Is the Copenhagen Accord strong enough? Will countries now commit by the end of the month to specific targets that can curb a global temperature rise to below 2 degrees Celsius and act in concert to ensure that a legally binding treaty is reached later in the year? With a .09 degree increase in temperature across Australia over the last decade, we are well on our way to being one of the countries to be hardest hit by climate change in the world. Do we want a land constantly ravaged by drought, fire, dust storms, flood, cyclones and storms? Or can we harness the opportunity and build a robust green economy?

Apart from the Government representatives in Copenhagen, there were over 25,000 members of civil society. There were over 1000 side events and exhibitions presenting the latest thought leadership in a raft of topics from curbing population growth to leading technologies and non financial reporting. Until there is a global binding agreement, this is what will lead our world.

To share in the thought leadership from Copenhagen and hear the views of those who were there, to learn what this means to you, your business and community, to discover the latest about non-financial reporting and to glean insight into how the global business community are tapping into the opportunities of climate change...

MOSS, MAW Action and DLA Phillips Fox invite you to join MOSS delegates to COP 15 for a Copenhagen briefing

8.45am – 11.00am, Wednesday, 3rd February
DLA Phillips Fox, Level 3, 55 Wentworth Ave, Kingston, Canberra
Speakers Include:

Louise Hicks – Partner Environment Team, DLA Phillips Fox. Louise is an environmental lawyer specialising in climate change law. Specifically she advises on:
- Mitigation/adaptation policy development and implementation.
- Carbon trading system formulation and implementation.
- Advice on carbon trading system reporting requirements and offset creation.
- Offset/credit creation in and out of a carbon trading system (voluntary carbon market).

Her clients include State and Local Government, water authorities, developers and corporations.

Lex Holcombe – Partner, DLA Phillips Fox. Lex advises on government law. He has particular expertise in relation to FOI and privacy, statutory interpretation, administrative law (advising and litigation) governance and the Commonwealth financial framework. He also assists agencies in public sector employment issues such as Code of Conduct investigations and other public sector employment issues. Lex has extensive experience in helping agencies develop programmes and implement government initiatives, including the drafting of legislative instruments and reviewing existing programmes.

Anne-Maree Huxley, Founder and CEO MOSS. Anne-Maree is a key driver of Sustainability in Australia as founder and CEO of Models of Success & Sustainability (MOSS) the industry body for Corporate Responsibility and Sustainability. MOSS supports business through education, training, networking and advice to drive sustainability and competitive business success. She was one of the first 150 people trained by Al Gore around the world as a Climate Leader. She is also a Director of the Carbon Trade Exchange (which will provide the world’s first end to end electronic processes for Carbon Credits), the One at a Time Foundation and is Chair of The Live n Learn Foundation. Anne-Maree is passionate about making a difference in the world. She speaks regularly about leadership, climate change and responsible business – and aims to assist business, government and community work collaboratively to address the complex issues of our time, with a vision and purpose that addresses sustainable development.

Additional speakers are expected to be confirmed shortly.

Tickets

MOSS and DLA Phillips Fox clients $66 Non Members $88

Tickets include speaker notes, special event podcasts from Copenhagen along with a light morning tea and networking. Please note tickets are strictly limited and will be accepted on a first in best dressed basis – so book today to avoid disappointment.

Our special thanks to our hosts DLA Phillips Fox.
We look forward to sharing our knowledge and insights with you.