



ISFNF 2026

International Symposium on
Fish Nutrition and Feeding

18-21 May 2026, Darwin Convention Centre,
Larrakia Country, NT Australia

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*Feeding Innovation
Through Partnership*

Welcome from our Chairperson

CSIRO, Australia's national science agency, in partnership with the Darwin Convention Centre and NT Business Events, is proud to invite you to the 22nd International Symposium on Fish Nutrition and Feeding (ISFNF 2026). This biennial event will take place from 18 to 21 May 2026 in Darwin, a city set amongst the spectacular and unique natural landscapes of Kakadu, Litchfield, and Nitmiluk National Parks.



In just over a decade since ISFNF 2014 in Cairns, Australia's aquaculture production has doubled in value to AUD 2.2 billion. While Australia remains a relatively small producer globally, its aquaculture industry is highly diverse, spanning high-value species across the country – from temperate southern waters (salmonids, tuna, oysters, abalone) to the tropical north (tiger prawns, barramundi), with a growing interest in emerging candidates such as kingfish, grouper, Murray cod, freshwater perch species, mud crabs, sea cucumbers and tropical rock oysters.

Aquaculture remains one of the fastest-growing food production sectors globally, bringing with it both significant challenges and exciting opportunities. To continue delivering meaningful innovation, aquaculture nutrition research must address the complex dietary needs of a diverse range of species, often raised in increasingly variable and suboptimal environments. Central to this is the development of sustainable aquafeeds and improved access to essential nutrients from circular and alternative ingredient sources.

Advancing nutrition science not only supports sector growth, but also plays a vital role in improving animal welfare, enhancing the quality of aquatic food products, and securing the long-term sustainability of aquaculture.

We invite you to submit high-quality contributions aligned with the Symposium's core themes, and to help drive progress in fish and shellfish nutrition science through research, knowledge sharing and global collaboration. ISFNF 2026 delegates will have the opportunity to engage with peers from around the world in a vibrant week of presentations, discussions, and organised visits to local research facilities and iconic Northern Territory attractions.

On behalf of the ISFNF 2026 Scientific Committee, we look forward to welcoming you to Darwin – Australia's Top End and a gateway to Southeast Asia.

Dr Cedric Simon
Chair, ISFNF 2026 Local Scientific Committee



Why it is important to sponsor ISFNF 2026

The Local Organising Committee extends a warm invitation to all interested companies and research organisations to demonstrate their support by participating in ISFNF.

The ISFNF is a single-track conference and strives to provide all participants with quality themed sessions. Sponsors and exhibitors are invited to participate in supporting this endeavour.

1. Global Visibility and Brand Exposure

- Reach a targeted international audience of academics, researchers, industry professionals, and policy-makers in the field of aquaculture nutrition.
- Showcase your brand through conference materials, digital platforms, signage, and speaking opportunities.
- Position your organisation as a leader in innovation and global collaboration.

2. Thought Leadership and Credibility

- Demonstrate commitment to scientific excellence through rigorous peer-reviewed research and clear communication
- Associate your brand with a prestigious, globally recognised event backed by leading institutions and government agencies.
- Engage with key stakeholders and experts driving advancements in aquaculture nutrition

3. Business Development and Networking

- Access high-level decision-makers from academia, government, and industry.
- Build strategic partnerships and explore new markets or areas of collaboration.
- Host private meetings, exhibit products, or offer short presentations to a highly engaged audience.

4. Support for Innovation and Capacity Building

- Align your company with efforts to develop and empower students and early-career researchers
- Advance the capabilities and equip global professionals with the tools and partnerships needed to innovate

5. Exclusive Sponsorship Benefits

- Tiered packages offer tailored benefits such as plenary slots, exhibition space, and custom branding options.
- Enhanced online presence through the official ISFNF 2026 website and program app.

6. Long-Term Impact and Legacy

- Create a lasting legacy by advancing scientific progress and international collaboration.
- Reinforce your organisation's role in shaping the future of aquaculture nutrition.



