

## The Ag Institute & University of Sydney Networking Event



### Ag Institute of Australia

*Australian agriculture is thriving because it is underpinned by good science and professional services. The Ag Institute provides leadership by building and supporting the capability of agriculture professionals.*

#### **GUEST SPEAKER: Ric Otton from MET Systems Pty Ltd**

*"The Interaction between AG and the digital world"*

Ric's work is driven by the need to do more with less. Our rapidly ageing population needs to be supported by a more slowly growing younger workforce. We need to feed more people with less farm labour, less water, less fertiliser and less energy. Climate change has caused environmental stresses that make crop yields less certain and devastate communities.

Over the last decade Dosec has been involved in the development of a broad range of environmental instrumentation and wireless telemetry products. The drive behind most of this work has been the desire to make complex research tasks easier, more detailed and precise, involving less skilled man power while achieving much more with less time.

Ric's presentation will outline some of the innovative environmental products developed by Dosec as well as some important and interesting applications for them. Ric will also discuss solutions that are greatly improving the outcomes from remote research.

#### **NETWORKING OPPORTUNITY**

Representatives will be present on the night from at least the recruitment firm Ag Appointments, Cotton Australia, Horticulture Innovation Australia (previously HAL), Sydney University, private consultancies in soils, irrigation and export, and the agricultural chemical industry.

**Venue:** The Royal Hotel, 370 Abercrombie St, Darlington NSW

**When:** 8<sup>th</sup> October 2015

**Time:** 5.00 –7 pm

**Cost:** Free

**Please RSVP by 5<sup>th</sup> October 2015 at**

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**Everyone is Welcome**

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