

# 2024 Australia Day Honours

## UNSW ALUMNI

### OFFICER OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA (AO) GENERAL DIVISION

**Conjoint Associate Professor Sally McCarthy**

For distinguished service to emergency medicine, and to professional associations through leadership roles.

**Dr Lindy Lee**

For distinguished service to contemporary visual arts as a sculptor and painter, and to arts administration through leadership roles.

**Emeritus Professor Peter Francis McDonald AM**

For distinguished service to demographic research, to policy development, and to professional associations.

**Professor Ian Bernard Hickie AM**

For distinguished service to psychiatric research and reforms as an advocate for improved mental health care and awareness.

### MEMBER (AM) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

**Air Commodore Gretchen Elizabeth Fryar**

For exceptional service in Personnel Management and International Engagement for the Australian Defence Force.

**Brigadier David Charles Hafner CSC**

For exceptional service in the field of Army Aviation operations and capability management.

**Commodore Peter James Leavy CSM RAN**

For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force in senior command positions.

**Major General Jason Kyle Walk**

For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force in strategic logistics, operations support and sustainment.

**Rear Admiral Matthew Paul Buckley CSC RAN**

For exceptional service in senior leadership roles within the Royal Australian Navy.

**Group Captain David John Clyde CSM**

For exceptional service in development and realisation of cyberspace capabilities for the Royal Australian Air Force.

**Group Captain Hannah Louise Jude-Smith**

For exceptional service in intelligence capability development, strategic planning and international relations for the Australian Defence Force.

**Mr Benedict George Maguire**

For significant service to veteran rehabilitation and support, and to the community.

**Mr Robert Bernard French**

For significant service to the LGBTIQ+ community, and to history preservation.

**Emeritus Professor Carolyn Louise Geczy**

For significant service to immunology and vascular biology as a researcher and academic.

**Mr Ronald David Ferster**

For significant service to the community through a range of organisations.

**Mrs Lenore Elizabeth Robertson**

For significant service to the community, and to the arts.

**Mr Richard Charles Potok**

For significant service to the Indigenous community, to education, and to the law.

**Emerita Professor Lesley Patricia Hitchens**

For significant service to tertiary education, and to the law.

**Ms Jane Anne Sanders**

For significant service to the law, particularly youth justice.

**Professor Kelvin Matthew Kong**

For significant service to medicine as an Otolaryngologist, and to Indigenous health.

**Dr Roger Owen Gurr**

For significant service to mental health research and initiatives, and to the community.

**Clinical Associate Professor Matthew Chu**

For significant service to emergency medicine, and to professional associations.

**Professor Steven Faux**

For significant service to rehabilitation medicine, and to medical research.

**Dr Evelyn Johanna Hovenga**

For significant service to medicine through health informatics, and digital transformation.

**Emeritus Professor Dudley Cecil Creagh**

For significant service to science, and to tertiary education.

**MEDAL OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA (OAM)**

**Mr Nicholas Maksymow**

For service to the Russian community of Sydney.



**Ms Kate Munro**

For service to youth through social welfare organisations.

**Mr John Younie Tulloch**

For service to oenology.

**Dr Sabrin Farooqui**

For service to the community, and to multicultural affairs.

**Mr Michael Bernard Fay**

For service to international relations, and to education.

**Dr Amanda White**

For service to tertiary education.

**Mr Eddie Chung**

For service to the community through social welfare organisations, and to business.

**Mr Anthony Kwong Ming Pang**

For service to the community through a range of roles.

**Mr Gary Mark Inberg**

For service to the Jewish community of New South Wales, and to business.

**Dr Ronald Barry Hacker**

For service to primary industry, and conservation.

**Ms Anne Rochelle Doherty**

For service to medical administration, and to the community.

**Dr Suzanne Margaret Harrison**

For service to rural medicine.

**Dr Benjamin James Field**

For service to osteopathy.

**Ms Adele Marie Schonhardt**

For service to the arts.

**CONSPICUOUS SERVICE CROSS (CSC)**

**Lieutenant Colonel Benjamin Lytton Watson**

For outstanding achievement as an Operational Planner for the Indo-Pacific Integrated Operations Team and lead planner in Headquarters Joint Operations Command for developing an Australian Defence Force operational contingency plan.

**Colonel John Angus Dougall**

For outstanding achievement as the Director Business Intelligence, Army Headquarters.

**Commodore Gustaaf Henri Nord-Thomson RAN**

For outstanding devotion to duty as a senior leader within Australia's Collins-class submarine program.



