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MinEx CRC 2026 Mid-Year Science Review

WEDNESDAY 10 JUNE 2026:

LOCATION: CHELSEA SOCIAL BAR & RESTAURANT, IBIS PERTH, 334 MURRAY STREET, PERTH

TIME	VENUE
17:30 – 19:30	Welcome Dinner

THURSDAY 11 JUNE 2026

LOCATION: IBIS PERTH, 334 MURRAY STREET, PERTH

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTER
08:30	COFFEE / TEA ON ARRIVAL	
09:00 – 10:40	SESSION 1	Chair: Caroline Tiddy, Chief Scientific Officer, MinEx CRC
09:00	Acknowledgment of Country Welcome and Introduction	Andrew Bailey, Chief Executive Officer, MinEx CRC
09:10	Status of Phase 3 Projects	Caroline Tiddy, Chief Scientific Officer, MinEx CRC
09:20	Education & Training Update Student Presentations	Adrienne Brotodewo, Education & Training Coordinator, Adelaide University
10:20	DISCUSSION	
10:40	MORNING TEA	
11:00 – 12:40	SESSION 2	Chair: Soren Soe, Program 1 Leader, Adelaide University
11:00	Commercialisation Update	Andrew Bailey, Chief Executive Officer, MinEx CRC
11:20	Program 3 / National Drilling Initiative Update	Anthony Budd, Program 3 Leader, Geoscience Australia
12:20	DISCUSSION	
12:40	LUNCH	
13:40 – 15:20	SESSION 3	Chair: Anthony Budd, Program 3 Leader, Geoscience Australia
13:40	Project 6: 3D Modelling	Mark Jessell, Project 6 Leader, University of Western Australia
14:00	Project 5: Seismic in the drilling workflow	Konstantin Tertyshnikov, Project 5 Leader, Curtin University
14:20	Project 4: Petrophysical logging-while-drilling	Brett Harris, Project 4 Leader, Curtin University
14:40	Project 3: Laser-induced Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS)	Jessica Stromberg, Project 3 Leader, CSIRO
15:00	DISCUSSION	
15:20	AFTERNOON TEA	

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15:40 – 16:40	SESSION 4	Chair: Jessica Stromberg, Project 3 Leader, CSIRO
15:40	Project 2: Coiled tubing (CT) drilling for mineral exploration	Soren Soe, Project 2 Leader, Adelaide University
16:00	Project 1: Drilling optimisation and automation	Masood Mostofi, Project 1 Leader, Curtin University
16:20	DISCUSSION	
16:40	Drinks Presentation of postgraduate student submission bonuses & completions	Adrienne Brotodewo, Education & Training Coordinator, Adelaide University
17:10	Close	