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# *Maximising Brand Value in the Downturn and Recovery*

A UNIQUE EVENT FOCUSING ON THE STRATEGIC AND COMMERCIAL IMPLICATIONS OF BRANDS

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*"Understanding the role of the brand in the generation of profit is vital to all businesses.  
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Raoul Pinnell, Former Chairman,  
Shell Brands International AG

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*Brands are major contributors to the value of most enterprises. They are crucial to generating demand and can be pivotal to mergers and acquisitions, investor relations, and even financial reporting.*

*Despite this, many companies have a poor line of sight between brand investment and future earnings. This increases the risk of poor decisions regarding brand strategy and brand investment. In a benign economic climate the impact is less apparent than times when budget and profits are hard to come by. Poor visibility of brand economics makes it difficult to differentiate between marketing inefficiencies, activities that support short term demand, and investment that will yield a high return in the upturn.*

*The Australian Marketing Institute - Brand Finance Forum™ brings together a unique combination of speakers to explore the strategic and commercial implications of brand management in a harsh economic climate. The focus of the event is as much on the use of the corporate accelerator as on the brakes and steering wheel. The event flows from the Brand Finance Forum™ that has been held at the London Stock Exchange since 2004. A highly successful Forum was held in Australia last year; the audience reflecting the fact that the creation and protection of brand value requires coordinated input from senior executives in Finance and Operations as well as Marketing.*

*We look forward to joining you at the Forum in July to ensure you are leveraging your marketing assets.*

**ROGER JAMES** FAMI CPM  
Chairman, Australian Marketing Institute

**TIM HEBERDEN** AFAMI CPM CA  
Managing Director, Brand Finance (Australia)

*“There was a path into this global financial crisis and I guarantee there’s a way out for us. And when we do come out the other side it’s very important you’re able to put your foot down on the accelerator and get going again, at full speed, and not have to start the engine again.”*

Michael Luscombe, CEO Woolworths  
quoted in the AFR 15 May 2009



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**8.30** Registration

**9.00** **ROGER JAMES**  
 Chairman, Australian Marketing Institute  
**Forum Opening**

**9.05** **DAVID HAIGH**  
 Chief Executive, Brand Finance PLC (London)  
**Setting the Scene: The Commercial Implications of the Forum**

**9.20** **KEVIN LUSCOMBE**  
 Executive Chairman of Growth Solutions Group,  
 Board Member of APN News & Media and the Bayard Group  
**In Turbulent Times, Where to Cut and Where to Invest?**

- Why cut marketing first?
- Protecting the brand.... and the bottom line
- Know what matters: what goes 'on hold', what just 'goes', and what must not
- Finding the upside opportunities?



**9.50** **MICHAEL SMITH**  
 Managing Director, Consumer & Corporate  
 Marketing Director, Optus  
**Perspectives from Both Sides of the Desk**

- Different perspectives of a MD and Marketing Director
- Making the business case for brand investment
- Budget realities in a downturn
- Opportunities in the downturn and recovery period



**10.20** Panellists:  
**PROFESSOR MARK UNCLES, KEVIN LUSCOMBE,  
 MICHAEL SMITH, DAVID HAIGH, ROGER JAMES**  
**Facilitated Discussion**

**10.40** Morning Tea

**11.00** **PETER MAHER**  
 Group Head, Banking and Financial  
 Services Group, Macquarie Bank  
**Unlocking New Earning Streams**

- Ensuring that strategic planning creates rather than restricts opportunities
- Adjacency and extensions of the brand offer
- The role of new and evolving businesses at Macquarie Group



**11.30** **TREVOR AMERY**  
 Former Chairman, Subaru Australia  
**Brand Equity and Investment: The CEO's Role**

- The role of brands in corporate strategy
- Market conditions and budget determination
- Gaining market share with a tight budget
- Re-invigorating an underperforming brand



**12.00** Facilitated:  
**PETER MAHER, TREVOR AMERY, DAVID HAIGH, DAVID KENT**  
**Interactive Discussion**

**12.20** Lunch

**1.30** **RUSSEL HOWCROFT**  
 Managing Director,  
 George Patterson Y&R Melbourne  
**The Brand Bubble – Maintaining Brand Energy**

- Trends in consumer attitudes and brand value
- The consumer metamorphosis
- Brand decay or value growth
- Energised differentiation



**2.00** **ANTHONY ROBERTS**  
 Managing Director, Wine, Lion Nathan  
**Maintaining Luxury Brand Equity**

- Luxury - tamed
- Building luxury brand equity in a softening market
- Consumer touchpoints in a fragmented industry



**2.30** Panellists:  
**PROFESSOR ADRIAN PAYNE, RUSSEL HOWCROFT,  
 ANTHONY ROBERTS, LYNN WOOD, DAVID HAIGH**  
**Facilitated Discussion**

**2.50** Afternoon Tea

**3.20** **LYNN WOOD**  
 Chairman, Noni B, Non-Executive Director of  
 GPT Funds Management, Member of the Foreign  
 Investment Review Board  
**Customer Focus and Brand Equity in the Boardroom**

- The board's role in strategic marketing
- Tough markets demand an external focus
- Marketing Metrics in the boardroom



**3.50** **DAVID HAIGH**  
 Chief Executive, Brand Finance PLC (UK)  
**TIM HEBERDEN**  
 Managing Director, Brand Finance (Australia)  
**Stress Testing Brand Value and Marketing Investment**

- Developing a robust business case
- Linking brand equity and financial performance
- Allocating a reduced budget



**4.30** Close of Forum

**4.45** Wine Tasting Presented by Lion Nathan Wines

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