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The Victorian Adaptation Forum takes place this week!

The 2014 Victorian Adaptation Forum will take place on Wednesday and Thursday this week, featuring presentations from leading climate scientists, policy makers and adaptation practitioners from both the private and public sectors. See below for information about two of our key speakers and a last opportunity to register for the forum before 5pm today.

Speaker: Olivia Tyler

Group Corporate Responsibility Manager at Treasury Wine Estates, Olivia Tyler, will give a presentation entitled: **A strategic approach to climate change adaptation** at the forum on Thursday morning. She leads the development and execution of the global Corporate Responsibility Strategy for the business and works to position the CR agenda to deliver competitive and commercial advantage, with a strong focus on responsible alcohol consumption, sustainable supply chains, community investment and thought leadership through external stakeholder networks.
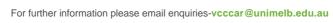
Speaker: Ben Preston

VCCCAR Visiting Fellow Ben Preston (Deputy Director of the Climate Change Science Institute at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, USA) is giving a **Review and reflection on adaptation research in Australia** on Thursday afternoon. Ben will discuss VCCCAR as a model for linking adaptation research to policy and practice and what researchers, policy-makers, and practitioners should learn from the VCCCAR experience regarding how to develop a robust Victorian response to climate change.

Registrations for the Victorian Adaptation Forum close today!

You have until 5pm today to **complete your registration** for the 2014 Victorian Adaptation Forum.

You can **register and pay online** or **download a registration form** from the VCCCAR website and request an invoice from us.

For further information please email enquiries-**vcccar@unimelb.edu.au**

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