

# FUNDING THE FUTURE OF MINING

A CALL TO JOIN OUR COALITION

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## WHO IS DPI, AND WHERE DO WE WORK?

**THE DEVELOPMENT PARTNER INSTITUTE (DPI) BELIEVES IN MINING'S CONTRIBUTION TO A BETTER FUTURE.**

We work globally to make that vision a reality through connection, co-creation and catalysing projects, accelerating mining's role in sustainable socio-economic development. Here's where some of those projects have taken us:

- > Ecuador: Country Catalyst, 2019
- > Brazil: Country Catalyst, 2018
- > Peru: Country Catalyst, 2018
- > Zambia: Mining Social Investment Strategic Framework, 2020-2021
- > South Africa: Mining Innovation and Research Battlefield, 2022-2024
- > Australia: Mining and the SDGs, 2019-2020
- > Italy: RESCO Spark Forum, 2019
- > Australia: RESCO Regional Dialogue, 2022
- > Peru: RESCO Regional Dialogue, 2022
- > London, England: RESCO Global Dialogue 2022

# WE HAVE A **GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE** ON THE COMPLEX CHALLENGES AND RISKS TO THE MINING VALUE CHAIN

- Deeper mines, lower ore grades, challenges accessing quality resources
- An increasingly complex and changing investment environment
- A clash between demand for resources to support future needs, and the ability to respond
- Responsible sourcing pressure on customer-facing companies
- Increasing ESG requirements
- Climate change and the strong drive for decarbonisation
- Power shifts as communities and First Nations people gain agency to engage in conversation about mining's future
- The need to attract young and emerging talent, who want to work with socially responsible and future-focused companies

Mining changes the world, quite literally. But in a world that's facing multiple kinds of change, we need to differentiate our contribution to a better future.

To truly set mining apart requires collaborative action, and we can't get there without community, authenticity and crystal-clear communication.

*Florence Drummond, DPI Executive Director*



# NOBODY CAN SOLVE THESE CHALLENGES ALONE

Bring your sustainability team, your internal expertise and deep knowledge of the locations where you work.

We'll bring our global perspective, a track record for thinking deeply and a burning desire for innovation.



**TOGETHER, WE CAN COLLABORATE TO UNIFY THE MINING VALUE CHAIN AND UNDERSTAND MINING'S CONTRIBUTION TO A BETTER FUTURE.**

**In the mining industry we've tended to be very conservative.** We only engage in real conversations with people that support us, and that's a small group. We must '**engage with the enemy**': get out there and have conversations, clearly spelling out the benefits humanity derives from mining and owning that things don't always go perfectly.

*Mark Cutifani, DPI Co-Founder*

*The Courier-Mail, April 2023*

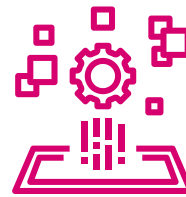


# PARTNERSHIP WITH DPI IS THE ANSWER

Through our deep thinking and dialogue-based approach, you'll be part of a progressive coalition in mining, committed to co-creating change.



We're a neutral and respectful exchange for new approaches, and **we operate outside industry silos**



We offer an **energizing platform for deep thinking** – the kind of thinking that your internal teams may not have the space for



We provide **access to a global network of people and organizations**, helping to position your company as a sustainability leader



Our work programs are built on a genuinely inclusive process, with **proven results**

## WE'VE SET OUT OUR FOUNDATIONAL PHILOSOPHY AND MADE IT ACCESSIBLE

We work from the Development Partner Framework – you can [download it on our website.](#)

The Framework is the result of an award-winning multi-stakeholder process. It's a set of principles designed to help mining companies, host countries and communities carve out their path to long-term success, and to lay the foundation for new ways of operating and collaborating with each other and with stakeholders.



### THE FRAMEWORK IS BACKED BY INDUSTRY TITANS, INCLUDING DPI'S BOARD:



Peter Bryant  
Clareo



Mark Cutifani  
Vale Energy Transition Board



Jon Samuel  
Anglo American



Sheila Khama  
Director of FTSE- and  
NASDAQ-listed companies



Mark Podlasly  
First Nations Major Project Coalition

# WE WANT TO YOU TO JOIN OUR COALITION

The Development Partner Framework is free for everyone. We won't ever hide it behind a paywall, because we want the whole value chain to have this resource.

