

The Commercial Model for Restoration - Is this the Future ?

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This presentation will provide a summary of the operational restoration models that exist within Australia and the perceived strengths and weaknesses of each.

The presenters first hand lengthy experience as an environmental volunteer and subsequent founder of a substantial commercial restoration enterprise, allows him to weigh up the competing and complimentary issues with a reasonable claim to credibility.

The presentation will raise important issues relative to the source of funds for restoration works, responsibilities for restoration, restoration risk management and how resources are best allocated, competitive neutrality and where the commercial restoration model sits currently and in the future.

The intention is to encourage a debate on the question, " Does restoration need to become a mainstream activity, just like any other industry. "