50 Years of Enabling Youth

Since 1965 International House (IH) has been at the forefront of developing leaders that have a real impact on the everyday lives of others. International and Australian residents become well-rounded global citizens by living in an environment that exposes them to cross-cultural relations, volunteering, leadership opportunities and stimulates them in their chosen career path. In 2015, the IH community celebrated the accomplishment of doing all of this for over 5500 current residents and alumni. Since it was established in 1965, as a Rotary International Golden Anniversary Project it has annually provided accommodation and a rich learning experience for 200 undergraduate residents and 40 postgraduate residents within its 11 unique pagoda styled towers. IH’s residents, alumni and friends continue to support the IH Vision of creating ‘A global community of connected, capable and compassionate young leaders.’ 2015 was a remarkable year as we celebrated both the past and the future as a community in our Golden Anniversary Year.

2015 IH Staff

Pictured LtoR: Mrs Jill Charlton (Accountant), Ms Gertrude Kaema (IH Kitchen), Dr Carla Tromans (Director), Ms Judy Donaldson (IH Kitchen), Mr Gary Cox (IH Chef). Not Pictured: Mr Yohan Nair (Deputy Director), Laura Stokes (Advancement Director), Mr Graham Organ-Kleinman (Operations Manager), Mr Colin Blumhart (Grounds and Maintenance Officer), Mrs Yukiko Kelly (Admissions Officer), Ms Sherry Zhang (Office Administrator).

2015 Senior Residents

Back Row: Mr Daniel Lee (H Tower), Mr Michael Naess (B Tower), Mr Jeremy Nak (G Tower), Mr Benjamin Kurzman (C Tower), Ms Maddie Reynolds (D Tower)
Front Row: Ms Rachel Edwards (I Tower), Ms Polina Goldberg (E Tower), Mr Yohan Nair (Deputy Director), Dr Carla Tromans (Director), Ms Anne-Marie Van Duin (F Tower), Ms Gabby Austin (G Tower) and Ms Jacqui Chiu (A-Tower).

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Welcome to the International House (IH) Annual Report for 2015. I am very pleased to share with you what an outstanding Golden Anniversary year that International House has had in 2015. We as a community should be proud that enabling the next generation of leaders and connecting our alumni continues to be a priority of the IH community. This is demonstrated by the incredible programs that were run, GPAs that were received and generosity displayed by donors in 2015 which celebrate and encourage excellence in our community. Thanks to your support we achieved many great things in 2015 including to progress major refurbishments to rooms and hallways dating back to 1965 in A, G, B and C Towers, painting the exterior of towers and progressing plans for the future. We look forward to continuing to create the best living and learning environment that we can for our residents to develop and grow with your support in 2016. Thank you to the Board of Management (BOM) the voluntary group that drive the strategic direction of the College and particular thanks goes to Dr John Morrison who stepped down as President at the April AGM after joining the IH community in 2006. We know that he and his wonderful wife Jan will continue to stay engaged with this community.

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Board of Management
President - Meryl McKenzie

International House Foundation Board Ltd
Chair - Peta Irvine

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*As at AGM April 2015

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IH Foundation Board at the November AGM
L to R: Ms Laura Stokes (Advancement Director), Mr Nick Vincent, Ms Tarli Young (Secretary), Ms Peta Irvine (Chair), Dr Carla Tromans (Director), Mr Mark Fenton (Treasurer), Ms Kristie Fankhauser and Mr Joss Douglas.

Farewell Bara Khana for Past BOM President Dr John Morrison (2009-15) with IH Resident Leaders and Dr Carla Tromans.
Director’s Report

IH Director Dr Carla Tromans

Reflecting on an incredible year

The community at International House (IH) never ceases to amaze me. In 2015 I was once again proud to be the Director of the College. As a College our residents overall cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) was 5.2. For many this was achieved whilst holding leadership positions, participating in over nine sports and giving back to the cultural life of the community.

Our 50th Anniversary Year was an exceptional year to be the IH Director. This celebratory year included the completion of our second book “Fifty Years of Friendship”, a wonderful weekend of debating, rekindling memories from our mini Soirée, dancing at the IH Gala Ball and to reminiscing at the Brotherhood Brunch. Our festivities were concluded with our Peace and Understanding Lecture. We so appreciated the renewed alumni contact and engagement from so many during that year, all assisted by the support of our IH BOM Members, IH Foundation Directors, staff and our 2015 Residents. A very special thank you to Laura Stokes, Advancement Director for the college, who made all possible. 2016 will be a year for consolidation and enhancement of our existing programs and projects. I commend this Annual Report to you and hope you receive pleasure in reading its contents and I look forward to having you all as part of our IH Community.