Sponsorship at a glance

	Premier Sponsor	Gold Sponsor	Silver Sponsor	Session Sponsor	Gala Dinner Sponsor	Welcome Function Sponsor	Bronze Sponsor	Coffee Cart Sponsor	Lanyard Sponsor
Investment (AUD+GST)	\$30,000	\$20,000	\$15,000	\$5,000	\$7,000	\$4,000	\$3,500	\$7,000	\$4,000
Availability	1	2	3	10	1	1	not limited	1	1
Push notifications on App	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Delegate tickets	6	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	1
Delegate tickets (up to 4) – tours not included	50% discount	50% discount	50% discount	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Presentation opportunity	5min at Conference welcome	3min start of the day	3min start of the day	3 mins at one session	2 mins at Gala dinner	2 mins at Welcome event	✗	✗	✗
Banner display on main stage	✓	✓	✗	✗	at Gala dinner	at Welcome event	✗	✗	✗
Announcement at the keynote session	✓	✓	✓	✗	at Gala dinner	at Welcome event	✗	✗	✗
Acknowledged at Conference	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Branding at one of the morning or afternoon teas	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Branding at one of the lunch times	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Branding at poster sessions	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Venue branding	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Branding on virtual abstract book	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo on promotional materials	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Branding on coffee cart	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗
Branding on charging station	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Advertisement in abstract book	✓ full page	✓ half page	✓ 1/4 page	logo	logo	logo	logo	logo	logo
Booth (\$3500)	✓ premium location	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Logo and profile on Conference Website	300 words	200 words	150 words	logo and link	logo and link	logo and link	logo and link	logo and link	logo and link
Banner on Conference Delegate App	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗

Exhibition booth

\$3,500 + GST

The exhibition opportunities have been designed to provide the best promotional potential to participating companies. These opportunities are extremely limited, so get in quick to secure your exclusive place. Morning teas, lunches and afternoon teas will all be held in the exhibition space for the duration of the Forum, allowing ample networking opportunities between exhibitors and delegates. Exhibitor information will be forwarded to confirmed exhibitors closer to the Forum dates.

In addition to exhibition space, each exhibitor package includes 1 delegate pass which entitles you to: Conference & exhibition entry; morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea in the exhibition space each day; and Welcome Reception access.

Including

- 3 x 3 x 2.4h Galaxy Booth
- LED Spotlight
- Fully Digital Fascia
- Amp Power Outlet
- 4way Power Board
- Octanorm Counter with Front Digital Print
- 2 x Bora Stool White



