Welcome to our first edition of SMART Infrastructure Update. As well as hearing from Vice-Chancellor Professor Gerard Sutton AO and Chairman of our Advisory Council Hon Nick Greiner AC, you will meet our new academic and management appointees and their aspirations for better infrastructure outcomes as a result of SMART’s research and focus.

Director and Chief Executive Officer Garry Bowditch is interviewed about the urgency to think differently about infrastructure, and we also preview some of SMART’s adventurous new projects and key worldwide partnerships.

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STOP THE BITS AND PIECES APPROACH SAYS SMART BOSS
In recent video and print interviews Garry Bowditch says SMART wants to shift the focus of government and industry from individual projects to the system.

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NICK GREINER HEADS UP ADVISORY COUNCIL
In a video interview Nick Greiner AC discusses how the new facility and its highly experienced team can help overcome Australia’s inadequate infrastructure.

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SMART LAUNCHES NEW WEBSITE
The SMART Infrastructure Facility has redesigned its website with updated content, new visuals, video interviews with infrastructure leaders and a daily newsfeed with infrastructure news from around the world.

Visit the site.

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS ENRICH THE SMART EXPERIENCE
The SMART Infrastructure Facility is already connecting with the wider worlds of infrastructure research and simulation methodology.

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VICE-CHANCELLOR OUTLINES THE VISION
Professor Gerard Sutton AO says creativity and commercial capability is the right combination.

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WELCOME TO NEW SMART TEAM MEMBERS
Practitioners, professionals and top academics from far and near are on their way to UOW for the infrastructure challenges ahead.

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SIMULATION IS THE NERVE CENTRE OF NEW INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITY

SMART’s multi-tentacled simulation centre will model and visualise the most complex of infrastructure projects. To read more click here.

HENRY ERGAS AND COLLEAGUES TO EXPLORE THE CHALLENGES OF ECONOMIC, REGULATORY AND PUBLIC POLICY

The highly regarded economist and opinion leader Professor Henry Ergas joins the SMART leadership group.

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ADVICE FROM AUSTRALIA’S INFRASTRUCTURE INFLUENCERS

Some key SMART Advisory Council members deliver a message before the facility opens.

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RAIL ROUNDTABLE SETS FUTURE RESEARCH DIRECTIONS

A SMART rail research roundtable meeting in November says rail needs to be better integrated with other transport modes and have a much stronger customer focus.

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