Strengthening our Foundations

As the University of Queensland (UQ) develops and changes so does IH have to evolve and prosper in the face of increased accommodation competition and increased expenses for residents.

At IH we have put in place a strong strategic plan to refurbish our facilities, provide more scholarships and increase our focus on marketing and branding IH as an incredible option for a holistic university student experience. Project managed by our Operations Manager Graham Morgan-Kleinman A, B, C and some of G tower have had rooms fully refurbished during the Christmas holidays. Our Deputy Director Yohan Nair continues to have a busy marketing schedule and visits schools and expos around the country to spread The IH Way.

Increasing supporters around the globe

80% of IH’s income comes from the fees paid by residents. However, the Board of Management and our incredible Accountant Jill Charlton do everything in their power to keep the level of fees affordable for residents. Just as IH exists because of the generosity of people in the past like Rotary International and Bert Martin, today we continue to rely on philanthropic support to sustain additional opportunities and initiatives like leadership programs, scholarships and room upgrades. In 2015 we continued to offer the Annual Appeal and the tax benefits that come with giving, but also, the altruistic enjoyment that comes from making a difference. Thank you to all of those who made a contribution, whether small or large to the Foundation, every dollar goes to its intended location and impacts the future generations of the College.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our staff, residents, external friends and our Alumni, whose ongoing dedication, commitment and expertise have made 2015 a year not to be forgotten. I look forward to seeing you all in 2016.

Carla Tromans
IH Director

Audited Financial Report

International House Student Club Inc (IHSC) is an incorporated association and is the representative body for all residents living at IH. IHSC organises many of the social, cultural, sporting, arts and community service activities in conjunction with the IH Staff at the College. The IHSC Executive and General Committee (GC) are integral to the culture and ethos of the IH community and play a pivotal role motivating residents and instilling Housie values in new and returning residents. 

IHSC have shown excellent leadership skills, encouragement of resident participation and commitment to community service. The annual Bandfest and Soirée proved yet again to be successful events with turnouts exceeding expectations. The innovative IHSC Executives also implemented new initiatives and events which include but are not limited to:

- Housie Day (a day of celebrating the IH community);
- Alumni vs. Resident Bowling Bonanza (an afternoon of bringing together Alumni and current residents); and
- ICC Community and Environment Cup (a Cup awarding the best of UQ Colleges’ sustainability initiatives and activities).

Looking towards 2015, the leadership, commitment and initiatives of IHSC will continue to grow and provide the 2015 IH residents with an extraordinary college experience.

In addition, IHSC continued to strengthen its professionalism, to ensure that members receive value for membership. The important elements of IH life including afternoon sporting matches, feasts in common rooms, chill out sessions on G-Lawn, Shop Call at 9:30pm, Tower Suppers and variety nights continue to be highlights of the year. By holding a leadership role, residents are given the opportunity to try their hand at financial management, negotiation and time management skills and it is no surprise to us why Housies climb to incredible heights as Alumni after the experiences and opportunities that they have as residents of IH. The 2015 IHSC has shown incredible leadership and we can’t wait to see what is in store for 2016.
Showcasing our history

A key priority for IH in its 50th year was recording, showcasing and celebrating the community’s 50 years. This was achieved in a number of ways including publishing “Fifty Years of Friendship - A History of International House 1965-2015”, recording and showcasing IH Couples and IH Families and through hosting alumni events around the world. We also continued in our pursuit to recognise and celebrate members of our community who have given sustained and ongoing support to the community by inducting them as Fellows. This year we inducted four new Fellows: the organisation Rotary International, Graeme Baguley (1971-77), Dr David Watson (1966-67) and Mrs Helen Whitehead (née Batten) (1976-81).

