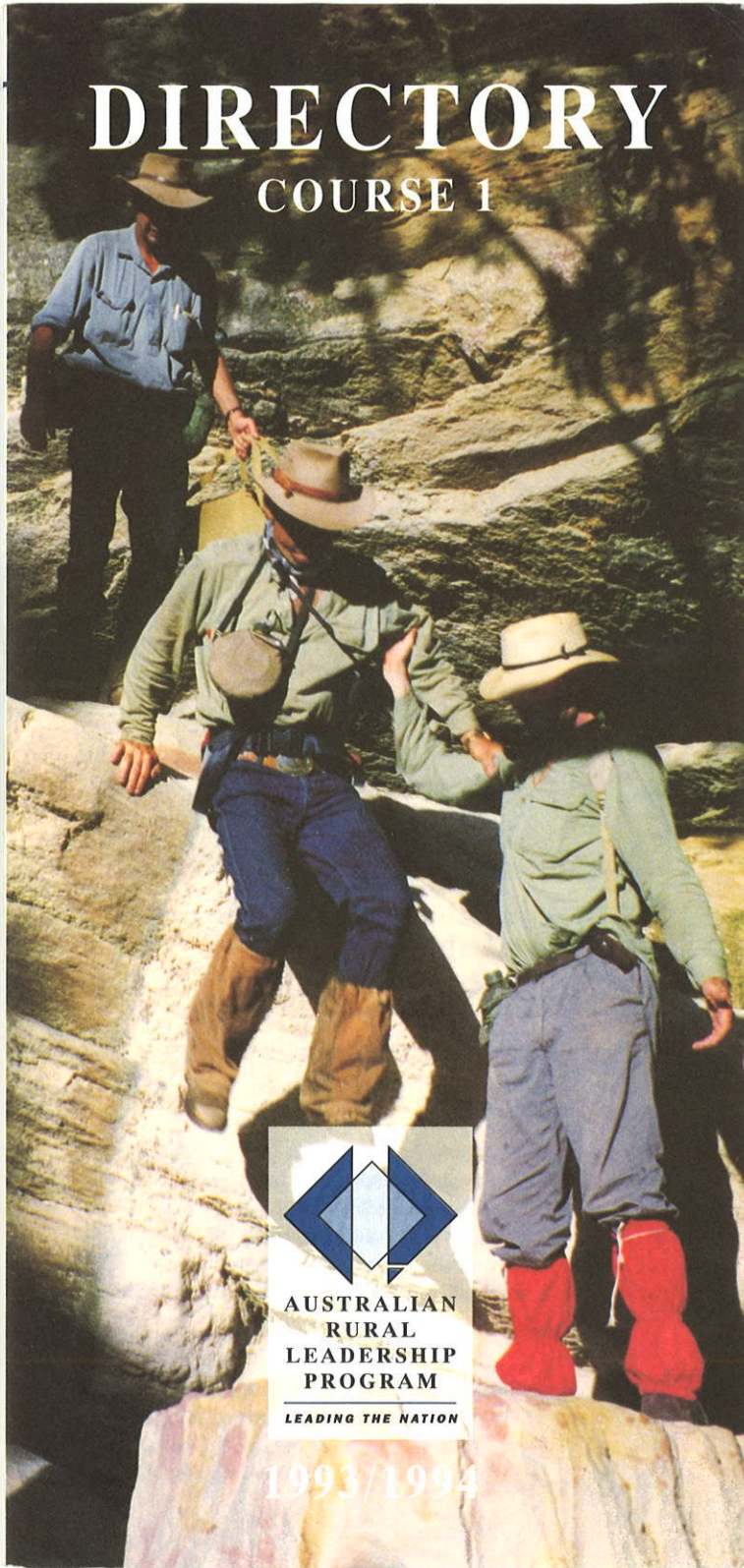


# DIRECTORY

## COURSE 1



AUSTRALIAN  
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LEADERSHIP  
PROGRAM

*LEADING THE NATION*

1993/1994



## **THE AUSTRALIAN RURAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM**

This is a Directory of the participants on the inaugural course of the Australian Rural Leadership Program, conducted over the period April 1993 to September 1994.

