Program: CAUDIT Leadership Institute

Friday 22 August 2014 saw the conclusion of the 2014 CAUDIT Leadership Institute (CLI). Held in Kingscliff, NSW, 47 graduates from Australian and New Zealand universities spent an intense and immersive week fine-tuning their individual leadership skills and gaining valuable insight about working within the IT-Higher Education arena.

The CLI is run exclusively for CAUDIT members with 27 institutions supporting their staff attending in 2014 with Client Service (11 persons) and DevOps (16 persons) being the most highly represented areas. Others included Library, Projects, Infrastructure, BI, IT Security, Training, Procurement and Finance.

An integral and unique aspect of the CLI is the careful selection of faculty members who are themselves CIOs currently working in, or who have a wide breadth of experience within the HE arena. The faculty commit themselves to the leadership program and to the participants 100% by not only facilitating sessions throughout the week, but also engaging in one-on-one and group mentoring sessions throughout each day. The participants get an insight and understanding into the high level workings of institutions that they might not otherwise experience in their day to day work environment.

A number of the 2014 participants graciously participated in onsite interviews allowing CAUDIT to capture some of their key moments during the program. This video montage can be viewed on the CAUDIT website.

The 2014 Faculty

Liz Gosling - CLI Director  
Chief Information Officer, Auckland University of Technology

Michael Kirby-Lewis  
President, CAUDIT and Chief Information Officer, University of NSW

Sarah Chaloner  
Associate Director IT Services, University of Western Sydney

Carrie Regenstein  
Associate Vice Provost (Ret.) Computing Services, Carnegie Mellon University

Margie Jantti  
Director Library Services, University of Wollongong

Gene Spencer  
Chief Information Officer, Ursinus College, Pennsylvania USA

Mark Gregory  
Chief Information Officer, University of Adelaide

Participant Feedback

I had a great time, was challenging and rewarding. Was extremely tired at the end, which meant I was fully engaged!

It was great to have faculty members lead sessions to share their personal experiences. We have facilitators a lot, which is good, but having Directors/ CIOs was a refreshing change.

The week far exceeded my expectations, clarifying how I need to reach for goals that I had not before realised I held.

The one-on-one time with faculty members was excellent.

Fantastic. Well run and a sense of support and leadership.

Fantastic opportunity to meet diverse people but at the same time discover oneself. Definitely would recommend this to any future leaders.

A truly informative, educational and inspirational week.

I can only encourage others to attend and will do my best to optimise the knowledge and network afforded me.
2014 Participants

Aaron Quarrell
Adrian Whitaker
Andrew Churches
Andrew Heap
Angela Wong
Anne Johnston
Ansley Gerrad Barthelot
Anthony Pillon
Cathy Miller
Christian Hayes
Christopher Westman
Daniel Warren
David Schwarz
Dr Olivier DE VEL
Felecia van Heerden
Gary Peacock
Gaynor Martin
Geoff Gould
Gina Robinson
Glenn Hand
Harry Faas
John Cain
John Smith
Kevin Lin

Federation University
Queensland University of Technology
Australian National University
Griffith University
University of Melbourne
University of Otago
University of Technology, Sydney
University of South Australia
The University of Adelaide
Massey University
Macquarie University
Federation University
Deakin University
DrSTO
Auckland University of Technology
University of Otago
University of New England
James Cook University
Auckland University of Technology
University of New South Wales

La Trobe University
University of Newcastle
University of Canberra
University of South Australia
Queensland University of Technology
Australian Catholic University
The University of Adelaide
Federation University
University of Western Sydney
University of New England
University of Southern Queensland
James Cook University
The University of Adelaide
Central Queensland University
The University of Auckland
The University of Auckland
Auckland University of Technology
Griffith University
Auckland University of Technology
Charles Sturt University
The University of Auckland
University of Tasmania
University of Canberra

The 2014 Program

What is on your VC's mind?
Leading Change
Effective Teams
Interpersonal Communications
Career Management

Emotional Intelligence
Successful Influencing
Organisational Decision Making
Speaking with Impact
20/20 Insight - an external perspective

Watch the video on the CAUDIT
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