

Sandy Hollway AO



Chairman of:
Syndicate 64

Chairman Since:
2006

Current Board/Advisory positions:

- Director, IFE international Pty Ltd
- Adjunct Professor, University of Technology, Sydney School of Leisure, Sport and Tourism
- Member Cyclone Larry Recovery Taskforce
- Senior Advisor Sydney-Beijing Olympic Secretariat
- Chairman, Canberra Int'l Arboretum & Gardens
- Advisor, Australian International Sports Events

Experience:

- Major events management and co-ordination expertise
- Management and leadership skills
- Policy development and program design, industry, education, and foreign affairs
- Public relations and community consultations
- International relations and diplomacy
- SME business development
- Export and business development
- Human resource management and staff development
- Extensive international networks across politics and business
- Inter-government relations

Membership:

Australia – India Council
Bonydoon Golf Club
Roslyn Lodge Thredbo

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Brief Summary:

Sandy Hollway AO is highly regarded for his exceptional record of achievement as a CEO in the public sector.

He served as a diplomat in four overseas postings - the USA, Canada, Germany and Pakistan. In government he served as Deputy Secretary for the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet. Later Sandy was Chief of Staff for then Prime Minister Bob Hawke, advising him on foreign affairs, defence, intelligence and security. Prior to 1997, Sandy was head of two Federal Government Departments - Employment, Education, Training and Youth Affairs, and Industry Science and Technology.

Sandy served on the boards of the CSIRO, AIDC [Australian Industry Development Corporation], Austrade, Export Finance Insurance Corporation [EFIC], the Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation [ANSTO], Australian Policy Control and the Trade Policy Advisory Committee.

Sandy is well known for his role as CEO of SOCOG, the Sydney Organising Committee for the Sydney 2000 Olympic Games, where he led over 120,000 people in delivering 'the best Olympics ever'.

Sandy has contributed to a wide range of private and public sector projects ranging from bushfire and cyclone recovery, to the 2006 Melbourne Commonwealth Games, the 2006 Asian Games in Qatar, the 2007 APEC meeting in Sydney and the promotion of Australian business abroad. He is continuing an active involvement with major global events and successfully advised the Beijing Olympics bid. He also retains a strong interest in the community sector and was Chairman of the NSW Committee for the International Year of Volunteers in 2001.

Best advice ever received

*"Respect the task
– go at it with confidence but not complacency"*