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“The CarbonNet Project: A solution for carbon removal”



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Jane has worked in the public sector for the last 13 years in senior Executive roles. Prior to her current role as Project Director, CarbonNet she was the A/Head Resources for the Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action. As Project Director for the CarbonNet Project, Jane is responsible for overseeing all elements of the project to achieve FID in 2024. This includes overseeing the Engineering, Commercial, Environmental, Permitting, Engagement and Communications and Project Services streams.

Jane has worked in private and public sector roles for the last 30 + years across a broad range of areas including: executive public sector administration, industrial chemistry, research & development, regional economic development and land use planning and town centre redevelopment. Jane spent seven years working for the Japanese Consortium - Brown Coal Liquefaction Victoria, based at their Morwell Pilot Plant in various roles including Chief Chemist.

As an industrial chemist with a Master's Degree in Chemistry, Jane is able to converse across a wide range of technical, social and planning matters and has extensive experience in design and delivery of stakeholder and community engagement strategies relating to resource development. Jane was awarded the 2019 Most Exceptional Women in Resources award, is a fellow of the Australian Institute of Energy and a graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.