



Congratulations to Queen's Birthday Honour Recipients

Dear Member

Live Performance Australia (LPA) congratulates all our Members and performing arts industry colleagues who were recognised in the 2019 Queen's Birthday honours for their outstanding achievements and contribution to the live performance industry.

In particular, LPA would like to congratulate:

- former LPA Vice-President, Life Member, former Chair of both the Helpmann Awards Administration Committee and the Helpmann Awards Working Team and former Head of the Industry Panel, **Ross Cunningham AM**
- Life Member and current Helpmann Awards Musicals Panel Member, **Kelvin McWhinnie OAM**
- current Artistic Director of LPA Member company Queensland Ballet, **Li Cunxin AO**
- current Chair of LPA Member company Black Swan Theatre Company, **Nicola Forrest AO**
- current Artistic Associate and Principal Coach of LPA Member company The Australian Ballet, **Fiona Tonkin OAM**
- current Board Member of LPA Member company National Institute of Dramatic Art, **Sigrid Thornton AO**
- current Chair of the Australian Broadcasting Corporation, **Ita Buttrose AC AO OBE**
- Helpmann Award winner, **Meryl Tankard AO**

Members are encouraged to nominate industry colleagues for applause by contacting LPA Director, Policy and Governance, Kim Tran (ktran@liveperformance.com.au). All nominations will be referred to the LPA Honours Committee and the Industry Achievement Awards Committee for further consideration.

Kind regards,

Evelyn Richardson
LPA Chief Executive

COMPANION (AC) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Ms Ita Clare BUTTROSE AO OBE, NSW

For eminent service to the community through leadership in the media, the arts, and the health sector, and as a role model.

Mr Hugh Michael JACKMAN, NSW

For eminent service to the performing arts as an acclaimed actor and performer, and to the global community, particularly as an advocate for poverty eradication.

OFFICER (AO) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Ms Penelope June CLIVE, TAS

For distinguished service to the visual arts through philanthropic support for cultural institutions, and to the community of Tasmania.

Mrs Nicola Margaret FORREST, WA

For distinguished service to the community through philanthropic support for education and the arts, to business, and to the community.

Mr Cunxin LI, QLD

For distinguished service to the performing arts, particularly to ballet, as a dancer and artistic director.

Ms Meryl TANKARD, NSW

For distinguished service to the performing arts as a dancer, actor, producer, innovative choreographer and theatre director.

Ms Sigrid Madeline THORNTON, NSW

For distinguished service to the performing arts as a film, television and stage actor, and to professional arts organisations.

MEMBER (AM) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Mr Eric BANA VIC

For significant service to the performing arts, and to charitable organisations.

Mrs Krystyna Linda CAMPBELL-PRETTY, VIC

For significant service to the community through a range of charitable initiatives.

Mr Peter William COUSENS, NSW

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

Mr Ross CUNNINGHAM, NSW

For significant service to arts administration, and to industry recognition.

Ms Margaret Charlotte FISCHER, SA

For significant service to the festival sector, and to the LGBTIQ community.

Emeritus Professor Richard Allen FOTHERINGHAM, QLD

For significant service to higher education, and to the performing arts.

Mr Lionel GELL, VIC

For significant service to the community through philanthropy.

Ms Frances GERARD, SA

For significant service to the hospitality industry, and to the arts.

Mr Harry HOFFMAN OAM, WA

For significant service to the community through charitable organisations

Professor Raymond Warren HOLDEN, United Kingdom

For significant service to the performing arts through music.

Mr Elias JREISSATI, VIC

For significant service to the community through charitable organisations.

Mr David Chong LI, VIC

For significant service to the community through support for the performing arts.

Dr Rosalind McMILLAN, VIC

For significant service to music education in Victoria.

Dr Helen Margaret MOORE, ACT

For significant service to English language education, and to community music.

Ms Helen Penelope MORRIS, VIC

For significant service to the philanthropic sector, and to community health.