Indigenous Youth Leadership Camp 2015

From humble beginnings in 2012, IH’s Indigenous Youth Leadership Camp (IYLC) has grown to be one of our most celebrated leadership development opportunities. In 2015 the camp provided a record 33 Indigenous high school students (Mentees), who aspire to attend university, the opportunity to experience life in a cross-cultural community by living at IH for four days with IH residents (Mentors). The camp supports and enables the Mentees to build confidence and develop both personally and professionally. Since 2012, 88 Mentees and 80 International and Australian IH residents have participated in IYLC. 98% of Mentees who attended the camp in 2015 said that they were now eager to consider pursuing tertiary education and 100% said they would love to come back to IYLC in 2016.

IYLC happens thanks to the financial and in-kind support of many including IH, IH Foundation, IH Staff, IH Residents, Arrow Energy - Brighter Futures, IH Donors, Rotarians and the Compass Group. In 2016 as IYLC enters its fifth year we are excited to welcome the first IYLC Mentee Alumnus Taylah Jade Graham (pictured above right) to join IH as a resident and Taylah Cartmel IH and IYLC Mentor Alumnus (2014-15) as the IYLC Coordinator in 2016.
IH and Alumni Awards

IH's Alumnus Steven Skala (1975) received the Colleges’ UQ Alumni Award on 10 October 2015 for “outstanding contribution to UQ and a residential college and continued to make a positive impact on the wider community, nationally and internationally”. This is the second year that IH has won this award and we were excited and honoured to be able to share Steven’s story. Steven has forged an impressive legacy in many sectors. He is currently the Vice Chairman of Deutsche Bank AG (Australia and New Zealand) and he holds non-executive directorship positions in many influential private and public companies including Australian Broadcasting Corporation, Wilson Group Limited, BlueChilli Technology Pty Ltd and Member of the International Council of the Museum of Modern Art (New York). He is passionate about supporting and influencing education, the arts, medical and policy research, entrepreneurs and business, he ensures that important voices are being heard at all levels. During his time at IH he is remembered as being a revered unspoken captain of the IH cricket team and the individual who drove robust conversations around the dinner table.

Peace & Understanding Lecture

Thanks to the support of one of our resident leaders Michael Naess we were able to close our 50th Anniversary with one of our most extraordinary Peace & Understanding Lecturers to date, Eddie Jaku OAM. To a full house, Eddie left the audience silenced and lost for words by his extraordinary journey as one of the oldest surviving Holocaust victims.

Despite his time spent in horrific circumstances at Auschwitz Concentration Camp, his message to the world is this: hating each other won’t solve any of the world’s issues. We have to work together as one to build a better, brighter, more tolerant world for the future. In the word's of Martin Luther King Jr, “Hate can not drive out hate, only light can do that.” Hearing from Eddie was the most remarkable way to finish our 50th Anniversary and we were so honoured that our residents and friends could hear his incredible story.
IH in Numbers

IHF Ltd July 2014-2015

Gift in Numbers

- Average gift: $338
- Number of grants received: 1

Gift Origin

- Alumni: 42%
- Staff: 17%
- Friends: 11%
- IHFB Ltd: 21%
- BOM: 3%
- Fellows: 3.5%
- Rotary International: 3.5%

Annual Giving Growth

- Number of Donations made: 137
- Number of Thank You Cards Sent: 542
- Number of Holiday Cards Sent: 355

Participation

- Partnership signed with Arrow Energy to support the continuation of IYLC
- Number of people who attended IH’s Golden Anniversary Gala Ball: 705
- Yearly Average Facebook engagement: 65%
- School visits conducted for prospective residents: 22
- Volunteer hours generated by residents: 24,570
- Nationalities represented: 40
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander High School students have participated in IYLC since 2012: 88
- Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander residents living at IH: 2
- Rotary Clubs hosted meetings at IH: 7
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Total donations: $46,022
Total income: $218,773

100% Board of Management giving
100% International House Foundation Board Ltd giving
100% Staff giving
IH 2015

Residents

- **26%** Of Undergraduate residents received a GPA of 6 or above
- **$1550** Raised by residents for Little Souls Taking Big Steps
- **42** Academic tutorials offered weekly to residents
- An average of **35** residents attending a minimum of **1** cross-cultural activity per week

IH Worldwide Inc.

Scholarships

- **5** Inaugural Golden Scholarship awarded to residents to recognise their contribution to the College
- **1** Inaugural Chatterjee Bursary awarded to recognise a residents contribution to extending cross-cultural opportunities at IH.

