



BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA 3-6 SEPTEMBER 2007

3 WEEKS TO INTERNATIONAL WATER FORUM – REGISTER INTEREST

The 10th International Riversymposium & Environmental Flows Conference is three weeks away and global water experts are busy gearing up in anticipation for Australia's largest annual river management forum.

The symposium will take place in Brisbane from Monday 3 to Thursday 6 September 2007 as part of *Riverfestival*. Approximately 850 people including delegates from Australia and around the globe are expected to attend.

Media who wish to attend Riversymposium or pursue interviews with local, national and international speakers should register their interest with Sequel Communications. Shari Armistead +61 7 3251 8134 / 0434 313 066 or Helen Thomas +61 7 3251 8133 / 0438 500 412.

The International Riversymposium, presented this year in partnership with The Nature Conservancy, aims to provide a better understanding of pertinent topics such as environmental flows, climate change and drought. The four-day event will see a group of inspiring keynote speakers from Asia, Australia, Europe, South America and the United States leading discussions on water conservation, river restoration and capacity building. There will also be a series of feature sessions, workshops and plenary presentations.

Three prestigious awards will be announced at the event:

- National Thies Riverprize (Partnership between the International Riverfoundation and *Riverfestival*)
- International Thies Riverprize (Partnership between the International Riverfoundation and *Riverfestival*)
- 2007 Riversymposium Young Water Scientist Award (Partnership with GHD and the Water Forum CRCs)

Please contact Shari Armistead or Helen Thomas at Sequel Communications for more details or visit www.riversymposium.com for more information on keynote speakers, discussion topics and programming schedule.



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