

A celebration of inspirational women

Femme Profiles



Christine Wowk

**Dealer Principal
Capital Subaru**

The Capital Subaru dealership in Fyshwick is known for providing safe, affordable and peak-performance vehicles from the Subaru range. Dealer principal Christine Wowk makes it her job to ensure that standards are maintained and that each customer is not only satisfied, but also happy with their association with Capital Subaru.

She said her favourite part of the job was the thrill you get when you give someone a new car.

As a career woman within the motor industry, Ms Wowk said aside from being at the 'top of the tree' at Capital Subaru, she is also extremely satisfied and loving her job more and more each day.

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Suzie Hoytink

**Registered nurse, founder
Clear Complexions Clinics**

Registered nurse, Suzie Hoytink's, Clear Complexions Clinics are unique in that they exclusively employ highly skilled nurses to perform treatments. Ms Hoytink's investment in her staff has meant clients are better analysed and more informed, which ensures the client receives the most effective outcome.

Filling the niche between a cosmetic surgeon and a beautician has enabled the clinics to flourish. Ms Hoytink's mission is to increase the self-confidence of each individual they see.

Ms Hoytink says she fronts the clinics TV campaigns to convey a message that says she stands by her products, treatments and staff and is prepared to stake her personal reputation on them.

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Rachel Bird

**Solicitor
Rachel Bird & Co**

Rachel Bird opened her own law firm four years ago as a sole practitioner. Since then, her practice has expanded to nine staff, four of which are professional staff. Ms Bird has also been busy expanding her own family, now being a proud mother of two children both under 3 years of age.

Rachel Bird & Co offers legal advice to clients in areas including; criminal and traffic matters, civil disputes, Wills and estate matters, powers of attorney, family law, and ACT personal injury and workers' compensation. Ms Bird was a finalist in the 2008 Telstra Business Women's Award in the Business Owner category for the ACT.

"We are results driven, down to earth and we listen to our client's needs," she says.

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Dr Jennifer Dunlop M.B.,B.S. FACCS, DPD

**Cosmetic Physician
Capital Cosmetic & Laser Clinic**

The Capital Cosmetic & Laser Clinic is Dr Jennifer Dunlop's greatest achievement to date. With 28 years experience in medicine, Dr Dunlop treats all patients herself and offers professional experience in a discreet environment.

While she believes it's important for people to celebrate their uniqueness, she realises even a small change to an individual's appearance can have a significant effect on their sense of well-being.

"There has to be a fair degree of empathy and intuitive understanding involved in listening to the concerns of the people who come to see me... these are qualities most women doctors employ daily," she says.

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Kylie Murdoch

**Federal Government Business
Development Manager –
Cliftons Canberra**

Following her success in the facility manager role within the Cliftons Canberra Operation, Kylie Murdoch was appointed two years ago to the business development manager position for Cliftons, and more recently to the Federal Government business development manager role.

Kylie's background reflects a considerable customer service ethos and she thoroughly enjoys the challenges this role provides her. For any training facilities requirements of your business, contact Kylie Murdoch at Cliftons. She will be pleased to discuss your needs and offer you a package individually tailored to meet your requirements, ensuring the successful delivery of every aspect of your next training event.

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Kaleigh Blake

**Director
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Kaleigh Blake is the director of Balance Personal Lifestyle Assistant and at Balance they help time poor people to live better lives by completing important everyday tasks at home or in their business.

With endless commitments to work, family and friends, we know sometimes it can be difficult to accomplish everything you set out to do. No matter how large or small, Balance can be relied upon to find the solution for any aspect of your personal or professional life.

The team can help with running errands, relocation, organising events and business services, at home assistance and getting you organised.

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Suzanne Moulis

**Design Engineer
GHD**

Suzanne Moulis has carved a niche as a design manager at GHD, an engineering services firm ranked among Australia's top 50 private companies.

Ms Moulis joined GHD with a view to establishing a landscape practice in its Canberra office. The group has grown from zero to ten staff in 12 months, and is engaged on Canberra's largest construction project since the new Parliament House.

Ms Moulis has also developed a cadet program with the University of Canberra, received a 'future leader' award from the Australian Institute of Landscape Architects (ACT), and was secretary of AILA in 2008.

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Allison Guy-Ritchie

**Managing Director
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Allison Guy-Ritchie is the owner and MD of PCA People, Canberra's oldest and most established professional recruiting firm. Established by her father – Jim Ritchie – in 1983, Ms Guy-Ritchie and her team have carried on the family tradition of providing a professional recruitment service.

A boutique firm, PCA employs 15 staff to manage recruitment services across industries such as; accounting and finance, legal services, government policy and program, administration & Human Resources, scribing services, and marketing and communications. PCA People provides staff that are available for either temporary or permanent employment.

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Dr Sherene Suchy

**Owner
Duo Plus Change Management**

Duo Plus Change Management was launched by Dr. Sherene Suchy in 1991 in Sydney and shifted to Canberra in 2007.

The private practice has provided change management service for over 18 years. Over 1,000 different types of leaders have been coached on the art of managing change through post-graduate programs, projects, workshops, and 1:1 counselling.

The purpose with each client is to uplift, motivate, comfort, heal, and inspire using emotional intelligence to guide change in a nurturing way. Dr Suchy believes it is important to nurture resilience, so leaders can create a context for others to give their best during turbulent times.

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