Sutherland Shire Business Chamber Election of the Board, 2019

Please mark this ballot and return in a sealed envelope to

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Or directly to

Kathryn Fantov

Sutherland Shire Business Chamber

Level 4/29 Kiora Rd,

Miranda NSW 2228

Ballots must be received by

Midday on 20th August 2019 to be included in the tabulation of votes.

This is the ballot for the election of the Board of Directors that will serve the Sutherland Shire Business Chamber (SSBC) for the year 2019-2020.

Important: If you have a company membership, only one person from your company can vote.

YOU MUST BE A CURRENT SUTHERLAND SHIRE BUSINESS CHAMBER MEMBER TO CAST YOUR VOTE(s).

Your Information

Name	
Company	
E-mail Address	
Mobile Phone	

PLEASE REVIEW THE CANDIDATE STATEMENTS BEFORE CASTING YOUR VOTE(S).

Nicole Aghabi – Elocin Legal



Nicole Aghabi is the owner and Principal Solicitor of local law firms Elocin Legal and Sydney Surrogacy Lawyers.

She is highly educated with a Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Laws and Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice. Currently, she is undertaking a Master of

Laws (Applied Law) with a single major in Property Law due for completion early 2020, upon which she will re-commence the same Master, with a double major in Wills & Estates and Estate Planning.

Raised and educated in the Sutherland Shire, Nicole knows the area well and is committed to enriching the lives of fellow residents.

Imelda Bergin - Doltone House Sylvania



Imelda has an extensive background in producing corporate events - from large scale conferences at some of Sydney's most iconic venues to intimate boardroom meetings and everything in between. Clients have included some of the world's top corporate organisations and Australia's leading family business enterprises. Imelda was the State Manager of Family Business

Australia for five years and is a passionate advocate for that sector. Her current role of Senior Regional Account Manager for family owned and operated Doltone House where she is primarily focused on ensuring that the Sylvania venue meets the needs of the region's growing corporate sector.

Brad Conyers – Espressonet



Brad started in building and construction industry completing an electrical apprenticeship backed by an associated diploma in Electrical Engineering and a Masters degree in Business and Technology. Whilst working at Nokia he further developed his skills and certifications in program and account management.

Brad has contributed to the build of hundreds of mobile phone sites and telephone exchanges. He has consulted to Carriers and major Telco service organisations about significant operational and transformational programs

Brad operates his business "Espressonet" from Miranda and has been part of the local BNI chapter leadership team consistently for over 2 years.

Joel Curtis - Endeavour Wellness

Joel is the owner and Principal Psychologist of Endeavour Wellness and holds a Masters' Degree in Sport Psychology. He has been running his business in the Sutherland Shire since 2009.

Joel is passionate about supporting people in their life and business. He is involved in several local networking groups and has a strong focus in building connections with Shire business.

As a committee member Joel would love the opportunity to become more involved. He is excited about the opportunity to help increase chamber membership and help people find the connections they need from within the local business community.

Paul English - BNI NSW South



Paul has a wealth of experience as a communication specialist and multimedia producer. Paul was a radio journalist/ presenter in Switzerland before moving to the International Red Cross in Geneva as head of marketing and multimedia production before starting his own marketing and communication agency. Paul currently runs his video production company specialising

in business storytelling and is the Executive Director of BNI NSW South, a referral networking group covering the Sutherland Shire, Illawarra, Shoalhaven and Southern Highlands

Paul is a board member of Home Modification Solutions and President of 'Life Stories Australia', an Australian-wide association of life story professionals.

Kirsty Fox - Spitfire Accounting Solutions



Passionate about helping tradies streamline their businesses and stress less about their admin and tax, I started my accounting practice in 2005 and am a chartered accountant and registered tax agent. Also married to a self-employed tradie, I understand what it's like to build and run a business. I am the Treasurer for the Gymea Chamber of Commerce, and love to travel (and chocolate, who

doesn't love chocolate!).

Hima Gupta – 3E Accounting Solutions



Hima Gupta is a Member of Chartered Accountants of Australia and New Zealand since 2010. Hima has working experience in Accounting industry of over 19 years. Hima is working currently in capacity of Director of 3E Accounting Solutions since 2016 and specialise in providing consulting to small and medium businesses in tax and accounting matters. Hima is a current

Board member of the Sutherland Shire Business Chamber and has served as Treasurer with the Menai and Sutherland Shire Business Chamber since 2016 till the merger with the SSBC. Hima is a Justice of the Peace NSW, as well as an avid Toastmaster.

Mark Hooper - SalesXL

Mark is the founder of SalesXL and has over 30 years experience working in Sales and Marketing roles within a wide variety of local and multinational Organisations.

For the past 20 years he has worked as a Consultant Specialising in Sales Performance Improvement Programs and Marketing Strategies.

Mark has been involved in the local chamber movement for the past 8 years and has been on the committee for Miranda and Districts Chamber of Commerce and was a key player in setting up Sutherland Shire Business Chamber on which he is currently the Secretary.

Brendan Lucas – Hopscotch Accounting

Brendan is a Chartered Accountant with 13+ years of experience and Director of Hopscotch Accounting, an award-winning Accounting firm based in Sutherland.

As the inaugural Treasurer of Sutherland Business Chamber, Brendan oversaw 100%+ growth in membership and an increase in supporters income for the Chamber.

If re-elected to Treasurer he will continue implementing appropriate systems and processes to manage the financial affairs of the Chamber responsibly.

David Querzoli - QLoans



David Querzoli is the owner of QLOANS and has worked in the finance industry since 1985. A finance broker since 2003, David provides advice and arranges finance for buying a home, investment property and unsecured business loans to the self-employed. David is a current Board member of the Sutherland Shire Business Chamber and has been an active committee

member with the Miranda & Districts Chamber since 2014. David is a Justice of the Peace NSW, full member of the Mortgage Finance Association of Australia and holds a Bachelor of Arts in Accounting and a Diploma in Finance & Mortgage Broking.

Paul Sheaffe - Pauls Productions



Paul Sheaffe own Pauls Productions, creating engaging video content for business since 2002, following a 30 year technical & IT career with Australia's major Telecommunications Company. Paul joined Miranda & Districts Chamber of Commerce in 2013 and has filmed MDCC & SSBC meetings' guest speakers since then. He was a MDCC Committee since 2014 &

continues as a Board Member since the merger to SSBC. Paul is a Platinum Supporter, filming & photographing meetings & speaker events for Chambers' marketing & members' benefits. Paul represents SSBC at "Community Safety Precinct Committee" meetings conducted by the Sutherland Police Area Command.

VOTING FORM

The following positions have been filled as only 1 nomination was received for each.

- 1. President David Querzoli elected unopposed
- 2. Vice President Hima Gupta elected unopposed
- 3. Secretary Mark Hooper elected unopposed

Please cast your vote for the following positions:

Treasurer

Please vote for 1 candidate.

Candidate	Proposer and Seconder	Your Vote
Kirsty Fox	Megan Horsman, Hima Gupta	
Brendan Lucas	Brendan Lucas, Joanne Ryan	

General Committee

Please vote for up to 3 candidates.

Candidate	Proposer and Seconder	Vote
Nicole Aghabi	Nicole Aghabi, Jamie Walker	
Imelda Bergin	Anna Cesarano, Joanne Ryan	
Brad Conyers	Brad Conyers, Hima Gupta	
Joel Curtis	Joel Curtis, David Querzoli	
Paul English	Paul English, Hima Gupta	
Kirsty Fox	Megan Horsman, Hima Gupta	
Paul Sheaffe	Paul Sheaffe, Joanne Ryan	