Events

- Bara Khana (formal dinner) each month
- 1 Soirée Festival
- 10 ICC Cultural Events
- 1 Mid Autumn Festival
- 1 Bandfest
- 2 Variety Nights
- 1 Valedictory Dinner
- 1 Mad Hatter Tea Party

IHWW Inc
Conference held in San Diego Berkeley & Northern Arizona

Food

- **117 kg** Coffee consumed per year
- **5 Star** Eat Safe Rating Compass

Volunteering

- **10** Senior Residents ran their own individual projects to grow and support the College
- **3** JENs and Kanyana published to showcase and celebrate IH’s unique culture
- **25** Housies gave up their holidays to be a Mentor at IYLC 2015
- **4** Residents elected to sit on the Working Party and/or Executive for NAAUC 14/15

Operations

- **28** Rooms renovated in B and C Tower
- **8** rooms renovated in The Clem Renouf Tower (G-Tower)
- **3** Towers interiors and exteriors painted and refurbished with new windows

Tower

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Tower

won the Inter-Tower Academic Award for the 2nd year in a row for having the highest cumulative GPA of 5.78
Above: Members of the Resident Leader group during O-Week.

Academic

Residents at IH have access to a robust Academic Support Program to ensure that they reach their university goals. Through the leadership of Deputy Director Yohan Nair approximately 60 tutorials across a wide range of subjects are available for residents. Many tutorials are delivered through high performing Alumni and residents who excel in specific courses. “In 2015 Housies demonstrated that they are not only incredible young people but that they are high performers as well achieving a record College average GPA of 5.2. Every year residents balance making the most of the IH experience and studying hard. I am proud of what the residents have achieved.” Yohan Nair - Deputy Director, International House.

Social

IH prides itself on providing a rich social environment. No matter what your interests or passions, social events are wide and varied including All College Exchanges, Coffee Crawls, ‘Housie Day’, Tower Suppers and in-house themed parties. This year being our 50th year saw the largest ball held in IH’s history with current residents, Alumni staff and friends joining together to celebrate. It was another amazing year of great friendships.

Sport

IH has and always will be about participation and having a go. It was great to see so many Housies participating in sports they had never seen or heard of before, such as AFL and/or having a go to support their friends. Stand out performances were IH Women coming 1st in Volleyball and IH Men delivering solid performances in Basketball and Soccer.

Cross-Cultural

IH continues to place high priority on fostering cross cultural interactions and opportunities for residents. In 2015 with over 40 nationalities represented, residents celebrated and showcased their cultural heritage through activities such as Mid-Autumn Festival, NAIDOC Week, Tanabat Matsuri, over 28 Tabiat.

Cultural

For another year IH did what they do best and showcased their amazing talents at singing, dancing, acting and debating. For many it was their first time performing in front of an audience, and having an amazing time doing it with friends. In 2015 we didn’t take home the Inter-College Council (ICC) Cultural Cup but were the winners in many other ways taking home memories that will last a life time.

Grounds

Thanks to our incredible groundsman Colin Blumhardt IH’s lush grounds have never looked better. Against IH’s freshly painted famous Pagoda towers and a new permanent timeline of IH’s history Housies played out their year. Further improvements were carried out across the College including refurbishments of A, B, C and G Tower. The extensive improvements are part of IH’s and the BOM’s commitment to continue to invest in the built environment to ensure residents have a comfortable space to work and play whilst IH is their ‘home away from home’.

IH Residents 2015
Indigenous Success

Making sure that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people have access to the best education and opportunities for their future is not only a priority area for the International House Foundation Ltd but also for Alumni and Friends of the College who give generously year after year to programmes and initiatives such as the Indigenous Scholarship and IYLC. In 2015 for the first time IH was able to support a post-graduate resident through the IH Indigenous Scholarship and in 2016 two residents will have access to the scholarship. Thank you to all those who continue to support such a worthwhile giving location and give amazing individuals like Pirpantji and Tayla-Jayde the chance to chase their dreams and experience IH life.

Pirpantji Rive-Nelson

Being a recipient of the Indigenous Scholarship has been a highly valuable form of assistance that has provided more than greater financial security during a period that all in academia accept as being challenging. The Doctor of Medicine program at the University of Queensland is highly demanding and being so far from home is difficult.

