

Dear all

MODSIM2023 update

- The deadline for submission of full papers is this coming **Monday 20 March**. From Tuesday onward you will only have the option to submit an extended abstract instead. The deadline for these is **5 May**.
Read our [instructions for authors](#) and see the extensive list of [Streams and sessions](#) available for you to submit your work to.
- Our first [plenary speaker](#) has been confirmed – **Associate Professor Sondoss Elsayah** from the University of New South Wales, Canberra, will give a presentation on *The critical systems thinking capability gap: Reflections for future research and education?*
- A new **workshop** has been announced, the *Savanna SuperSite and Waterfall Tour, Litchfield National Park* – This field trip will give modellers an opportunity to visit the Terrestrial Ecosystem Research Network (TERN) Savanna SuperSite at Litchfield National Park where fluxes of carbon, surface energy balance and water use is collected for calibration/validation of satellite imagery products and modelling. Places are limited.
[Find out more about this field trip and other workshops](#) to be held on Friday 14 July.
- The [Early Bird registration](#) price is available until **31 March**
- Do you need transport to get around in Darwin during the week of MODSIM2023? If you plan to hire a car, we recommend getting in early, we have put together some information about [transport options](#) on the website.

MSSANZ update

- Nominations for the MSSANZ Biennial Medal and Early Career Research Excellence awards are open until **Friday 24 March**. See the [guidelines and full nomination procedures](#) and nominate using the online forms at <https://mssanz.org.au/forms/biennial-medals/> and <https://mssanz.org.au/forms/ecre-awards/>

Job opportunities

- A PostDoc position in Ecohydrology has just been opened at the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering (National University of Singapore). The position is in the project *On the origin of droughts in Mainland Southeast Asia—implications for water and energy security*, funded by Singapore's Ministry of Education. [Find out more here](#)

If you would like something included in this digest, please email it to office@mssanz.org.au

Kind regards, Karen