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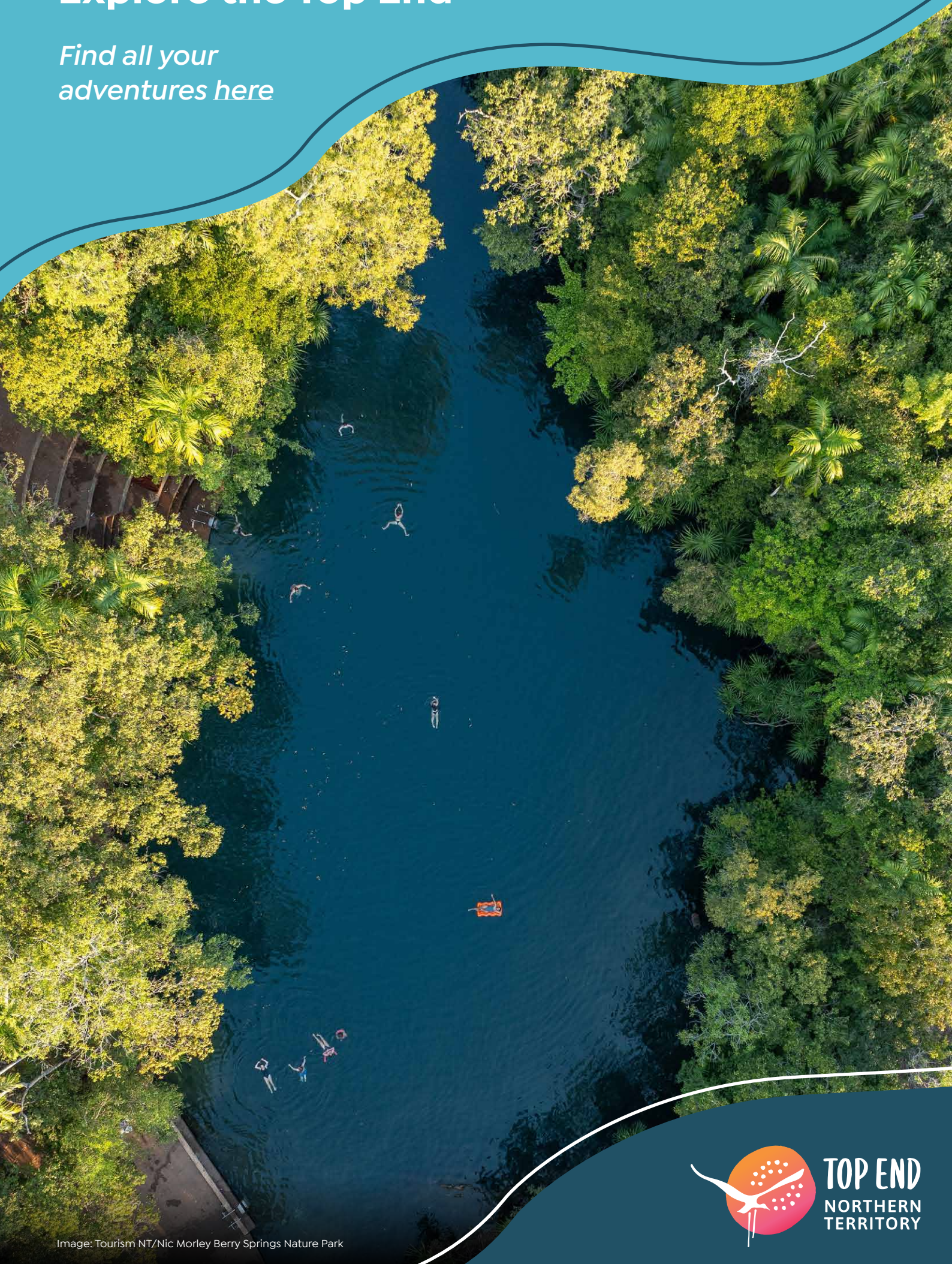


