

## Media Release

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## SMSF2017 Summit & Investment Expo

Pre-registration and ticket sales now open

Spring Financial Group in association with Switzer Asset Management today officially launched SMSF2017 Summit & Investment Expo to be held at the International Convention Centre, Darling Harbour, Sydney on Friday 16 and Saturday 17 June 2017. Pre-registration for complimentary Investment Expo entry and ticket sales for Keynote Summit Sessions are now open at the event website at smsf2017.com.

Event manager, Samantha Clark, said, "SMSF2017 is the first major event to be held specifically designed for Australia's one million plus SMSF members and the tens of thousands considering one. It is a must-attend event for all self-directed investors and industry professionals."

"In addition to helping industry professionals and investors make sense of significant changes to super there will be a range of advice, technology and investment innovations on display including local and global equities, property, bonds, micro and peer-to-peer lending, first mortgage securities, LICs, ETFs and more", said Ms Clark.

SMSF2017 host Ben Fordham (2GB and Channel 9) will introduce leading superannuation and investment experts, and join Marty Switzer and Paul Rickard (Switzer TV and Mad About Money) as they moderate panel discussions and exclusive audience Q&A sessions.

"SMSF2017 presents a unique opportunity for industry professionals and investors to get up-close-and-personal with Australia's leading economists, technologists and investment managers and advisers on the expo floor as well as in small group educational sessions and at a range of summit keynote presentations where our keynote speakers will share their insights across the two-days".

SMSF2017 Summit & Investment Expo keynote speakers include:

- Dr Shane Oliver, chief economist, AMP Capital
- 0 Chris Joye, AFR columnist, CIO Smarter Money
- 0 Mr Phil Kewin, CEO, AFA
- Charlie Aitken, Managing Director, AIM
- Karl Siegling, Managing Director, Cadence Capital
- Mr Frank Paul, COO & Head of Advice, Spring FG
- Paul Riga, Associate Director, Urbis Economics
- 0 David Trew, Founder, MoneySpot Investments
- Chris Andrews, CIO, La Trobe Financial

- Paul Rickard, Director, Switzer Asset Management
- Peter Rae, Supervisory Analyst, IIR
- George Boubouras, Managing Director, Contango
- John O'Connell, CIO Macquarie Banking & **Financial Services**
- Trent Mikkonen, Infrastructure Investment, AMP
- Greg Bird, Manager Strategy, Australian Unity
- Anil Sagaram, Head of Product Development, BT

For further detail about the event including a full list of keynote speakers and presentation topics, the event schedule and partners & exhibitors and to pre-register for complimentary Expo entry and purchase Keynote Summit Session tickets head to the SMSF2017 website. Media Inquiries including media passes for the event and requests for interviews and collateral should be directed to:

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