

South East Queensland's Transport System in the Peak Oil and Climate Change Era

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Thanks to brisvegas for letting us know that Engineers Australia are hosting an event in Brisbane on 19 May:

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http://qld.engineersaustralia.org.au/jetspeed/static/events/10960/200905...

The keynote speaker is Peter Newman and the venue has been organised specifically to maximise public attendance.

Here are some of the other topics and speakers:

* Professor Peter Newman, Professor of Sustainability, Curtin University. Member of the Infrastructure Australia Advisory Council. Co-author of Resilient Cities: Responding to Peak Oil and Climate Change. Watch Professor Newman discussing peak oil here. A recent speech can be downloaded here.

* Stuart McCarthy, ASPO-Australia. Watch Stuart speaking about the implications of peak oil for South East Queensland transport and infrastructure here.

* Tristan Peach, Community Action for Sustainable Transport. Watch Tristan speaking about an alternative transport plan for Brisbane here.

* Senior officials from Queensland Transport, Brisbane City Council and Queensland Rail.

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