



# Invitation

## Securing our water future

5th World Conference of Science Journalists

Lunchtime briefing, Tuesday 17 April

Lumina Room, Grand Hyatt

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**CSIRO, Australia's premier science agency, invites you to a two-course, sit-down lunch hosted as part of the 5th World Conference of Science Journalists.**

Join CSIRO Chief Executive Dr Geoff Garrett and the Director of the Water for a Healthy Country Flagship Dr Tom Hatton for a thought-provoking discussion on water – one of the critical resource challenges facing many countries around the world.

The Water for a Healthy Country Flagship – one of six Flagships established by CSIRO to tackle Australia's major national challenges – brings together some of Australia's leading research institutions, government and non-government organisations and industry groups to achieve a tenfold increase in the social, economic and environmental benefits from water by 2025.

Dr Hatton will discuss how scientists are developing the technologies and information systems needed to dramatically improve Australia's ability to measure, monitor and manage our water resources.

**This lunchtime briefing on Tuesday 17 April is limited to one hundred people. So please register early to secure a place.**

**Date** Tuesday 17 April 2007

**Time** 12.30 pm – 1.30 pm

**Place** Lumina Room,  
Grand Hyatt (conference venue)

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