

Shape Your Energy Future

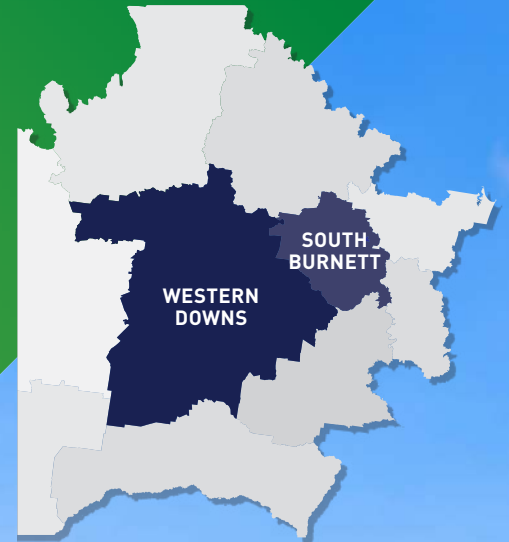


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Queensland is undergoing an energy transformation including across the Western Downs and South Burnett regions.

Collective leadership is vital to leveraging the opportunities, and navigating the challenges of this change. You can play a part and help shape the energy future of your community and region. Join the Shape Your Energy Future leadership development program to better equip yourself to make a difference.

Shape Your Energy Future is a 5-day leadership development program, with applications now open. Funded by Boundless Earth, it will be delivered by experienced facilitators from the renowned Australian Rural Leadership Foundation in partnership with Queensland Conservation Council.



Why you should participate



Expand your networks and meet others who think similarly and differently from you.



Discover opportunities that are here now and how you can leverage these for your community's benefit.



Think from the future. Learn long-range planning skills that will help set the vision for your community.



Lead change by being part of future-shaping conversations and engaging a wider pool of people from your community in those conversations.



Have a say in what matters to your community. Develop or enhance your ability to advocate on ideas of importance.



Develop tangible projects that will help drive positive adoption of renewables in a way that will benefit your region.



"I REALLY HOPE WE CAN APPROACH THIS UPCOMING ENERGY OPPORTUNITY WITH INCLUSIVENESS AND EQUITY, AND THAT WILL LARGELY COME FROM LEADERSHIP FROM WITHIN THE REGIONS."

Ben Lyons

Local and Director of USQ's Rural Economies Centre for Excellence

Is this program right for you?

The program seeks participation of a diverse array of community members.
Are you:

- ➔ A landholder with an interest in renewable energy solutions?
- ➔ A landholder grappling with the complexity of energy transformation and outcomes?
- ➔ Invested or interested in renewables technology?
- ➔ Committed to ensuring agricultural futures are sustainable and diverse?
- ➔ Engaged in economic development or local/regional planning?
- ➔ Passionate about social impacts of energy transformation like renewables on housing, employment, skills development, other?
- ➔ Connected to individuals or groups who may benefit from or contribute to participating in energy transformation?
- ➔ Keen to support positive environmental impacts from renewable energy projects?



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APPLICATIONS CLOSE: 4 December 2023

Program runs: 5–9 February 2024

Public forum and graduation: March 2024

Venue: Bunya Mountains

To find out more about the Shaping Your Energy Future leadership program and to apply, visit rural-leaders.org.au/shape-your-energy-future

