

SEAN ROONEY
Australian Sustainable Cities Awards
Judge

Championing sustainability in our cities



As if this man wasn't busy enough, he is also flying the flag for Keep Australia Beautiful's Sustainable Cities Awards as our esteemed National Sustainable Cities Judge.

Introducing Sean Rooney - a thought and practice leader working at the forefront of the cross-sector partnering and sustainability agendas in Australia.

Currently the Sustainability Program Manager at leading international engineering, sciences and project management firm, Sinclair Knight Merz, Sean is also an Adjunct Associate Professor at Griffith Business School (QLD), focusing on sustainability and organisational strategy. Sean's previous roles include Founder and Director of CSIRO's Sustainable Communities Initiative and a faculty member of Cambridge University's World Bank Sustainable Development Leadership Program.

Sean is an active participant in several influential bodies supporting debate and action regarding sustainability issues in Australia, regularly contributes articles to national publications and is frequently invited to speak at both domestic and international conferences.

In recognition of his expertise and impact in sustainability thought and practice leadership, Sean was awarded a 2007 CSIRO Achievement Award and was a recipient in 2006 of a Future Summit Leadership Award for leadership in the sustainable development domain in Australia.

What a champion!!

"I'm proud to be working towards a sustainable future for Australia and enjoy assisting and contributing to new ideas and developments that help our nation take a leading role in this area. I am inspired by the communities and individuals that demonstrate innovation and commitment through their participation in the Keep Australia Beautiful Sustainable Cities Awards."