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## SYDNEY MINERAL EXPLORATION DISCUSSION GROUP

# NOTICE OF MEETING

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**DATE:** Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2005 - 5.30pm for 6pm

**VENUE:** 1st Floor, Rugby Club, Rugby (Crane) Place, Sydney

**SPEAKER:** Rob Rutherford

**TOPIC:** “In Search of a Red (Metal) Giant: From the Cosmic to Prospect Scale”

This talk highlight the importance of using of all scales of data in the search for a giant iron oxide copper, gold (and uranium) deposit. How was copper formed in the universe? What makes a good IOCG target, and why Red Metal is the stock to hold.

Rob Rutherford is a geologist with over 17 years Australian and international exploration experience and has been involved in generative, feasibility and management roles in the copper, gold and base metal exploration industry. He was formerly employed by Phelps Dodge Australasia Inc. for over 9 years where he was promoted to Australian Exploration Manager and internal expert on Iron Oxide Copper-Gold hydrothermal systems and Sediment-Hosted copper deposits. Rob initiated and negotiated the alliance with Phelps Dodge, founded Red Metal Limited and generated the current ground package.

**Future meetings:** 28<sup>th</sup> April - Richard Mazzucchelli – Geochemical Exploration in the Goldfields  
26<sup>th</sup> May - Blair Hostetler – Lake Bottom geochemistry  
June? – Mike Erceg – Tritton update

**Web page:** Check the SMEDG web page for more details <http://smedg.org.au>

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