

# WOMEN IN EDUCATION LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

UNLEASH YOUR POTENTIAL &  
PAVE THE PATH TO SUCCESS

17 - 21  
JUNE 2019

INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL  
SYDNEY

## LEARN FROM



**Annabelle Duncan**  
Vice Chancellor



**Katherine Belov**  
Pro Vice-Chancellor  
Global Engagement



**Jane Simmons**  
Executive Director,  
School services



**Angela Esquivel  
Hawkins**  
Assistant Dean of  
Students



**Michelle Hoad**  
Managing Director,  
North Metropolitan



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## WHO WILL ATTEND?

Current, future and emerging leaders across Education, including:

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## 18 JUNE SUMMIT DAY 1

### ESTABLISH LONG-LASTING PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

KEYNOTE

9:00 - 9:50

Kathy believes that one of the most important tools in career progression is the ability to build strong and sustainable relationships. She will share her own experiences to highlight how you can build better relationships and propel your career.

**Katherine Belov**  
Pro Vice-Chancellor Global Engagement  
**University of Sydney**



### DRAW INSPIRATION FROM THOSE AROUND YOU

CASE STUDY

9:50 - 10:40

Regardless of where you are in your path to success, you can always benefit from the wisdom and support of those we admire. Angela will share her personal experiences enacting advice from a robust support system, role models, colleagues, family or those who have paved the way before you.

**Angela Esquivel Hawkins**  
Assistant Dean of Students  
**Stanford University**



### THE LEADERS WE NEED TO CREATE A STRONG EDTECH ECOSYSTEM

CASE STUDY

10:55 - 11:45

With an extensive career, Carole has a wealth of knowledge when it comes to an effective culture in education. Having worked both in Australia and abroad in Bhutan, she will share her insights from those diverse experiences.

**Christine Chun**  
Leader, Business Engagement and Development  
**NSW Department of Education**



### JUGGLE PRIORITIES IN YOUR WORK AND PERSONAL LIFE

CASE STUDY

11:45 - 12:35

With a wealth of competing responsibilities, leaders face a formidable balancing act, especially when juggling multiple priorities inside and outside the office. Michelle will share her insights when it comes to managing these challenging demands.

**Michelle Hoad**  
Managing Director, North Metropolitan  
**Central Regional TAFE**



### REACH BEYOND MANAGER TO A LEADER

PANEL

1:35 - 2:25

Leadership is more than hierarchy alone and requires the ability to cultivate followership. In this interactive discussion, our panel of experts will share what they consider the anatomy of a leader.

**Karen Garling**  
Deputy Principal  
**Kelso Public School**  
**Joanna Watts**  
Director of Operations  
**The University of Melbourne**  
**Kerry Elizabeth Penton**  
Regional General Manager  
**TAFE NSW**



### CRAFT YOUR LEADERSHIP VISION

CASE STUDY

2:25 - 3:15

A vital part of leadership is the ability to not only create a strong vision, but to execute it well. Tara will explore and share her own success stories and some of the lessons she learned along the way.

**Tara Taylor**  
Chair of the Board **Inner Sydney Montessori School**  
Chair of the Board **Sydney Montessori Training Centre**



### IMPROVE COMMUNICATION AND INFLUENCE

EXPERT COMMENTARY

3:30 - 4:30

To make sustainable connections to propel your career, you must have the ability to make a lasting impact. To do this, you need to utilise superior communication and networking skills. Through this interactive session, explore how to maximise your influence.

**Catherine Nolan** Director & Principal Coach **Gender Gap Gone**

### NETWORKING RECEPTION

4:30 - 5:30

Make the most of your experience, join us to network over complimentary canapés and drinks.



# 19 JUNE

## SUMMIT DAY 2

### DEFINE YOUR LEADERSHIP JOURNEY

KEYNOTE

9:00 - 10:00

With an extremely diverse career spanning Education and the Public Sector, Annabelle has a wealth of insight from her journey. Drawing on her own career, she will share her insights and experiences on how to make the most of your career.

**Annabelle Duncan**  
Vice Chancellor  
**University of New England**



### ENHANCE STAFF ENGAGEMENT AND INCLUSION

CASE STUDY

10:00 - 11:00

As a male champion of change, Tim finds staff engagement and inclusion vital to long-term retention and team performance. Having led a staff engagement and culture improvement plan to provide for the needs of female employees, he will discuss the discoveries of Trinity's journey to improving inclusion.

**Tim Bowden**  
Head Master  
**Trinity Grammar School**



### OVERCOME THE CHALLENGES OF UNCONSCIOUS BIAS IN THE WORKPLACE

EXPERT COMMENTARY

11:15 - 12:15

While many education roles are seeing the unique business and technical value that women in leadership roles bring to the table, the impact of unconscious bias remains an ongoing challenge. Karen will share the ways you can overcome the challenges of unconscious bias and confidently find your voice in the sphere.

**Karen Whittingham**  
Director **Impact Psychology**  
Lecturer **UNSW**

### SOURCE SUPPORT THROUGH MENTORS, SPONSORS AND NETWORKS

PANEL

1:15 - 2:15

The journey to the top is accomplished with a strong network of supporters. Sponsors and mentors can help accelerate growth and guide you along potential pathways. In this interactive panel, our experts will explore support frameworks to propel your career.

**Jane Simmons**  
Executive Director - School services  
**Department of Education NSW**



**Megan Krimmer**  
Headmistress  
**Abbotsleigh School for Girls**



**Pascale Drever**  
Deputy Head of School  
**Ascham School**



**Lucy Arundell**  
Chief Education and Training Officer  
**TAFE NSW**



**Elizabeth Ovens**  
Principal  
**St Aloysius Catholic Primary School**



### DEVELOP AN AUTHENTIC LEADERSHIP STYLE

CASE STUDY

2:15 - 3:15

In the final interactive session of the summit, our Chair will reflect upon the various themes and inspiring stories to fuel your leadership journey. Through an engaging discussion, she will offer ideas around the key takeaways from the conference.

**Ann-Maree David**  
Chief Executive Officer  
**The College of Law**



### FUTURE DIRECTIONS FOR WOMEN IN EDUCATION

ROUNDTABLE

3:30 - 4:30

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**Catherine Nolan**  
Director & Principal Coach  
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## 17 JUNE

# PRE-SUMMIT WORKSHOP

### SET YOURSELF UP FOR SUCCESS AS AN IMPACTFUL LEADER

Explore the power of communication and expand your leadership influence. Discuss workplace culture, change management and emotional intelligence.

- Understand and develop your emotional intelligence
- Foster a workplace culture that is resilient to change
- Elevate your communication skills and stakeholder engagement
- Generate organisational buy-in to drive transformation

**Catherine Nolan** Director & Principal Coach  
**Gender Gap Gone**

## 20 & 21 JUNE

# POST-SUMMIT

### LEADERSHIP FOR PRINCIPALS & ASPIRING SCHOOL LEADERS

Develop the skills and mindset to succeed as a confident, calm and ethical school leader.

#### DAY ONE

- Discover fundamental leadership capabilities
- Think creatively to design innovative models for your school
- Lead diverse teams and generate support
- Project confidence to survive self-doubt and uncertainty

#### DAY TWO

- The art of educational leadership - balance the demands of today's environment
- Lead through change
- Lead with emotional intelligence (EQ)
- Build trust and influence your key stakeholders

**Pam Ryan** Author and Education Consultant  
**Pam Ryan Consulting**



