



## Allison Lesley Ashby

Director – Sharala Pty Ltd trading as Ashby Magro Consulting

Allison has significant experience across the not-for-profit and commercial sectors, with a particular emphasis on finance and audit. In addition, she possesses valuable skills in human resource consulting and organisational reviews. Allison is a member of the Uniting Church Investment Committee and a Director of the Uniting Church of South Australia Investment Fund Limited. Previously she has served of the boards of Adelaide Entertainment Corporation, North Western Adelaide Health Service, Land Management Corporation (Renewal SA) and was Deputy Chair of Lincoln College and Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee.

## Education

- BA (Hons) University of NSW, 1976
- University of Sydney Graduate School of Business, Graduate Diploma Course Australian Institute of Company Directors, 1996
- Masters of Commerce, University of NSW, 6 of 12 subjects completed. Discontinued due to my move to Adelaide
- Fellow Australia Institute of Company Directors

## Experience

May 2015 – Present

### Sharala Pty Ltd trading as Ashby Magro Consulting

Director

Executive recruitment Assignments for a diverse range of clients including Listed companies, Private companies, Not for Profit sector and Local Government Sector.

HR Consulting assignments including organisational reviews, culture surveys, performance reviews and salary benchmarking exercises.

July 2001 – April 2015

### AME Recruitment

Founder

Management of a business that grew to turnover of over \$3 million per annum.

Executive Recruitment assignments within Commercial, Not for Profit and Local Government sectors.

Leadership of a team of up to 13 people.

Business Development.

October 1995 – June 2001

### Rowan Ashby Consulting

Managing Director

Management of the business and business development..

Executive Recruitment assignments within Commercial, Not for Profit and Local and State Government sectors.

Leadership of a team of up to 5 consultants and 3 administration people.

April 1986 – September 1995

**Hays Personnel (previously Accountancy Placements Pty Ltd)**

Associate Director (rising from Consultant)

Establishment of the Adelaide Office.

Management of the SA and WA businesses and the Professional Practice Division nationally.

One of 3 Directors responsible for establishing operational strategies for the business Australia wide for each of its operating units.

National Quality Manager responsible for the implementation of AS 9001 into the 12 offices of the Group.

## Board Positions

September 2011 – Present (UCIC)

September 2017 – Present (UCSAIF Limited)

**UCIC and UCSAIF Limited**

Member, UC Invest Board/Uniting Church Investment Committee (UCIC), and Director, Uniting Church of South Australia Investment Fund Limited (UCSAIF Limited)

UC Invest is the trading name of Uniting Church SA Investment Fund Limited which holds an Australian Financial Services License.

We provide a range of investment products and services to Uniting Church members, congregations, church agencies and people in the wider community who wish to support the Church's work.

Products include 31 Day Notice Accounts, Fixed Term Investment Accounts which are offered to both retail and wholesale clients with a connection to the Uniting Church and also the provision of Loans to Church communities to advance their plans.

January 2010 – December 2016

**Lincoln College**

Deputy Chair and Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee

Lincoln College is a residential college for University students located in North Adelaide. Its capacity is 220 residents.

January 2000 – December 2003

**Land Management Corporation (now Renewal SA)**

Member of the Board, Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee

The Land Management Corporation was responsible for major developments including Seaford, Mawson Lakes and the Port Adelaide redevelopment.

April 1997 – March 2003

**North Western Adelaide Health Service**

Member of the Board and Deputy Chair, Finance and Audit Committee

The North Western Adelaide Health Service was the Queen Elizabeth Hospital and the Lyell McEwin Hospital.

January 2001 – December 2003

**Adelaide Entertainment Corporation**

Director

Member of the Board.