I am continually reminded of the blessing that membership to the welcoming and diverse community of International House has been. Being a Pitjantjatjara man whose Father’s family is from the Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjara (APY) Lands; and a Mother born in a quaint English village of Redruth in the south west of the UK, with a taste of red earth and desert skylines of the Musgrove Ranges. I am no stranger to diversity and as a result I have always had an active interest in cultural diversity.

I am grateful that International House is enabling me to achieve in my medical studies by providing an environment that is filled with warmth and allowing me to focus on my program. Subsequently, I will be completing an end of year medical student placement with the Paediatric Ward of the Alice Springs Hospital and I am extremely excited at the prospect of working in a region very dear to my heart. I look forward to continuing to pursue my studies whilst living at IH in 2016.

IYLC SUCCESS

Tayla-Jayde Graham

My first experience at IH was through attending IYLC in 2015. As soon as I arrived I felt welcomed and knew that this was where I wanted to live whilst I studied at the University of Queensland (UQ). IYLC was such an amazing week I made friends for life with the Mentees and Mentors and left feeling like a Housie. It made me determined to study harder in Grade 12 and it paid off when I was accepted to study a Bachelor of Arts majoring in Sociology at UQ. Since starting as a Fresher IH has quickly become my second home. I can’t wait to immerse myself in College life, be a Mentor at IYLC in 2016. I look forward to sharing my journey from Mentee to Housie with other young people to inspire them to pursue their dreams and chase their passions. Thank you to all those for their support.
Enabling Leaders

The Golden Scholarship Fund

The Golden Scholarship Fund was distributed for the first time in August 2015 at the Golden Anniversary Gala Ball. The donor funded scholarship was awarded to five IH residents who have quietly and continuously gone above and beyond to contribute to the IH community. The recipients were Meg Grealey, Sulamaine Bholat, Hoshimi Okita, Lucy Ionnau and Kazuki Imani. The Golden Scholarship fund was developed as a way to commemorate IH’s 50th Anniversary as a continuous celebration of IH’s core mission to support and grow young leaders. We look forward to every year celebrating and awarding five individuals who go above and beyond in a quiet way to make IH a better place.

Jarrah Young Scholarship

The Jarrah Young Scholarship (JYS) began in 2013 by the Young and Harris family to commemorate Alumnus Jarrah Young (2003-04) who passed away in 2012. The Scholarship acknowledges a member of the community who contributes to the compassion and spirit of IH. Past recipients include Soe San Htike (PiPi) (2014), Nicholas Farnsworth (2015) and Jakob Perrett (2016) (pictured left). Jakob received the award at Housie Day 2015 by Tarli Young, IH Alumnus, IH Foundation Ltd Board Member and Jarrah’s eldest sister. Jakob has been a great contributor to the IH community and we are looking forward to seeing what contribution he will make as the JYS recipient and Vice President in 2016.

The McKenzie Sports Bursary

The McKenzie Sports Bursary was established in 2014 by Meryl McKenzie, President of IH Board of Management (BOM) and now many members of the IH community have joined the family as donors continue to support sport in the IH community. The bursary recognises initiatives that encourage and support residents to pursue sporting excellence, participation and a positive team spirit. The recipients for 2015 and 2016 were the International House Student Club (IHSC) Sports Convenors. The Bursary supported them to buy new jerseys for the IH girls and boys teams to participate in soccer, touch, basketball and volleyball.

The Chatterjee Bursary

The Chatterjee Bursary was established in 2015 by Victoria Chatterjee outgoing long serving Board of Management Member. The bursary was awarded to Johnathan Chan (left), the International House Student Club (IHSC) Cross-Cultural Convenor for 2015. The Bursary recognises Johnathan’s contribution to enhance and celebrate cross-cultural attitudes at IH. It also celebrates his ongoing contribution to fostering an inclusive community and growing and developing all elements of cross-cultural life at IH.
Growing for the Future

Financial Hardship Scholarship

IH is committed to remaining accessible and as a result awarded two Financial Hardship Scholarships in 2015 to ensure that two members of the community could have the opportunity to continue to experience IH. The Scholarship is one of many that will continue to support an inclusive, participatory IH. One of the recipients of the scholarship said that without this ‘staying at IH, my second home would not have been a possibility’. The IH Foundation is hoping that as this scholarship grows with the support of more donations we will be able to continue to support more residents to experience the IH Way of Life.

