Alun Phillips I Product Manager

See Terrace Mining in action with a practical demonstration showcasing how the solution supports efficient mine planning and design workflows.

Networking Event

Join us for networking drinks by Elizabeth Quay to wrap up the day.

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