**Becoming a DPI Supporter allows you to demonstrate your commitment to a world where mining is recognised for its contribution to a better future, by putting the Development Partner Framework into action.**



## THIS MEANS:

- ▶ Our team will work with yours to practically implement the Development Partner Framework
- ▶ We work with you to bring your value chain together for an honest, transparent conversation about development partnership
- ▶ We research and present case studies that demonstrate how you're working in partnership with your value chain to mitigate risk
- ▶ We both promote your commitment to practical sustainability, stakeholder engagement and socio-economic development

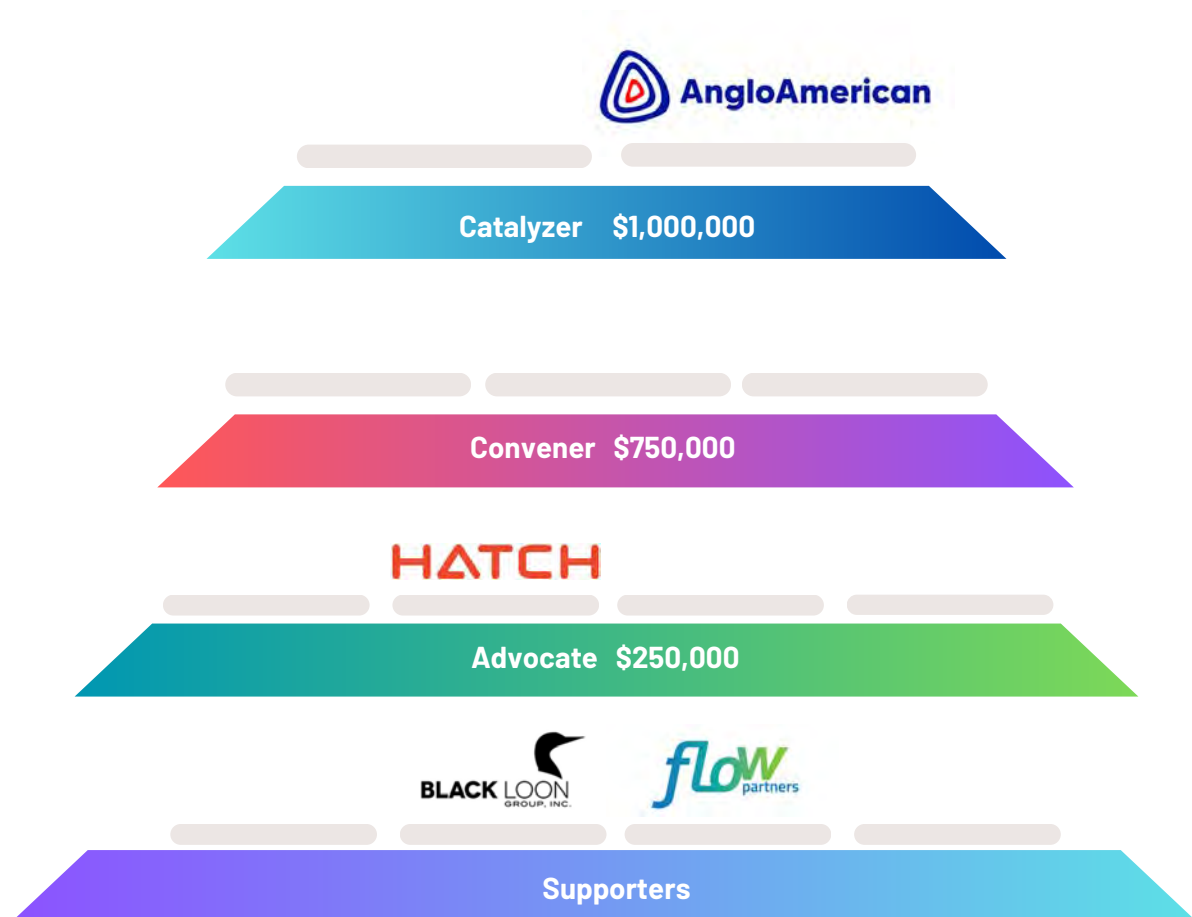
**We help position you as part of a progressive coalition in mining, committed to co-creating change through innovation and new thinking.**

## FOUR LEVELS OF PARTNERSHIP WITH DPI

As a core supporter of DPI, we ask for a 3-year commitment. This allows you to really see benefits of the long-term, deep thinking approach that we take.

