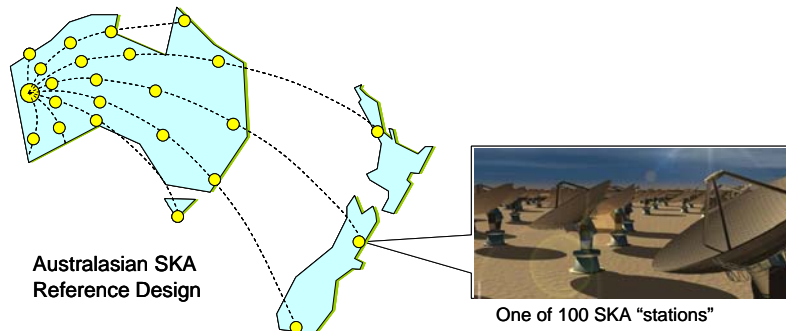




Square Kilometre Array (SKA) Industry Roadshow

The SKA presents a unique opportunity for New Zealand to play a role in one of the 21st century's greatest scientific projects - to build the world's largest radio telescope

AUT's Centre for Radiophysics and Space Research (CRSR) and the NZ SKA Committee will be running a series of free presentations in July in Christchurch, Wellington and Auckland to enable industries to register their capabilities and support for the Square Kilometre Array (SKA) Project. Building the SKA in New Zealand will require collaboration between industries involved in the engineering, communications, ICT and R&D areas. There are tangible benefits for business and for the economy.



There are now only two players left in the €1 billion hosting bid – Australasia and South Africa – so it is even more important for New Zealand to get behind the Australasian effort and for locally based industries to build their awareness and support. For additional information visit: www.skanz.org

Benefits to Your Organisation:

- An opportunity to promote your company's capabilities in the inaugural New Zealand SKA Capability Document
- Engagement with national and international stakeholders in next generation space technologies

Presenters:

- o **Brett Biddington** (CISCO, Space Initiatives Manager, ASIAPAC and Chair of Australia Telescope Steering Committee): *"Industry Support for the Australasian SKA and Pathfinder"*
- o **Phil Crosby** (ATNF Business Strategist, CSIRO): *"Radio astronomy and industry - linkages and benefits"*
- o **Dr Carole Jackson** (ATNF Strategic Project Development, CSIRO): *"SKA Pathfinders - technology challenges, drivers and reality"*
- o **Prof Sergei Gulyaev** (Director, CRSR and New Zealand SKA Project Leader): *"SKA: New Zealand Perspectives"*

Roadshow Dates:

CHRISTCHURCH

Wednesday 11 July 2.00 – 4.30 pm
Canterbury Development Corporation, 193 Cashel Street, Christchurch City

WELLINGTON

Thursday 12 July 1.30 – 4.00 pm
Telecom Network Integration Lab, Ground Floor, 45-55 Tory Street

AUCKLAND

Friday 13 July 9.30 – 12.00 pm
AUT Technology Park, James Fletcher House, Level 4
581-585 Great South Road, Penrose

To register your attendance at a Roadshow please contact Patricia Sallis, CRSR Administrator:
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