Emeritus Professor John Hurlstone POLLARD, NSW

For significant service to community music events, and to education.

Ms Crocifissa Fifa RICCOBONO, NSW

For significant service to the music industry.

Mr Peter Arthur RIX, NSW

For significant service to the music and events industries, and to philanthropy.

Mr Andrew Charles ROSS, WA

For significant service to the performing arts.

Mr Guy Theodore SEBASTIAN, NSW

For significant service to the music recording industry, and to charitable initiatives.

The late Mr Peter John SMEDLEY, VIC

For significant service to the community.

Ms Gabrielle Catherine THOMPSON, NSW

For significant service to the performing arts, particularly to music.

Ms Janine Mary WALKER, QLD

For significant service to education, to community health, and to the media.

Professor Brenda WILSON, SA

For significant service to community health, and to the people of South Australia through a range of roles.

MEDAL (OAM) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Dr Bahia ABOU-HAMAD, NSW

For service to multicultural affairs, and to the arts.

Mrs Margaret Joyce BAKER-DAWBER, VIC

For service to the performing arts.

Mrs Doreen Edna BRYARS, NSW

For service to the performing arts, particularly as a musical director.

Dr Leonard John BURTENSHAW, NSW

For service to music education.

Mr David Joseph CAMPBELL, NSW

For service to entertainment and the arts.

Mr Bernard James CARNEY, WA

For service to music.

Mrs Margot Joy CORY-WALL, VIC

For service to the performing arts, particularly to opera.

Mrs Janice Margaret CURRIE-HENDERSON NSW

For service to Irish dancing.

Mr Frank De ROSSO, VIC

For service to music.

Mr Leslie Charles DEMPSEY, NSW

For service to entertainment and the arts.

Mrs Shirley-Anne GALE SA

For service to music.

Mrs Eleanore GOODRIDGE, NSW

For service to the community through charitable initiatives.

Mr Roland Errol GRIDIGER, NSW

For service to the performing arts through administrative roles.

Mr Darren Stanley HAYES

For service to music as a songwriter and performer.

Mr Kevin George HEIN, SA

For service to the performing arts, and to the community of Mount Gambier.

Ms Neroli Ann HOBBS, NSW

For service to the performing arts through administrative roles.

Mr Ian John JAMES, VIC

For service to music publishing and rights.

Ms Toni Louise LALICH, VIC

For service to the performing arts, particularly music.

Mrs Margot Elizabeth LAMPKIN, TAS

For service to choral music.

Mrs Denise LAWRENCE, NSW

For service to music education.

Mr Kelvin McWHINNIE, NSW

For service to the live entertainment industry.

Mr Donald Alexander MAYES, NSW

For service to community music.

Ms Sally MELHUISE, ACT

For service to baroque music.

Mr Eric MITCHELL, TAS

For service to music education.

Ms Vasiliki NIHAS-BOGIATZIS, ACT

For service to the arts and cultural heritage.

Dr Robert Stevenson (Steven) NISBET, QLD

For service to the community through music, and to education.

Mrs Kathleen Joy PETERS, QLD

For service to the entertainment industry on the Gold Coast.

Mrs Jayshree RAMACHANDRAN, VIC

For service to the performing arts through Indian music and dance.

Mr David Richard REEVES, NSW

For service to the performing arts, particularly through music composition.

Ms Yvonne REPIN, NSW

For service to music.

Dr Ronald Edwin SMART PSM, NSW

For service to music, and to the international community of Sierra Leone.

Mrs Sheryl Joycelyn SOUTHWOOD, NSW

For service to music through a range of organisations.

Mr Frank Anthony STIVALA, VIC

For service to the music industry.

Mr Graeme Alexander WALL, VIC

For service to the performing arts, particularly to opera.

Ms Ellen Margaret WAUGH, NSW

For service to community history, and to arts education.

HONORARY MEDAL (OAM) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Ms Fiona Christine TONKIN, VIC

For service to the performing arts, particularly to ballet.



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