

# 24<sup>th</sup> Women in Leadership & Management Summit

Nurture and develop your unique leadership qualities to achieve career success



## FEATURED SPEAKERS

-  **Julie Nestor**  
Chief Marketing Officer  
**Ebay**
-  **Clare Burden**  
Vice President, Technical, Maintenance and Project Services  
**Fujitsu Australia**
-  **Raelene Seales**  
Operations Business Transformation Lead  
**Zurich Financial Services**
-  **Patty Gilchrist**  
Head of Australia & New Zealand Business Development, Global Partnerships  
**Google Australia**
-  **Lisa Harrington**  
Executive General Manager, Stakeholder Relations  
**AGL Energy**
-  **Leanne Pilkington**  
Managing Director  
**Laing and Simmons**
-  **Freya Steffen**  
Head of People and Culture  
**HelloFresh**
-  **Paula Ganly**  
First Assistant Secretary, Ministerial Support Division  
**Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet**
-  **Tara Ridley**  
Director Partner Organisation, Australia & New Zealand  
**Cisco**
-  **Suzanne Harman**  
General Manager, Marketing  
**Simplot Australia**
-  **Sharon Callister**  
Chief Executive Officer  
**Presbyterian Methodist Schools Association, QLD**
-  **Elizabeth Tydd**  
NSW Information Commissioner and Chief Executive Officer  
**Information and Privacy Commission NSW**
-  **Adriane McDermott**  
Head of Marketing  
**SEAFOLLY**
-  **Maryam Litkouhi**  
Development Manager, Commercial Property  
**Stockland**
-  **Kathryn Tidd**  
Coordinator, Community Engagement  
**NSW Department of Finance, Services and Innovation**
-  **Tara Fisher**  
Standards Development Manager, Consumer Sales  
**Caltex**
-  **Moya Steele**  
Principal  
**Keir Steele Lawyers**



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Theme: 'The Power of You'

### Summit

29 & 30 January 2019

### Post-Summit Workshop

31 January & 1 February 2019

The Amora Hotel Jamison Sydney

Develop your distinct leadership profile

Harness the power of diversity

Build a high-performing workforce

Conquer your leadership fears



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# 2019 Theme: 'The Power of You'

Great leaders are unique and know how to use their individual qualities to attain success. But how do we unlock our true individual potential? How can we influence our teams to do the same?

Join us for this empowering leadership event where we will be tapping into the minds of the most successful leaders from across Australia. We will explore strategies to harness our leadership qualities and unleash our unique power.

## Summit Day One

29 January 2019

### Personal and Professional Development

#### MICRO-SESSION 9.10 - 9.25

Create Your Vision - Angela McWiggan Chair

#### CASE STUDY 9.25 - 10.00

##### Are you Boardroom ready?

- The first stages of influence
- Prepare yourself for leadership
- Build natural authority

Julie Nestor Chief Marketing Officer  
Ebay



#### CASE STUDY 10.00 - 10.35

##### Become a lifelong learner

- Habits for continual development
- Challenge yourself on the day-to-day
- See, learn, share - the cycle of success

Raelene Seales  
Operations Business Transformation Lead  
Zurich Financial Services



### Strength, Courage and Resilience

#### EXPERT COMMENTARY 10.55 - 11.30

##### Dust yourself off after a setback

- The art of bouncing back and moving forward
- Deal constructively with stress and setbacks
- Recognise and explore areas of growth and development

Cheryl Alderman Executive & Business Coach  
Be Ultimate Coaching & Training



#### MICRO-SESSION 11.30 - 11.45

Audience Contribution - Angela McWiggan Chair

#### INTERACTIVE PANEL DISCUSSION 11:45 - 12.25

##### Tackle potential career blocks

- Navigate potential obstacles
- Manage a healthy professional and personal life
- Identify your priorities at work and at home

Suzanne Harman General Manager, Marketing  
Simplot Australia

Patty Gilchrist Head of Australia &  
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Paula Ganly First Assistant Secretary,  
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### Walk the Talk

#### MICRO-SESSION 12.25 - 12.35

Networking Energiser - Angela McWiggan Chair

#### EXPERT COMMENTARY 1.35 - 2.10

##### How to stop underselling yourself

- 7 tactics to help you self-promote
- The science of self-promotion
- How to maintain resilience

Amanda Blesing  
Mentor, Trainer, Speaker and Thinker  
The Ambition Revolution

#### MICRO-SESSION 2.10 - 2.25

How to Sell Yourself to Others - Angela McWiggan Chair

#### EXPERT COMMENTARY 2.25 - 3.05

##### Visible leadership

- Build natural influence through trust and influence
- Demonstrate positive behaviours
- Become a reliable and consistent leader

Leanne Pilkington  
Managing Director  
Laing and Simmons

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#### CASE STUDY 3.20 - 3.55

##### Impact and influence

- Effective stakeholder management
- Influential leadership
- Strategic leverage for greater impact