Above: The Couples of IH and their stories captured on the IH website
Above: The Abbott Family. All 8 children and their Mother lived at IH.

Tower Renovations

In our 50th year it became more and more apparent to the BOM that many of our 50 year old rooms built in 1965 needed attention. Thanks to the generous support of many who have given to the IH Priority Fund over the years the IH Foundation Ltd has been able to support IH to upgrade 42 rooms across B, C, and G Towers. The rooms which still had original bed frames and desks from the 1960’s have been fitted with new desks, beds, mattresses, chairs, paint, carpet and curtains giving residents a fresh and vibrant space to study and live. None of this would have been possible without your support. It is IH and the BOM’s intention that over the coming years, through the support of our community we will be able to continue significant refurbishments on the 50 year old buildings. We look forward to having you walk this journey with us and the opportunity to show the refurbishments to you.

Above: Original room in G-Tower in 1960s.
Above: A room in G-Tower now.

Capturing our Alumni stories

IH now has over 5500 Alumni spread globally. 2015 was the perfect time to celebrate these individuals and reconnect with them. In 2015 IH began capturing these unique stories through new initiatives such as; 50 IH Champions, 52 Couples of IH, IH Families, Celebrating our Alumni list, the IH timeline and Presidents of IH Student Club. All of their special stories and accomplishments are now housed on our website for Alumni to remember and enjoy. We loved that in 2015 we heard story after story of mass Houjie Reunions and weddings in cities around the world as the friendships formed at IH continue to be the most important in many of our communities lives.

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60 Years of Rotary International Support

The concept of IH Brisbane was brought to the Rotary Club of Brisbane West in 1955 by Frank White. It was Rotarian Bert Martin who championed the College into existence over the next 10 years rallying community support, fundraising and building a case for support for a College that welcomes anyone regardless of their religious and/or cultural background to live and learn together. In 1965, IH opened its doors to 62 men and 50 years later the College continues to thrive and stay strongly connected to the Rotary community. It was an honour in 2015 to celebrate this unique partnership through numerous events including The Rotary Club of Toowong’s 50th Anniversary, Club visits and Club’s ongoing support to the Sir Clem Renouf Building Fund.

Above: The opening of International House in 1965.
2014-2015 Honour Roll
For the period 1 July 2014 - 30 June 2015

Individuals
Anonymous
Adams, Miss Julia
Ahern, Ms Josephine
Angus, Dr Beverley
Arcidiacono, Dr Francesca
Axelsen, Ms Line
Baguley, Mr David
Boyd, Mr John
Brandon, Mrs Deidre
Brown, Mr Bill
Burnham, Mr Mark
Castle, Mr John
Cater, Ms Jan
Chaliha, Ms Debahuti
Charlton, Mrs Jill & Mr Scott
Chatterjee, Ms Victoria
Cochran, Mr Leighton
Cross, Mr Kenneth
Elliott, Mr Jim
Forday, Mr Peter
Gan, Mrs Alice
Gan, Mr Chiew Thong
Gibson, Mr Peter & Mrs Karen
Gibson, Ms Karen
Gibson, Ms Janet
Goh, Dr Yong Wah
Herriot, Mr Shayne
Hirschfeld, Dr Brian
Holloway, Mr Peter
Holm, Dr Neil & Mrs Margaret
Irwine, Mrs Peta
Jones, Ms Anne
Kelly, Mrs Yukiko & Mr Michael
Keys, Dr Ian
Kirby, Mr Stephen
Lawrence, Mr John & Mrs Jan
Leon, Mr Chris
Liew, Prof Ah Choy
Machielsen, Dr Johannes
Madin, Mr Simon
Maganlal, Mr Satish
Manser, Mr Bruce & Mrs Bev
Marshall, Mrs Kathryn
McGlashan, Mr Geoffrey & Mrs Alison
McKenzie, Mrs Meryl & Mr Bruce
Moffatt, Ms Jane
Morgan-Kleinman, Mr Graham & Mrs Marie
Murray, Mrs Christie
Nair, Mr Yohan and Mrs Carrie
Noguchi, Mr Hironari
O'Donoghue, Dr Donald
Okawa, Miss Natalie
Orford, Mr Fraser
Orr, Dr Graeme
O'Sullivan, Dr Donna
Ovaska, Ms Anna-Ritta
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