These men and women from agriculture, fishing, rural communities and agri business have been selected for development through exposure to a wide range of encounters with national and international issues. They are doing this over some 56 days in eight sessions at various locations within Australia and overseas. The emphasis is on exposure to real-life issues and to key leaders in government, business and the community.

These future leaders will share a vision and possess the strategic alliances necessary to create stronger links and greater synergy between the rural commodities, the rural industries and the rest of the community.



**PAUL BROWN**

Age 38  
Kangaroo Island, South Australia.  
Paul is a wool grower and stud merino breeder. He is active in community and Wool Industry affairs, and the South Australian Farmers' Federation.

**SARAH CROOKE**

Age 42  
Wodonga, Victoria.  
Sarah is a dairy farmer (Churchill Fellow in 1991). She is active in the United Dairy Farmers of Victoria. Sarah has a Diploma of Medical Technology.

**WESLEY HAZELL**

Age 30  
Judbury, Tasmania.  
Wesley grows wool, fruit, beef cattle and essential oils, and conducts construction and quarrying activities. He is a Councillor of the Royal Agricultural Society of Tasmania and is active in industry committees.

**ALLAN BURGESS**

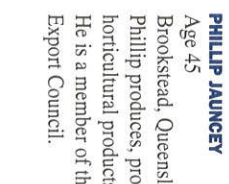
Age 44  
Tallygaroopna, Victoria.  
Allan is a dairy farmer. He is a regional director of Bonlac Foods Ltd, and a councillor of the United Dairyfarmers of Victoria and of the Australian Dairy Farmers' Federation. Allan has a Graduate Diploma in Agribusiness

**JOHN ELLIOTT**

Age 44  
Nedlands, Western Australia.  
John is a Viticulturist and Oenologist with the Department of Agriculture, Western Australia, providing advice for the wine industry. He has Bachelors of Science (Agriculture) and Applied Science (Oenology).

**PHILLIP EVANS**

Age 36  
Bairnsdale, Victoria.  
Phillip is a dairy farmer. He is Vice President of the United Dairyfarmers of Victoria and is active in Research and Extension, and Land Use issues. Phillip has a Bachelor of Science (Honours) and is undertaking a PhD.

**PHILLIP JAUNCEY**

Age 45  
Brookstead, Queensland.  
Phillip produces, processes and markets horticultural products (broccoli and sweet corn). He is a member of the Queensland Horticultural Export Council.

**KATE JONES**

Age 36  
Wagga Wagga, New South Wales.  
Kate is Regional Art Development Officer, Eastern Riverina Arts Program. She has a Bachelor of Education and an Associate Diploma of Agriculture.

**SANDY CAMERON**

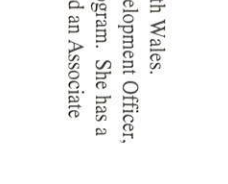
Age 27  
Ballarat, Victoria.  
Sandy is a commercial financial analyst with the National Australia Bank. He is active in productivity based groups, and is a member of the Australian Institute of Bankers. Sandy has a Diploma in Farm Business Management

**PHILLIP GARDNER**

Age 42  
Kunnunurra, Western Australia.  
George grows bananas and provides agricultural consulting services. He has a Bachelor of Science and a PhD. George is Chairman of the Ord River District Co-operative.

**JAMES KERR**

Age 32  
Dubbo, New South Wales.  
James grows wool and beef cattle. He is active in Wool Industry affairs and the New South Wales Farmers' Association. James was an Agricultural Exchange Trainee to Canada in 1981.

**LLOYD LANGHAM**

Age 36  
Riana, Tasmania.  
Lloyd is a potato grower and dairy farmer. He is Executive Member of Edgell/Birdseye Seed Potato Growers' Association and is active in the Tasmanian Farmers' and Graziers' Association.

**FRANK COVER**

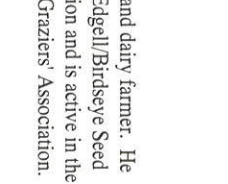
Age 41  
Meandarra, Queensland.  
Frank grows grain and beef cattle. He is a director of Grainco and the Queensland Graingrowers' Association.

