

Sarah Richardson Consulting Pty Ltd

Sarah Richardson appointed Board Director of Workability November 2009

At the November 2009 Board Meeting of Workability Sarah Richardson was appointed a Board Director. Workability is a charitable organisation supporting people with disabilities, mental health problems and those marginalised within the community. Utilising a unique 'whole of life' approach we provide comprehensive vocational and personal development programs assisting individuals to achieve greater independence, community participation and life satisfaction.

Our organisation respects diversity among peoples and cultures, and is committed to meeting the Disability Service Standards and National Standards for Mental Health Services. Workability is accredited by International Standards Certification Pty Ltd.

Since 1988 Workability has assisted over 3500 people into sustainable employment, collaborating with 780 employers across the Perth and Peel regions. We receive funds from the Department of Education, Employment & Workplace Relations, the State Government Disability Services Commission, the Department of Education and Training, the Department of the Attorney General Western Australia and LotteryWest.

Sarah Richardson brings to the Workability Board 24 years of corporate experience in large multinational companies and the SME sector along with understanding and experience in the Not for Profit area through management of CSR programs at Kellogg's, involvement at Rotary and collaboration with Princess Margaret Hospital on behalf of Rotary. She is also an active volunteer with Meals on Wheels in Perth.

Sarah has also been responsible for organising several large fundraising events and multiple small fundraisers from program concept development through to full event review.

She spent 18 years in senior marketing, sales and general management positions in several branded consumer and B2b organisations in the United States, Europe and Australia prior to establishing her management consultancy six years ago on relocation to Perth.

Sarah holds a BA, BCA and MBA (Hons) and is Director of her own company, Sarah Richardson Consulting Pty Ltd. She is a member of Australian Institute of Company Directors (GAICD), Australian Marketing Institute (Associate Fellow, CPM), Women on Boards and University of Chicago Alumni Association (Chair, Perth Branch).

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