Image: Tourism NT/Nic Morley Berry Springs Nature Park



Terms & Conditions

1. Where appropriate, Goods & Services Tax (GST) is applicable to all goods and services offered by the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers and all prices in this document are inclusive of the GST. The Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers reserve the right to vary the quoted prices in accordance with any movements in the legislated rate of the GST.
2. A letter of confirmation will be provided to confirm the booking along with a tax invoice payable within 30 days of receipt. Sponsorship is only confirmed once payment has been received.
3. All monies are payable in Australian dollars.
4. All monies due and payable must be received by the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers 60 days prior to the Event. No organisation will be listed as a sponsor in any official Event material until the online booking form has been completed and payment has been received by the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers.
5. If any payment is not received by the Sponsorship and Exhibition Managers by the applicable due date, then the provision of agreed entitlements for the sponsorship will immediately be withdrawn or suspended at the sole discretion of the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers.
6. CANCELLATION POLICY:
Postponement
 - a. In the event of postponement by the Host Organisation, the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers or the venue, all Sponsorship & Exhibition bookings will be carried over to the revised Event dates.Cancellation by Organisers
 - b. In the event of cancellation by the Host Organisation, Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers or the venue, all Sponsorship & Exhibition payments will be fully refunded subject to deduction of any credit card or bank fees that the Host or Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers may incur.COVID-19 implications
 - c. Should a Sponsor's attendance to the Event be impacted by any restrictions enforced by COVID-19 government regulations, the Organising Committee will discuss the available options on a case by case basis and come to a mutual agreement with the Sponsor.Cancellation by Sponsor:
 - d. In the event of cancellation by the Sponsor (other than as a consequence of any restrictions enforced by COVID-19 government regulations), the following cancellation policy will apply:
 - i. More than 91 days prior to the Event: 50% of the total payment due will be applicable.
 - ii. Between 90 and 61 days prior to the Event: 75% of the total payment due will be applicable.
 - iii. From 60 days prior to the Event: 100% of the total payment due will be applicable.Should a cancellation be made prior to payment, the appropriate cancellation fee will be applicable, and the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers will issue an invoice which will be due and payable within seven (7) days.
No sponsor shall assign, sublet or apportion the whole or any part of their sponsorship package except upon prior written consent of the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers.
7. Sponsorship entitlements including organisation logo on the Event website and other marketing material will be delivered only after receipt of full payment.
8. Where sponsorship involves specified support of Event Speakers:
 - Nomination of speakers will be subject to written approval by the speaker and the Program Committee. Furthermore, at the sole discretion of the Program Committee, sponsored speakers may be asked to speak at additional keynote and/or concurrent sessions.
 - The speaker's contract will specify that speakers must present leading edge, non-commercial papers with no obvious product endorsement and specify that speakers must act ethically, not commenting on other speakers, their presentations or sponsors' products.
- Following approval from the Program Committee, sponsors will be expected to negotiate directly with their nominated speaker and cover all costs relating to the speaker's attendance at the Event.
- Sponsors may have the sponsored speaker present at breakfasts, optional workshops and/or commercial sessions within the Event but at no other public, external or by invitation appearances pre or post the Event for a period of 30 days.
- After the sponsor has agreed with the speaker to commit to the program and associated costs have been negotiated, the Event Managers will then conduct the speaker liaison in relation to obtaining abstracts, papers, copyright waiver, speaker audio visual requirements and any other appropriate arrangements.
9. The Delegate List may be used by the sponsor (if entitled to do so under their sponsorship entitlements) for the purpose of contacting Event delegates only. The list must not be used by the sponsor for any purpose related to future events and shall not be transferred in whole or in part to any third party. The Delegate List may be used for up to a twelve-month period from the start date of the Event. The inclusion of email addresses in the Delegate List is at the discretion of the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers. The Delegate list will exclude those persons who have withheld consent for use of their information in accordance with Privacy Acts.
10. Sponsors (and their employees, contractors or other representatives) will exercise due care in and around the Event venue and in all matters related to sponsorship of the Event so that no harm is caused.
11. As a sponsor, you agree that no promise, warranty or representation has been made to you by the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers regarding any benefit expected or other expectation you may have regarding entry in this Agreement and that you alone bear full responsibility for the sponsorship package chosen by or allocated to you.
12. The Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers will have no liability to sponsors of any kind if anything not of their doing occurs that a sponsor may consider causes loss or damage of any kind. In the event of cancellation or interruption of the Event, the Sponsorship & Exhibition Managers will have no liability to sponsors other than any refund to which they may be entitled in accordance with these Terms & Conditions or from the Event venue.
13. Force Majeure Event
The Organiser will not be liable (except as required by law) for any loss, damage, injury, costs, or expenses in relation to:
 - a. Events which are beyond the control of the Organiser including but not limited to acts of God, pandemic, epidemic or other widespread illness, blackouts, fire, explosion, flood, earthquakes, war, national emergency, military unrest, acts of terrorism, protests, riot, civil commotion, industrial action, lockouts, strikes or other labour disputes.
 - b. Acts or omissions of an independent contractor or other party outside of the Organiser's control who supplies products or services in connection with the Event.
 - c. Unknown or unforeseen defects in any venue, vehicle, device, or material used in connection with the Event.
14. Indemnity – In the event of industrial disruption or other unforeseen circumstances, the Host, Organising Committee, and the Organiser accept no responsibility for loss of monies incurred by delay or cancellation.
15. Privacy – The Organiser operates a strict privacy policy and is committed to protecting the privacy of its delegates and sponsors. During the registration process, the Organiser will gather and record personal information necessary for your sponsorship. All personal information is gathered, stored, and disseminated in accordance with the National Privacy Principles (NPPs) as set out in the *Privacy Act 1988* (as amended).
16. We reserve the right at all times to change, amend, add, or remove any of the above terms without prior notice. If one or more of the conditions outlined in these Sponsor Terms & Conditions should be or become invalid, the remaining conditions will continue to be valid and apply.

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