**LYNETT GRIFFITHS**

Age 41  
Kyabram, Victoria.  
Lynett is a dairy farmer (Churchill Fellow in 1992). She is active in Rural Education, Women in Agriculture and the United Dairyfarmers of Victoria. She has Diplomas of Business and Dairy Farm Management.

**MICHAEL LOGAN**

Age 32  
Narrabri, New South Wales.  
Mike grows cotton, grain and beef cattle. He is a Member of the Australian Institute of Management, Chairman of the Upper Namoi Cotton Growers' Association and Chairman of the Upper Namoi Water Users' Association.

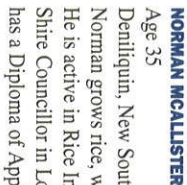
**IAN CRAFTER**

Age 37  
Horsham, Victoria.  
Ian designs, manufactures and markets Alex Stockyards, and grows grain and wool. He is active in the Australian Junior Chamber. Ian has an Associate Diploma of Farm Management.



**ROBYN LOYDELL**

Age 31  
 Curtin, Australian Capital Territory.  
 Robyn is National Director, Forest Protection Society. She develops community programs, activities and public awareness to facilitate forestry activities.

**NORMAN MCALLISTER**

Age 35  
 Deniliquin, New South Wales.  
 Norman grows rice, wheat, barley and canola. He is active in Rice Industry affairs and is a Shire Councillor in Local Government. Norman has a Diploma of Applied Science.

**ALEX MORRISON**

Age 44  
 Albany, Western Australia.  
 Alex grows, processes and markets carpet wool. He is President of the Australian Carpet Wool Council, and a member of the Wool Industry Council. Alex has a Bachelor of Arts and a Masters of Social Science.

**MARTIN NIXON**

Age 34  
 Murrumbidgee, New South Wales.  
 Martin provides agricultural and computing consulting services, and grows beef cattle and grains. He has a Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (Honours) and a Masters of Science in Agricultural Economics.

**LISA PAUL**

Age 29  
 Maryborough, Queensland.  
 Lisa is a Rural Reporter on ABC radio. She is a member of the Australian Institute of Agricultural Science, and the Media, Entertainment and Arts Alliance. Lisa has a Bachelor of Agricultural Science (Honours).

**ROB PATRICK**

Age 44  
 Wodonga, Victoria.  
 Rob is Manager (Catchment and Land Management), Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, North East Victoria. He is active in community advisory and policy groups. Rob has a Bachelor of Arts and a Diploma of Agricultural Science.

**GEORGE REEVES**

Age 48  
 Yarralumla, Australian Capital Territory.  
 George is Assistant Secretary, Wheat Branch, Department of Primary Industries and Energy. He is a Director of Grains Research and Development Corporation. George has a Bachelor of Agricultural Science and a PhD in Agricultural Economics.

**PETER PETERSON**

Age 39  
 Wynn Vale, South Australia.  
 Peter is Executive Director, South Australian Fishing Industry Council. He is the spokesman on environmental matters for the Australian Fishing Industry. Peter has a Bachelor of Arts (Mathematics) and a Graduate Diploma in Administration.

**FRANK SCUDERI**

Age 42  
 Brandon, Queensland.  
 Frank grows sugar cane. He is a Member of the Cane Growers' Council and the Pharmaceutical Society of Queensland. Frank has a Bachelor of Pharmacy.

**HEATHER WADELLE**

Age 35  
 Norwood, South Australia.  
 Heather manages computerised production systems for the Metro Meat Group. She has a Diploma of Applied Science (Agriculture) and is undertaking a Masters in Business Administration. She was an Anzac Fellow in 1984.

**JACK WARNOCK**

Age 45  
 Narrabri, New South Wales.  
 Jack grows cotton, cereals and legumes. He is a Director of Namoi Cotton Co-operative Ltd and the Australian Cotton Foundation. Jack has a Diploma in Agriculture and is a Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.

**MARK WOLMANN**

Age 35  
 Kingaroy, Queensland.  
 Mark is a Director of Kewpie Group of Companies (Pig Industry). He is a member of the Australian Institute of Agricultural Science. Mark has a Bachelor of Agricultural Science (Honours).

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