# **3RD WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION, INFRASTRUCTURE & ENGINEERING LEADERSHIP SUMMIT**

DEVELOP DIVERSE THINKING CAPABILITIES & ENCOURAGE GROWTH

## 26 - 29 NOVEMBER 2019 STAMFORD AUCKLAND

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# **BUILD. DEVELOP. INSPIRE.**

The Construction, Infrastructure & Engineering industries are some of the fastest-growing in New Zealand. Sustaining this growth will require organisations to embrace diverse thinking capabilities to promote innovative teams with a growth mindset.

However, despite the opportunities and the emphasis on diversity, women are not well represented in senior leadership roles. To ensure the continued success of the sector, women must take charge of their careers and empower others towards an inclusive future.

We have brought together accomplished leaders from across the Construction, Infrastructure & Engineering sectors to share their knowledge and skills to drive collaboration, inclusion, and growth. Walk away from this summit feeling inspired with new tools and strategies to build and develop your future in leadership.

- **Build** the resilience to thrive through turbulence
- Nurture high-performing, adaptive teams

- Transition from technical expert to strategic leader
- Establish an inclusive culture to develop opportunities

## SUMMIT DAY 1 27 NOVEMBER

#### DO YOU NEED TO BE A TECHNICAL EXPERT TO BE AN EFFECTIVE LEADER? KEYNOTE 9

9:00 - 9:50

Is technical expertise sufficient to lead a team? Join Leonie as she explores what it means to be a technical expert, the relevant skills for an effective leader, and discover what her leadership experiences have taught her to help answer this question.

<b>Leonie Rae</b> General Manager,	
Corporate Services (secondment)	
Christchurch City Council	

#### Christchurch City Council

#### PROMOTE & ESTABLISH POSITIVE CHANGE CASE STUDY

9:50 - 10:40

It's no secret that in the past, diversity has been lacking. In recent years, momentum has been building, and a positive shift is underway at all levels. Amy will discuss the positive changes she has witnessed within Downer and the broader industry.

Amy Barrett General Manager, Business Development Facilities Services & Utilities Downer New Zealand Ltd

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#### GET PROJECTS ON TRACK – CHALLENGES OF LEADING MULTI-DISCIPLINARY TEAMS PANEL 10:5

10:55 - 11:45

Working collaboratively is a necessity, no matter what industry you're in. But when you're working with teams comprised of multiple disciplines, how can you guarantee success? Furthermore, what impact has technology and innovation had on traditional teams and projects? Join our diverse range of panellists as they explore the challenges of working with multidisciplinary teams.

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CREATE THAT TWO-WAY FLOW	

#### CASE STUDY

11:45 - 12:35

As a leader working on multiple projects and within different teams, open and confident communication is a necessary trait. Ensuring your teams and stakeholders are well informed and working together is essential. Jennifer has worked in a number of teams and she will discuss her experience with establishing communication flow.

#### Jennifer Hart

Senior Technical Director Beca Group Ltd

#### DEVELOP & DRIVE INCLUSIVENESS PANEL

1:35 - 2:25

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Different cultures, opinions, and backgrounds bring new ideas to the table and enable innovation. Our esteemed panellists will discuss what an inclusive organisation looks like and why diversity in all its forms is crucial.

#### Emma Trembath

Associate Director, Technical Practice Leader Geoscience Remediation Services AECOM New Zealand

Mary Nabunobuno Quality Manager, Senior Project Engineer

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Margaret Louie People & Culture Manager Northern Corridor Improvement - Alliance

#### BACK YOURSELF TO INTRODUCE CHANGE CASE STUDY

2:25 - 3:15

Change is a word that induces different reactions in different people. Some are excited to embrace it, while others are intent on keeping the status quo. Discover the challenges Lupe has faced and the initiatives she is leading at Auckland Council to promote transformation within the industry.

Lupe Menezes Building WOF Team Leader Auckland Council	Auckland Council
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BECOME THE HAPPY JUGGLER CASE STUDY

3:30 - 4:20

All leaders are forced to juggle several priorities in their day-today lives. Join Emma as she discusses the challenges of working on multiple projects at once, how she balances her professional priorities like a pro and continues to meet the expectations of her teams and clients.

#### Emma Trembath

Associate Director, Technical Practice Leader Geoscience Remediation Services AECOM New Zealand

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#### NAVIGATE THE WORK-LIFE CONUNDRUM CASE STUDY

4:20 - 5:00

Finding an equilibrium between your work and everything else can pose a significant challenge. Whether you are making time for your family, friends, or just you, creating balance requires careful navigation. Doris and Peter will share their experience and discuss their challenges, solutions, and opinions on the subject of work-life balance.

#### Doris Stroh Technical Director, Transport Peter Theiler Associate, Transport Aurecon New Zealand

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#### DRINKS & CANAPÉS

5:00 - 6:00

Continue to network while you enjoy complimentary refreshments.

