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## FACILITATOR BIOGRAPHIES

### Renu Burr

Dr Renu Burr's extensive expertise in executive leadership, facilitation, leadership development, organisational and personal transformation has been built over 30 years of business and academic experience. Renu has worked in senior leadership, consultant and advisory roles to improve business and leadership effectiveness in the private and public sectors in Australia and overseas. Renu is a highly skilled executive coach and facilitator. She has managed numerous change and cultural transformation programs and leadership development interventions involving the design, implementation and evaluation of business strategies, structures and HR processes. She holds a doctorate in Human Resource Management and has been a member of the faculty in the Business School at the University of Western Australia since 1991, teaching in the MBA, EMBA and other post-graduate programs. She currently teaches the Leadership for Social Impact course at the postgraduate level at the UWA Business School. She is also involved in their Centre for Social Impact with an interest in developing effective tri-sector leadership. She has run her own consulting practice, Burr Consulting since 1998 and is a Senior Consultant with AIM WA+UWA Executive Education. She is also a Faculty Member of MIT Sloan Executive Education Programs.

Dr Renu Burr has been involved with Executive Development Programs for the C-Suite since 1987. She has designed and delivered executive development programs and facilitation of strategic planning workshops for the Department of Health since 2013. She has also been involved in the design and delivery of numerous leadership programs for large public sector organisations including the Australian Taxation Office, Department of Housing, Department of Premier & Cabinet, Sime Darby Executive Program (Malaysia); the Chinese National Overseas Oil Corporation (China) and the United Nations. Private sector clients include Alcoa, BHP, CBH and Rio Tinto, Renu has also held executive and senior leadership roles in the Australian Taxation Office, UWA Business School and the RAC (WA).

### Madelaine Fisher

Madelaine is a dynamic and purpose driven leader and facilitator whose experience in leadership, governance and engagement stems from 11+ years consulting to boards, leaders and teams in Not-for-profit, for purpose and commercial organisations. Madelaine has a deep understanding of the issues facing Indigenous run organisations and how shifts in governance and engagement strategies can have meaningful impact in achieving positive outcomes.

Madelaine's qualifications and training include a Bachelor of Laws from Bond University as well as Graduate Diploma of Practical Legal Training, Accredited in the Facilitating Transformation through Values: Self Program, Barrett's Culture Assessment Program, studies in Diploma in Positive Psychology and Wellbeing, and Governance for Not for Profits, AICD. Mads is also a 250+ hour registered Yoga Teacher and Meditation and Mindfulness Teacher and experienced in teaching personal leadership tools that create ripple effects in businesses and communities.

Mads is the owner of governance and leadership consulting firm Myu Consulting, sister business Myu Retreats and current Independent Director of Ngarlawangga Decision Making Committee. Mads is currently enrolled to commence the Graduate Certificate of Social Impact at University of Western Australia making her way to MBA.