



WALL MEDIA



Andrew Buchanan

MC/Facilitator/Motivator/Trainer

Andrew Buchanan has more than 25 years experience in broadcast programming, operations and management, including leadership of the Australian Broadcasting Corporation's 58 station radio network as General Manager Local Radio and administration of the ABC's International Development department with training consultants in Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia and South Africa. He has special expertise in staff motivation and facilitating corporate change.

1992-97 Management of the output and operation of the ABC's 58 local radio stations throughout Australia, including nine metropolitan and 49 regional stations, Rural specialist broadcasting and 'Australia All Over'.

Leadership of 500 decentralised staff around Australia and a budget of \$40 million.

Initiated joint venture with Charles Sturt University providing indigenous undergraduates with specialist broadcasting training as part of a cultural heritage studies course. Also:

- Australian Rural Woman of the Year Award
- The Royal Flying Doctor Service Appeal
- Australian Open Garden Scheme
- Open Farm Scheme
- Multi-Cultural Fairs
- Regional Development Awards
- National Shine on Disability Awards.

Represented the ABC as an official spokesperson at functions, conferences and in the media. This included opening high profile agricultural events, presenting papers on behalf of the ABC Chair and Managing Director, representing the ABC at the Senate Estimates Committee and speaking annually at the National Press Club.

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Member of

Australian Institute of Company Directors
Australian Institute of Management
International Institute of Communications

Board Directorships (Past and present)

Chair of NSW Disability Council
NSW Health Clinical Ethics Advisory Panel
NSW Health Priority Taskforce (Centre for Mental Health)
NSW Attorney General's Department Disability Advisory Council
NSW Office of the Protective Commissioner & Office of the Public Guardian
Chair of Sydney Committee Australian Open Garden Scheme
National Board Member of Australian Open Garden Scheme
Chair of Best Buddies Australia

Awards:

Public Service Medal in the 1995 Australian Day Honours for services to communication, regional and rural communities.

Andrew is married to Kate, a passionate Queenslander and physiotherapist. They have two daughters, Georgia & Meg, both of whom are university graduates in the fields of physiotherapy and commerce respectively.

Clients include: Qantas, Lend lease, The Australia Council, Eraring Energy, Delta Electricity, Ambulance Service of NSW, Musica Viva, ACMA, AFTRS, Centerlink, Great Southern Pacific Express, Cosway, Group Training Australia, McCarthy Management, Citibank, House with No Steps, NSW Disability Council, Spastic Centre of NSW, Wotif.com, NSW Lands Dept, NSW DADHC, WA Sport and Recreation Dept, NSW Health Department, Australian Sports Commission.

Contact:

Andrew is a keenly sought-after keynote speaker at seminars and conferences throughout Australia. Find out why...contact Peter Wall at Wall Media on 0408489057