

BIOGRAPHY

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Married to Janine with three married daughters, three sons-in-law, one adorable 18 month old granddaughter and a grandchild expected in November.

BACKGROUND

My career spans a diverse breadth of commercial and business experience which has enticed me to challenge my thinking to deliver substantial change management and performance benchmarked outcomes across a range of industries.

My skills are directed to business and people performance. I have a passion for people, and possess the skills and experience to enhance opportunities within organisations. Identifying the core framework of strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats to grow and strengthen an organisation's effectiveness, competitiveness, purpose, financial viability and sustainability is what I do.

I am a keen and successful negotiator and have had the privilege of working with a wide range of people from diverse backgrounds and across a broad range of industries and organisations.

I have a particular ethos that enables me to think broadly, taking into account the economic landscape, both nationally and globally, to maintain a competitive edge.

My long serving background in Banking and Finance provides me with insight into the difference between success and failure and pushing the right buttons and pulling the right levers and triggers to lead and manage effectively.

CAREER OVERVIEW

- 34 years with National Australia Bank with 26 years in Senior and Executive Management.
- CEO of Moore Stephens (Qld) Limited (MSQ), a large mid tier accounting and financial services company now integrated with Crowe Horwath.
- Sole Director of Kippinvest Pty Ltd – my private consulting business assisting, supporting and mentoring business and providing directional insight
- CEO of Townsville Enterprise Limited –developing, marketing and enhancing the economic prosperity, sustainability and liveability of Townsville and North Queensland.
- Currently Chief Executive at Jobtrain, a long serving Registered Training Organisation (RTO) specialising in preparing people for employment in Business and Community Services.

Recreation

I enjoy regular exercise and healthy living, golf, boating and fishing.