**Group Captain Daniel Christopher Drinan**

For outstanding achievement as the Director Select Strategic Issues Management in Australian Defence Force Headquarters, managing the Defence response to enterprise-wide serious and sensitive issues.

**Lieutenant Colonel David James Evans**

For outstanding devotion to duty on Operation MAZURKA as the Commander Australian Contingent and Force Operations Team Commander in the Multinational Force and Observers Headquarters, South Camp, Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt from October 2021 to October 2022.

**Brigadier Mark Norman Armstrong**

For outstanding achievement as Commander Joint Task Group 629.3 on Operation FLOOD ASSIST 2022 from April 2022 to December 2022.

**Commander Nathan Wyllie Lockhart RAN**

For outstanding achievement in the field of Navy Communications and Information Warfare.

**Lieutenant Colonel Alana Burkitt**

For outstanding achievement as an Australian Defence Force Officer while seconded to the Office of National Intelligence's Joint Analysis Team.

**Squadron Leader Malith Jayasinghe**

For outstanding achievement in Cyber Security and Information and Communications Technology Management for the Royal Australian Air Force.

**Air Commodore Scott Matthew Parry AM**

For outstanding achievement in strategic air mobility sustainment as the Officer Commanding Heavy Air Lift Systems Program Office.

**Wing Commander Brett Andrew Clarke**

For outstanding achievement in international engagement in the multi-national Five Power Defence Arrangements forum through development and advancement of Communications Information Systems.

**Wing Commander Andrew Michael Jackson OAM**

For outstanding achievement during the introduction into service of the F-35A Lightning II.

**Lieutenant Colonel Jonathan David Pollard**

For outstanding achievement as Staff Officer Grade One 12th Chief Engineer Works Capability Implementation Team and Commanding Officer 12th Chief Engineer Works.

**Colonel Michael James King**

For outstanding devotion to duty as the Commanding Officer of 7th Combat Signal Regiment.

**Wing Commander David Norman Bell**

For outstanding achievement in introducing the F-35A Lightning II into operational service for the Australian Defence Force.

**CONSPICUOUS SERVICE MEDAL (CSM)**

**Squadron Leader Melissa Jane Vreugdenburg**

For meritorious achievement in the development and progression of collaborative Space Control capabilities for the Australian Defence Force.



**Lieutenant Colonel Meng Wang**

For meritorious achievement as the Staff Officer Grade One Rotary Wing Development, Headquarters Aviation Command.

**Lieutenant Commander Michael Copland RAN**

For devotion to duty in developing and delivering intelligence to the Headquarters United States Indo-Pacific Command and the Intelligence Enterprise of Australia, United Kingdom, Canada, New Zealand and the United States of America.

**Major Sally Williamson**

For meritorious achievement as the Staff Officer Grade Two Training Transformation, Headquarters Army Logistic Training Centre.

**Lieutenant Commander Simon Craig Abley RAN**

For meritorious achievement as the Commanding Officer of the Maritime Deployable Robotic and Autonomous Systems Experimentation Unit.

**Captain Roger Fonhof RAN**

For devotion to duty to the Royal Australian Navy in the field of workforce development and personnel management.

**Commander Peter Dennis Shirley RAN**

For meritorious achievement in the field of Navy combat system engineering.

**Captain Jackson Harris Cail**

For meritorious achievement as the Construction Officer and Infrastructure Program Manager, Defence Cooperation Program, Papua New Guinea.

**Warrant Officer Steven Alexander Mcconnachie**

For devotion to duty as the Warrant Officer Electronics Technician Weapons in Fleet Command.

**Colonel Alison Kim Kaine**

For meritorious achievement in the field of sensitive and strategic personnel case management in the Australian Army.

**PUBLIC SERVICE MEDAL (PSM)**

**Ms Sally-Anne Vincent**

For outstanding public service in contributing to the safety of Australians, security of missions and protection of bilateral relationships through difficult environments and overseas crises.

**Ms Rosemary Anne Burke**

For outstanding public service in the implementation and running of the COVID-19 vaccination program and Special Health Accommodation pharmacy support for the NSW Department of Health.

**Ms Christine Howlett**

For outstanding public service in preventing social harm and exceptional contribution to public sector integrity.

**Ms Emma Tan**

For outstanding public service to healthcare, in particular, the delivery of COVID-19 related services.



**Dr Peter John Aitken**

For outstanding public service during COVID-19 to Queensland's emergency health response and to the field of disaster management.

**Dr Robyn Ann Lawrence**

For outstanding public service through substantial contributions to Western Australia's response to COVID-19.

