

Scott Ferraro, Head of Implementation – ClimateWorks Australia

ClimateWorks Australia is an independent, non-profit, multi-award winning organisation founded by The Myer Foundation and Monash University (under the auspices of the Monash Sustainability Institute). ClimateWorks is focused on translating research into action and committed to catalysing substantial reductions in greenhouse gas emissions in Australia. Professor John Thwaites is currently Chairman of the ClimateWorks Board. Scott leads the Implementation Team, which works to help governments and businesses across Australia transition towards a low carbon economy.

In his role at ClimateWorks, Scott works with a range of stakeholders across the government, industry, academic and NGO sectors to help identify ways to drive the uptake of low emission technologies, with a focus on the energy and transport sectors. In this role he facilitates development of strategies, working collaborative across all stakeholder groups. Scott also leads ClimateWorks development of regional low carbon growth plans, such as the one developed for Geelong.

Prior to his role at ClimateWorks, Scott was the inaugural Executive Officer of one of Victoria's Greenhouse Alliances, working across 6 regional local governments to facilitate coordinated action on climate change across the Gippsland region. During this time Scott worked collaboratively across State and local governments, business and community groups, and gained a strong understanding of the interaction between them. He is currently a Board member of this organisation, the Gippsland Climate Change Network.

Scott holds a Bachelor of Environmental Engineering from Deakin University and a Masters in Corporate Environmental and Sustainability Management from Monash.