



SUSTAINABILITY WORKSHOP

TUESDAY, 10 AUGUST 2021

2.00PM – 5.00PM AEST

Time	Agenda	Presenter
2.00 – 2.10	Introduction	Mardi Longbottom
2.10 – 2.50	Sustainability – Global Insights	Mardi Longbottom
2.50 – 3.15	Greater Victoria Sustainability Performance and Targets	Liz Pitcher
3.15 – 3.30	Break	
3.30 – 4.00	Sustainability Certification	Mardi Longbottom
4.00 – 4.20	Sustainability in action Greater Victoria – Case Study	Liz Pitcher
4.20 – 4.40	Sustainability in action Greater Victoria – Case Study	Mardi Longbottom
4.40 – 5.00	Q&A	

Booking is essential

You will be sent a zoom link in a confirmation email after registering

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**Mardi Longbottom - AWRI
Manager - Sustainability and Viticulture**

Mardi began her career in the wine industry in the early 1990s helping to establish her family's vineyards in Padthaway, South Australia. Shortly afterwards she gained her viticultural degree and held technical and vineyard management positions spanning numerous Australian wine regions. Mardi returned to The University of Adelaide in 2002 where she completed a Masters and PhD in Viticulture and was a Lecturer in Viticulture. For the past ten years, Mardi has focussed on research and extension of wine industry sustainability projects including regional climate risk analyses, benchmarking greenhouse gas emissions from vineyards, the management of corporate water assets, and she manages the Australian wine industry's sustainability program, 'Sustainable Winegrowing Australia'. Mardi is a graduate of the SA Governor's Leadership Foundation Program, a former director of Australian Grape and Wine Inc and she is a director of the Australian Society of Viticulture and Oenology.



**Liz Pitcher - AWRI
Sustainability and Viticulture Specialist**

Liz has qualifications in both Agricultural Science and Applied Science (Viticulture) and twenty years of wine industry experience. Her work experience includes various roles within small, medium and corporate wine industry businesses, incorporating grape growing, wine making and research. Liz worked for seven years across SA's Limestone Coast, Langhorne Creek, McLaren Vale and Adelaide Hills regions as a Grower Liaison Officer for TWE and, most recently, she worked as Technical and Organic Manager at Chalk Hill Viticulture in McLaren Vale. In that role Liz gained extensive experience implementing sustainability and organic certification systems including managing Sustainable Winegrowing Australia on behalf of 17 vineyards, five of which she also successfully led through the certification process. Liz has served as a director of NASAA Organic for the past two years giving her valuable strategic insight into organic certification systems.