## SUMMIT DAY 2

### 28 NOVEMBER

#### STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESS – LEADERSHIP VS MANAGEMENT KEYNOTE 9:00 - 10:00

How do you plan for the future and lead teams in an ever-changing environment? Join Mayurie as she discusses her experiences within the New Zealand Transport Agency and the private sector. She will address what her teams are planning to achieve, how they navigate change and the lessons learned along the way.

#### Mayurie Gunatilaka

Head of Transport System Planning New Zealand Transport Agency

#### ACKNOWLEDGE THE IMPOSTOR EXPERT COMMENTARY

10:00 - 11:00

Impostor syndrome is not a new phenomenon. Men and women alike have engaged in the struggle against this unseen presence for decades. The phrase is thrown around a lot, but how well do you understand it? Can you tackle or notice its effects? Join Jess as she discusses what impostor syndrome looks like and explore how you can break free.

Jess Stuart International Speaker & Author

## BUILD RESILIENCE IN THE FACE OF INDUSTRY PRESSURESCASE STUDY11:15 - 12:15

Working in Construction, Infrastructure & Engineering comes with significant pressure for teams and leaders to produce results. How can you tackle these stresses without them taking a toll on your wellbeing? Our panellists will share their stories and discuss strategies to remain resilient.

Katrina van Houtte Senior Construction & Litigation Lawyer Kensington Swan	KensingtonSwan 🐮
Kate Loveridge Regional Project Completions Manager Fletcher Construction Company Limited	<b>Betcher</b>
Nicky Smith Delivery Excellence Lead HEB Construction Ltd	

#### EMBRACING INNOVATION - WHAT TECHNOLOGY HAS TO OFFER CASE STUDY 1:15 - 2:15

What impact does technology have in the Construction & Infrastructure sectors? What will the future of these industries look like with the disruption of technology? As a senior leader in construction with a background in technology, Maria will explore the challenges of leading teams in this emerging environment.

#### Maria Mingallon

Technical Director, Advanced Computational Design Lead, Australia & New Zealand Mott MacDonald

#### STRATEGIC TRANSFORMATION THROUGH HIGH-PERFORMING TEAMS CASE STUDY 2:15 - 3:15

Creating high performing teams will increase productivity and inspire change. As a senior industry leader, Claire knows the benefits and challenges of cultivating a high performing team. She will explore her own experiences and discuss how a high performing team can lead to transformation.

#### **Claire Stewart**

General Manager, People & Transformation Fletcher Construction Company Limited

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#### ESTABLISH YOUR NEXT STEPS ROUNDTABLE

3:30 - 4:20

Over the last two days, we have heard inspirational stories, discovered new skills, and gained knowledge. Join our Chair as she pulls all the themes together and helps you create an action plan for the future.

## WHAT OUR DELEGATES ARE SAYING

<sup>44</sup> Very worthwhile and incredible value for the access to industry best practices of women in leadership. Liquid Learning is excellent. Really flawless, thank you.<sup>9</sup>

## PRE-SUMMIT WORKSHOP 26 NOVEMBER

## COMMUNICATION SKILLS TO ELEVATE YOUR LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL

Strategic communication skills allow you to build lasting relationships, engage and maintain stakeholders, and negotiate successful outcomes with multidisciplinary teams.

This interactive and experiential workshop will cover the foundation to enhance your ability to communicate. With her hands-on, energetic style, Debra will help you develop the communication skills you need to propel your career.

#### Modules

- Enhance authentic and strategic communication
- Engage with and maintain your relationships with critical project stakeholders
- Develop high-level communication skills
- Maximise your interpersonal skills

Debra Chantry

Founder & Leadership Coacl The Common

### **POST-SUMMIT WORKSHOP** 29 NOVEMBER

#### NAVIGATE THE FUTURE OF LEADERSHIP

Construction, Infrastructure & Engineering are some of the fastest-growing sectors in New Zealand. While the industries continue to grow, the number of women in leadership positions has remained low by comparison.

This workshop will help you identify opportunities for career advancement and develop skills to chase your leadership goals. Walk away from this workshop with a toolbox of practical skills to enable you to navigate your future leadership path.

#### Modules

- Understand your leadership identity
- ► Cultivate confidence and resilience
- Enhance your self-awareness to be a confident, authentic leader
- Refine your leadership skills

Jess Stuart International Speaker & Author

## WHO WILL ATTEND?

Current, aspiring and future women leaders in the Construction, Infrastructure and Engineering industries in roles including:

- Managers
- Officers / Coordinators / Executives
- Directors / Assistant Director
- Regional / National Manager
- Team Leaders
- Divisional Heads
- Advisors
- Analysts
- General Managers
- CEOs / MDs / Board Directors
- Business Consultants / Associates



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## 26 - 29 November 2019

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