

Dr. Paul Makeham

Senior Associate



Expertise:

- Leadership Development
- High Performing Teams
- Experiential Learning
- Cultural Development
- Authentic Communication
- Stakeholder Engagement
- Applied Theatre
- Arts Based Practice
- Coaching and Mentoring
- Transformational Change

Qualifications:

Doctor of Philosophy - "Discourses of Landscape in Contemporary Australian Drama" (University of Newcastle)

BA Honours (1st Class) "Community, Art & Patronage" (University of Newcastle)

For over 30 years, Paul has been dedicated to supporting human development through his work in senior academic leadership and management, research and higher education, and corporate learning and development.

Paul has extensive experience in the design and delivery of courses, workshops and seminars, with a particular focus on Creative Leadership and Authentic Communication.

Prior to joining Performance Frontiers, he led a prolific career at Queensland University of Technology (QUT). Among his varied leadership roles, Paul made significant contributions as Director of Corporate Education (Creative Industries), helping to advance QUT's transdisciplinary strategy for corporate and professional education.

Paul is passionate about enhancing leadership and professional development through applied theatre, and creative forms and techniques. His creative approach is continually energised and renewed through ongoing work across diverse creative projects, as a producer, writer, presenter and performer.

He served on the La Boite Theatre Company Board for eight years, including four years as Chair, and he remains an Adjunct Professor in the School of Creative Practice at QUT.