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 LGBTIQA+ 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 Wylie 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.