



Kestrel Stone



Director, Global Alliance for the Project Professions (GAPPS)

NSW Chapter Councillor (2012–2019), Australian Institute of Project Management (AIPM)

Chair, PMO Community of Practice, AIPM (2013–2019)

Chair, NSW Women in Project Management (WIPM), AIPM (2012–2013)

Lecturer in the Master of Project Management and facilitator for the John Grill Centre for Project Leadership (2016–2021), University of Sydney

Lecturer (2013–2015), MBA, Australian Catholic University

Master of Project Management (2008)

TAE40116 Certificate IV in Training and Assessment

Bachelor of Arts (Psychology and History)

CEO, Elemental Projects

Over a 20-year career in projects, Kestrel has built an outstanding reputation working with clients from across industry in the private, public and third sectors – from ‘hard’ projects, such as Defence, engineering, transport, and construction; through to ‘soft’ (complex adaptive) projects, such as organisational transformations, policy implementations, health, community service, Indigenous, and climate change initiatives.

Through this broad experience in project and program delivery, Kestrel has developed a practical understanding of how to tailor project management frameworks, concepts, processes, tools, and techniques, to suit different types of projects in different industries and sectors. Her signature approach combines broad industry experience with deep expertise in project management, vocational education and psychology.

Kestrel has developed and delivered dozens of project and program management training programs, stakeholder workshops, planning sessions, lectures, industry presentations, and project management simulations across Australia, and overseas. She brings creativity, enthusiasm and professionalism to each engagement and has earned a reputation for exceptional delivery and a warm, approachable style.

Specialising in:

- designing and delivering high-impact project management courses
- designing and delivering award-winning PM simulations
- project leadership development
- stakeholder engagement including workshops and consultation
- culture and talent management programs
- assessing and uplifting organisational PM capability and maturity