



YAS GRIGALIUNAS
Founder, Circonomy
General Speaker Bio 2022

Yas Grigaliunas, Founder of Circonomy (formerly: World's Biggest Garage Sale (WBGS)), is an energetic and authentic entrepreneur of impact.

She is a circular economy pioneer, driving this industry forward by innovating and mobilising multiple stakeholders towards a shared vision, all while providing social good. Yas is an advocate for the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and an accomplished keynote speaker, leader and creator of innovation and producer of change.

An entrepreneur of impact and a circular economy pioneer in Australia, Yas recently closed a \$4M equity capital raise to expand nationally, with Officeworks as a key investor and shareholder. Together, through expansion of reuse, repair, resource recovery and recommerce initiatives, Yas is thrilled to work with partners and investors to bring the next phase of growth, seeing her Circonomy vision come to life.



A proud [TEDx Brisbane](#) speaker, Yas led her team to winning the [Lord Mayor's Business Award for Sustainability](#), and the [Cleanaway Waste Innovation Award](#) at The Cleaner Suburbs Awards.

Yas is an inaugural [SheEO Australian Venture](#), a [RiverPitch](#) finalist on national television, and was named winner of the Innovation award for 'Brand of the Year' by former Queensland's Chief Entrepreneur Leanne Kemp. Honoured and proud to be recipients of the [Banksia Foundation - Minister's Award for the Environment in 2021](#) and recently crowned winners at the Australian Supply Chain & Logistics Awards in 2022, Yas was also named on the [Global 100 Inspirational Leaders for 2022](#) and remains humbled by the accolades, whilst embracing and remaining true to her unique style, built on trust, transparency and an authentic vulnerability, to design and deliver on the Circonomy™ vision.

Circonomy is revolutionising how Australia engages with dormant goods, bringing together retailers, designers, craftspeople and resource recovery organisations to give new life to still-useful things.

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