

Time	Title	Presenter	Description
9:00 - 9:10am	Welcome	John Arnerich, Locus	Welcome + Agenda
9.10 – 9.40am	Keynote:	Bryan Stronach, NZ Cricket	How data drives high-performance decisions in cricket, from selection to match strategy, and its growing role in player performance
9.40 – 10.30am	What's new in FME 2025, Roadmap, AR Demo	Gavin Jeter, Chris Morris, Locus	Explore the latest features of the FME 2025 platform release
10.30 – 10.50am	Break		
10.50 – 11.10am	Orion's Journey with FME	Jackson Babe, Orion	Discover how Orion is using FME to enhance spatial workflows and drive smarter network decisions
11.10 – 12pm	FME in the Field: Supporting Forest Fire Prevention and much more	John Cannon, OneFortyOne Plantations (AUS)	How FME powers a range of spatial solutions, including an upgraded lightning strike mapping process that strengthens forest fire prevention efforts
12 – 12.20pm	Locus Update	John Arnerich, Chris Morris, Locus	Team changes and new service offerings; Dashboard, Healthcheck & Training
12.20 – 1pm	Lunch		
1 – 1.20pm	Seattle Scoop: Insights from the Peak of Data & AI	Chris Morris, Gavin Jeter, Locus	Highlights from the recent Safe Software conference in Seattle and the global FME community
1.20 – 1.50pm	Modern Data Pipelines at NIWA	Jochen Schmidt, NIWA	NIWA manages extensive data from sky to sea floor and uses FME to optimize data pipelines as part of a broader transformation
1.50 – 2.20pm	Automated Testing of FME	Chris Tredinnick, Abley	Custom Transformer testing, integration/validation tests and End-to-end testing of complex workflows
2.20 – 2.40pm	TREC's experience integrating design and construction software with GIS	John Carter, Tonkin+Taylor	How the TREC GIS team used FME to integrate Autodesk and LINZ data into ArcGIS Portal, enabling 3D visualisation and supporting geotechnical design
2.40 – 3pm		Break	
3 – 3.30pm	The A-Team: Adventures with Excel, Explosions, Collateral and Dynamic Attributes	Jason Ridley, TREC	Channel your inner <i>A-Team</i> and learn how the mighty AttributeExploder and its crew of transformers join forces to conquer Excel challenges, manage dynamic attributes, and keep things running smoothly
3.30 – 3.45pm	FME Form Tips and Tricks: Hidden Gems for Everyday Use	Todd Davis, Abley	Practical, lesser-known FME Form tips for users of all levels!
3.45 – 4pm	That Sinking Feeling	Chris Morris, Locus	Aye Aye API
4pm	Closing remarks	John Arnerich, Locus	Join us for drinks and nibbles