



# POG Seminar

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2026 | 8:30 am to 4:30 pm**  
**Melbourne| Marvel Stadium**

Time	Presenter	Item
8:30 AM		Arrivals and Registration
		<b>Session Chair: Craig Bonar, APGA</b>
9:00 AM		Session Intro and Sponsor Speech
9:05 AM	Matt Clark, APA	Management of Water Crossings- APA
9:20 AM	Qingshi Chen, First Gas	Management of Firstgas Transmission Pipeline Waterway Crossings
9:35 AM	Troy Praag, AGIG	Management of Water Crossings- AGIG
9:50 AM		Management of Water Crossings Panel
10:20 AM		<b>Morning Tea</b>
		<b>Session Chair: Matt Clark, APA Group</b>
10:50 AM		Session Intro and Sponsor Speech
10:55AM	Lewis Barton, ROSEN	Advancing Integrity Management of Unpiggable Pipelines: Enhancing Direct Assessment with NIPA
11:15 AM	Wajahat Hussain, ATCO	Innovative Approach for Managing AC Corrosion
11:35 AM	Javad Yousefi & Raj Jeyarajah, Jemena	AC Mitigation on the EGP
11:55 AM	Pep Vakili, Santos	Pipeline Geohazards and Earthquakes
12:15 PM		<b>Lunch</b>
		<b>Session Chair: Michael Gallagher, Jemena</b>
1:15 PM		Session Intro and Sponsor Speech
1:20 PM	Doug Proud, GIRA	GIRA Operational Update
1:40 PM	Travis Bishop, APA	APA's Direct Measurement Program
2:00 PM	Robert Campbell & Paul Lynch, Jemena	Implementation of FUSE System for Encroachment Management
2:20 PM		<b>Afternoon Tea</b>
		<b>Session Chair: David Martin, AGIG</b>
2:50 PM		Session Intro and Sponsor Speech
2:55 PM	Anthony Jones & Matthew Lynch, Viva	Clearing The WAG Pipeline
3:15 PM	Prateek Kateelkar, AGIG	Multinet Urban Pigging Challenges
3:35 PM	John Fang, Channel NZ	Cost Effective Strain Management
4:15 PM		<b>Recap and Close, Ben Savage, First Gas</b>
4:30 PM		<b>Close</b>