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Second open ebm-papst GreenDay took place in February 2016

GreenDay provides platform for sharing knowledge on sustainable HVAC

The second open ebm-papst A&NZ GreenDay has recently taken place at Box Hill Institute's Integrated Technology Hub in Melbourne.

Specialist speakers from industry and government shared the latest news on energy efficiency for HVAC and refrigeration systems, upcoming changes in legislation and energy reduction solutions. The morning was split into sessions on legislation and policy as well as hands-on business cases to explore the challenges and strategies employed when completing energy saving projects.

Among others, presentations were held by Evalin Ling, Sustainability Leader at AG Coombs, on what sustainability means in the HVAC industry. Dave Redden, Principal at Refrigeration Innovations, shared success stories on supermarket refrigeration upgrades and Sumit Oberoi, Executive Director at AMCA, formally introduced the Climate Control Centre of Excellence. Thomas Heine, ebm-Papst A&NZ Market Manager, shared updates on the VEET scheme, while Scott Bokscay, CEO at Sustainable Melbourne Fund, gave an overview of the 1200 Buildings Project.

2016 marks the fifth year of the worldwide ebm-papst GreenDay, and the second instalment of an event that is open to HVAC&R industry professionals in Australia. The audience consisted of consultants, contractors, small business owners, HVAC professionals and TAFE teachers and students.

The next GreenDay is scheduled to take place in Sydney in August. Please contact Caroline Bommès if you are interested in speaking.

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Figure 2: GreenDay audience

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Figure 1: Refrigeration Innovations director Dave Redden presenting case studies on recent supermarket upgrades



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Venue: Integrated Technology Hub at Box Hill Institute

The ultra-modern \$41M Integrated Technology Hub (ITH) at Box Hill Institute provides collaborative and innovative learning spaces for the air conditioning, refrigeration, mechanical, plumbing and electrical technologies industries.

It provides world-class facilities in a highly environmentally friendly building designed to achieve a 5 star green star accreditation.

Designed in collaboration with the AMCA, the ITH is home to the Refrigeration and Climate Control Centre of Excellence (RCCC) in partnership with the Air-Conditioning and Mechanical Contractors Association (AMCA) and the RCCC, it provides the main training facilities for the air-conditioning and allied industries.

GreenDay

The GreenDay is an international campaign of all global ebm-papst subsidiaries. Around 11,000 employees do their part for a greener future and demonstrate their everyday contributions to the environment. It was started in 2012 because environmental awareness in everyday life is just as important to ebm-papst as the energy efficiency of their products, processes and production.

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