**You'll join the ranks of progressive mining leaders**, collaborating to transition the sector and deliver real social, economic and environmental value for all stakeholders.

You'll also gain first-hand insight to future trends, practical application of the Development Partner Framework in your organisation and opportunities to collaborate with other DPI supporters.



The Development Partner Institute is a 501c6 non-profit organization.  
All core supporter commitments are split into equal payments over the 3-year term.

# SUPPORTER BENEFITS

DPI INITIATIVE	BENEFIT FOR YOUR ORGANIZATION	BENEFIT FOR THE MINING VALUE CHAIN	Catalyzer	Convener	Advocate
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## APPLY THE DEVELOPMENT PARTNER FRAMEWORK

<b>DEVELOPMENT PARTNER FRAMEWORK IMPLEMENTATION</b>	DPI will guide supporter companies on applying the principles of the DPF in their organization/ operations to build into a ESG strategy and approach. DPI shares different models of development partnership and supports your organization to build partnership and development skills, approaches, and deeper networks.	Your region or country(s) of interest benefits from application of the development partner approach. You join a growing Centre of Expertise on development partnership.	✓	✓	
<b>CASE STUDIES</b>	Access DPI's exclusive supporter-only documents and information, knowledge and research on key sustainability themes including the full range of DPI insights and reports.	Enable your executives and operations staff to be well-informed on DPI's role, and themes such as responsible sourcing, development partnership, and future energy.	✓	✓	✓

## SHAPE AND INFLUENCE THE FUTURE OF MINING

<b>RESCO - THE RESPONSIBLE SOURCING COALITION</b>	Your insights, ideas, and listening contribute to RESCO, with the goal of delivering Net Positive Impact. You will gain actionable insights on topics ranging from responsible sourcing, ESG, to Future Energy for Mining. As part of a coalition of progressive companies, we are building an exciting future direction and partnerships on these topics.	Shape the global direction of Responsible Sourcing, ESG, and Future Energy for the mining value chain. In partnership, we will build new directions through multi-stakeholder engagement and insights.	✓	✓	✓
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<b>DPI PILOTS</b>	Participate in DPI Pilots, fostering learning and growth for your organization on key mining-related topics such as Shared Value approaches, social investment, or developing a climate health ecosystem fund.	Create new pathways for the sector, where multiple stakeholders can come together in neutral spaces to drive the direction of pilots.	✓	✓	✓
<b>COUNTRY OR REGIONAL CATALYSTS</b>	DPI will work with supporters to activate a national or regional catalyst process in a key country of interest, utilizing the Development Partner Framework to bring stakeholders together to explore new ways to think about and collaborate on key themes of importance.	The country or region benefits through the development of a collaborative approach to key themes of importance related to development partnership in that country or region. Develops new networks and ways of thinking for the future.	✓		

## LEARN FROM THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY

<b>MINING INNOVATION AND RESEARCH BATTLEFIELD</b>	Participation and judging opportunities at our annual Mining Innovation and Research Battlefield event, in conjunction with Mining Indaba. The Battlefield connects research and industry to empower and promote new ways of thinking.	Promote innovation in the mining ecosystem, with a specific challenge focus each year.	✓	✓	✓
<b>YOUTH SALON</b>	As part of your deeper commitment to the communities in which you operate, DPI will proactively engage with relevant youth to understand how we can continue to align to the longevity of your project.	The future of our industry is realigning to the vision of our youth. Understand the trajectory in our efforts towards transparency, knowledge sharing and sustainable development.	✓	✓	✓

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<b>ACCESS TO THE DPI NETWORK</b>	Formal access to the DPI network and support making the right connections as a foundation for new insights and partnerships for your organization.	Contribute to a global network of people and organizations who are committed to working together on innovative approaches to development.	✓	✓	✓

## PROMOTE AND SUPPORT YOUR BRAND

<b>MARKETING AND BRANDING</b>	Support from our marketing and communications team to maximize the organizational brand impact from your DPI support. Wide recognition as a “mining development partner”.	Show the world your support for the role of innovative development partnerships in the sector.	✓	✓	✓
<b>EVENT PARTNERSHIP</b>	Opportunity to partner in co-branded and co-organized events.	Expand and promote development partnership for the sector.	✓	✓	✓

# THANK YOU

We hope we've inspired you to a more collaborative, connected future – and we hope to welcome you on board as a DPI Supporter soon!

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