



UWA Centre for Environmental Economics & Policy (CEEP)

Co-Directors: Professor David Pannell & Dr Abbie Rogers

Addressing complex, multi-faceted environmental problems through quality multidisciplinary research, engagement and training.

RESEARCH

We integrate information from physical sciences, biology, and social sciences within an economic framework.

ENGAGEMENT

We engage with government, industry and NGOs on environmental, social and economic policy issues to address knowledge gaps and build capacity.

TRAINING

We supervise postgraduate research students on topics related to environmental economics, and run hands-on training for stakeholders using our decision support tools.

Located in UWA's School of Agriculture & Environment, our research centre undertakes socio-economic research and policy analysis in the following areas of application:



- [Water](#)
- [Land & Natural Hazards](#)
- [Marine & Coastal](#)
- [Biodiversity & Conservation](#)
- [Climate Change](#)

UWA is placed 85th in the Academic Ranking of World Universities. In both Agricultural Sciences and Environmental & Engineering Sciences, we are ranked number 1 in Australia, and 16th and 21st in global rankings, respectively. [ARWU, 2021].

MISSION

1. Undertake innovative research that will contribute to scientific knowledge in environmental economics in Australia and internationally;
2. Improve the management of our environment through research that informs public policy, bringing economic, environmental, social and cultural benefits for all;
3. Assist public and private investors in achieving the most highly-valued environmental outcomes through better targeted funding, employing appropriate policy mechanisms, and operating in a cost-effective way;
4. Provide solutions and build capacity through research services, training, advice and practical tools.



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OUR PEOPLE

Our centre consists of highly qualified academic staff, research fellows, adjuncts, postgraduate research students and an extensive network of collaborating experts from leading national and international universities, including Oxford University. We have positive working relationships with researchers in many institutes including UWA Oceans Institute, UWA Institute of Agriculture, WA Marine Science Institution, and WA Biodiversity Science Institute.

Established in 2008, our internationally recognised experts have more than 20 years' experience working on nationally funded research programs and industry projects, and providing consulting services to industry and government.

RESEARCH SKILLS AND SERVICES

- Interdisciplinary research
- Bio-economic modelling of environmental issues
- Economic evaluation, investment choice and prioritisation frameworks
- Design and evaluation of environmental policies
- Valuation of non-market benefits, and conducting benefit transfer
- Informing adoption of environmental practices
- Environmental decision support tools
- Business case development/Benefit Cost Analysis
- Questionnaire/survey design and analysis
- Focus group facilitation & semi-structured interview techniques
- Multi-stakeholder project management
- Tailored training packages, including workshops and knowledge-sharing activities

CONTACT US

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Tools: [INFFEWS](#), [INFFER](#), [EAST](#), [ADOPT](#) (see [Impact Story](#))

In a comparative analysis of similar themed research centres in Australia, CEEP was identified as the longest standing research centre and the only centre to publish with industry collaborators. Our Director, Prof Pannell, had the highest H-Index and number of citations than any other Director.

"CEEP is a very practical based centre; you respond to stakeholder needs and tackle issues by suggesting how they can be addressed". [CRCWSC, 2019]



RESEARCH PARTNERSHIPS

- Australian Research Council
- Cooperative Research Centres
- National Environmental Science Program
- Australian Centre for International Agriculture Research

GOVERNMENT & INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS

- Grains Research and Development Corporation
- Fisheries Research & Development Corporation
- Australian Department of Agriculture, Water & the Environment
- WA Government Departments (DWER, DBCA, DPLH, DPIRD, DFES, & DOT)
- NSW & VIC Government Departments
- CSIRO
- Minderoo Foundation