

LEGENDS AND LEGACIES



"I didn't really know what to expect, but I found the experience to be very enjoyable and stimulating. It was very interesting talking to, and hopefully helping, the exceptional young talent coming through."

- Julie Bindon



"A highlight of the program for me is meeting young future leaders, hearing their ideas and being an inspiration."

- Laurie Kresner



"I came to the program with an open mind and no expectations. The experience was a novel approach to the transfer of knowledge. I am of the belief it is a successful model."

- Sylvia Hrovatin



"I enjoyed the selection process and the interviews. This gave me a real insight into who our aspiring leaders really are."

- Kevin Alker



"The highlight for me was the calibre of the participants. I found their intelligence and enthusiasm to be inspiring and I felt that the future industry was in good hands."

- Sean O'Toole



"The main takeaway I learned from a number of Legend's was the power of vision and persistence. Have a dream or vision, inspire people with that vision, stay true to your purposes and just keep going for it!"

- Joss Engebretsen



"The fireside chats were amazing. They were extremely interesting and provided a comprehensive q & a that allowed us to learn from the legends life experiences."

- Jacqueline Bowie



"I had many stand-out moments, particularly the countless one-on-one conversations with many of the legends, where we shared our different perspectives about industry topics and most-importantly about life."

- Bernardo Reiter



"I was proud as punch to represent one of Tony Perich's property development businesses at Tony's fireside chat with Stephen Albin and Sean O'Toole."

- Vanessa Morschel



"Tony Perich was charismatic and really enjoyable to listen to. He reinforced his point that success requires hard work and reinvesting profits back into the business with the words 'Don't blow all the money on boats!'"

- Sarah Thompson



"In all likelihood, the present isn't unique and the Legends will have seen your scenario or something similar before and being able to take on their insights to give a greater understanding to the present and future is an amazing opportunity."

- Samantha Miller



"This program has opened doors in 2019 for me like nothing else has before. The access to the legends in this industry is one thing but the network and friendships we have formed have been the icing on the cake."

- Marcus Skeggs



"Speaking to the legends, the view I have of my role, in my current business, has changed, and given me a greater appreciation of how my day to day activities help shape the outcomes the business delivers, and how we shape the environments we're in."

- Adam Voloder

Special thanks from UDIA NSW Diversity and Inclusion Committee

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Honour Roll of 2019

Congratulations and sincere thanks to our inaugural community of Legends and Legacy participants:

Legends:

- Kevin Alker
- Julie Bindon
- Ralph Bruce
- Sylvia Hrovatin
- Abdul Khan
- Laurie Kresner
- Judy McKittrick
- Carmen Osbourne
- Sean O'Toole

Fireside Legends:

- Tony Perrich
- Iwan Sunito

Legacy:

- Kellie Adamson
- Dayne Bennett
- Jacqueline Bowie
- Joss Engebretsen
- Emily McLaughlin
- Samantha Miller
- Vanessa Morschel
- Bernado Reiter
- Marcus Skeggs
- Sarah Thompson
- Priscilla Tran
- Adnan Voloder
- Richard Williams
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