

## 2022 AARES Distinguished Fellow

### Professor Sarah Ann Wheeler



Sarah Wheeler is a Professor of Water Economics in the School of Economics and Public Policy at the University of Adelaide and is also on the university's Environment Institute's executive management board.

Sarah specialises in the research areas of water economics, water markets, irrigated farming, climate change adaptation, Murray-Darling Basin, organic farming, water scarcity, food waste and mental health. She has over 140 peer-reviewed outputs in the form of journal articles, book chapters, book reviews and conference papers. Sarah has more than 4,340 citations and a H-Index of 39 and i10-index of 88 in Google Scholar as at early 2023. She has been involved in – and led the majority of – many multidisciplinary water, agricultural and environmental projects over the past couple of decades, with a total funding value of over \$40 million.

She is a current Associate Editor of *Agricultural Economics* and has been past associate editor of the *Australian Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics*, the *Australasian Journal of Water Resources*, *Water Resources and Economics*, and a guest editor for *Agricultural Water Management*. Sarah is on a number of editorial boards, including: *International Review of Environmental and Resource Economics*; *Australian Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics*; and *Water*.

Sarah was President of the Australasian Agricultural and Resource Economics Society in 2020 and also made a fellow of the Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia in 2020. She was an ARC Future Fellow (2014-2018) and is a well-known commentator on Murray-Darling Basin water issues in Australia, with her advice and expertise regularly sought by media, government and industry.