Elizabeth Tydd  
NSW Information Commissioner and  
Chief Executive Officer  
Information and Privacy Commission NSW



#### EXPERT COMMENTARY 3.55 - 4.30

##### Words, actions and everything in between

- Develop the ultimate communication toolkit
- Find your voice and be heard
- Use body language to create influence

Angela McWiggan  
Leadership Consultant & Coach,  
Facilitator & Trainer, Keynote Speaker  
Sure Trac Consulting



### NETWORKING RECEPTION

4.30 - 5.30

## Who will attend?

Current and aspiring leaders across all industries:

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

Advocates of change and managers responsible for:

- Diversity / Human Resources / Leadership Development
- Women in Leadership Program Managers / Committee Members
- Champions of Change / Male Leaders

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## Build High-Performance Teams

### MICRO-SESSION 9.10 - 9.25

Assessment of Skills - Angela McWiggan Chair

### CASE STUDY 9.25 - 10.00

Forget productivity, it's all about essentialism

- A day in the life of an essentialist
- Impart responsibility in others
- The art and respect of saying no

Adriane McDermott Head of Marketing  
SEAFOLLY



### CASE STUDY 10.00 - 10.35

The value of effective people management

- Create a flexible and productive workplace
- Develop agile teams
- Resource and manage innovation

Freya Steffen Head of People and Culture  
HelloFresh



## Hear it First-Hand

### INTERACTIVE PANEL DISCUSSION 10.55 - 11.45

Stories of success

- Gain insight into how you can use and apply your newfound knowledge from the summit
- Hear first-hand from a range of leaders
- Set your professional action plan

Maryam Litkouhi Stockland    Moya Steele Keir Steele Lawyers    Tara Fisher Caltex

Kathryn Tidd  
NSW Department of Finance, Services and Innovation



### MICRO-SESSION 11.45 - 12.00

Interview preparation - Angela McWiggan Chair

### INTERVIEW 1.35 - 2.10

Advice from the CEO

- Discover how Sharon made it to CEO
- How to search for progression opportunities
- Navigate career challenges

Sharon Callister Chief Executive Officer  
Presbyterian Methodist Schools  
Association, QLD



## Learn, Share, Apply

### INTERACTIVE PANEL DISCUSSION 1.20 - 2.10

Create a positive cycle of development

- Support and be supported
- Seek access to mentorships
- Build your network of trust and support

Clare Burden  
Fujitsu Australia

Tara Ridley  
Cisco

Lisa Harrington  
AGL Energy



### MICRO-SESSION 2.10 - 2.25

Ten-minute Mindfulness Session - Angela McWiggan Chair

### CASE STUDY 2.25 - 3.05

Optimise yourself - lessons from a female tech leader

- Optimise your time
- Seize opportunities
- Own your career

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### EXPERT COMMENTARY 3.20 - 3.55

Authentic. Fulfilled. Limitless. 3 key mindsets to help you take the next step

- Brave and authentic leadership
- Real fulfilment
- Unlock your limitless career

Kellie Tomney  
Founder and Career Mentor  
Stand Out Advantage, KellieTomney.com



## Post-Summit Workshop

## 31 January & 1 February 2019

### Women in Leadership Workshop

#### Day One 9.00 - 4.30

Developing self-awareness and authenticity

- Values-based leadership: what it means to be an authentic leader
- Identify your key strengths and potential derailers as a leader
- Identify how best to utilise your optimal leadership style within the context of your organisation

High level communication, influence and negotiation skills

- Manage emotions for positive and assertive communication
- Develop techniques of persuasion, negotiation and influence with coaching skills and "conversational intelligence"
- Prepare for and have difficult conversations with confidence

Developing self and others with "reflective leadership"

- Clarify the benefits of reflective practice in leadership
- Develop the skills and capacity for reflective practice
- Use reflective practice to influence the quality of culture through the quality of relationships

Strategic career progression

- Everyday career management practices and creating a personal leadership plan
- Maximise existing relationships and building new networks
- Skills and approaches for managing your image and visibility

#### Day Two 9.00 - 4.30

Transformational leadership strategies to accelerate team performance

- Leverage team dynamics to enhance performance
- Challenge, support and empower others
- Manage uncooperative staff members

Drive change and innovation as a female leader

- Recognise and overcome hurdles to change
- Trust your intuition and step outside your comfort zone
- Embed a positive change culture in your organisation

Remain productive in a crisis

- Build resilience to thrive under pressure
- Support your team and engage others to deliver
- Debrief after crisis - provide and accept feedback

Action plan for leadership

- Develop a personalised approach: short and long-term
- Understand the challenges
- Share approaches for moving your career forward

Expert Facilitator:

Dr Karen Whittingham

Lecturer UNSW / Director Impact Psychology Pty Ltd



