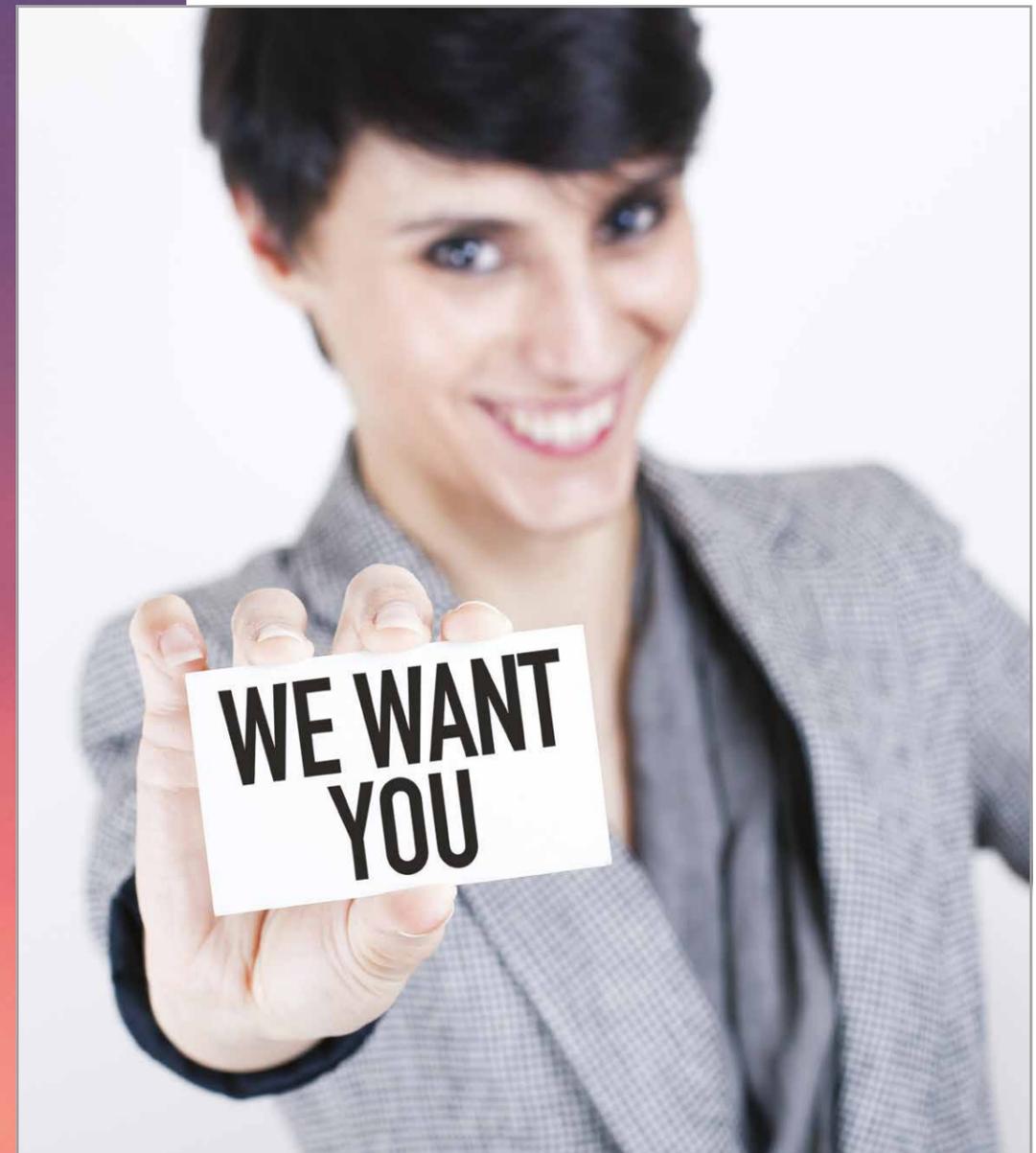
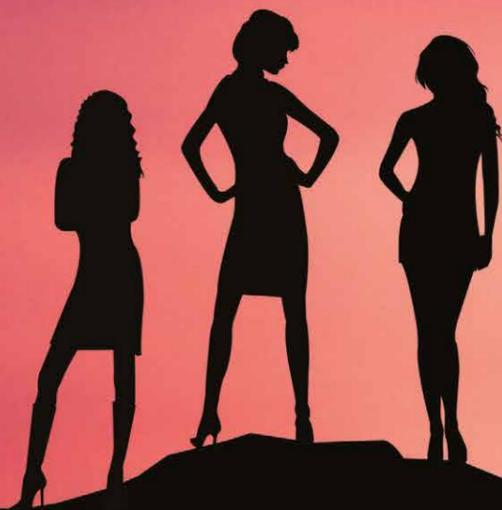


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Women On Top is an initiative by Executive Decisions, created to start conversations centred on women in the workplace.

We invite you to be part of this exciting, new journey. Read the expert thoughts, ideas and opinions from the Women on Top panel, a think tank of some of Sydney's leading female CEOs, Managing Directors, General Managers and Directors.

Every month on the website, ed's Women on Top will tackle topics and questions important to you, suggested by you and asked by you. Take one of the surveys and let us know which topics you are interested in.

ed's Women On Top think tank panels have all worked tirelessly to be in the position they are today, and are happy to share their thoughts, tips and tricks of the trade with the EA PA community, navigating through a variety of subjects ranging from coping with daily pressures to workplace rewards.

Introducing
ed's Women
On Top:



Rachael Gorry
Managing Director
Karisma Cruises

Rachael is a driven, confident woman pouring with fresh ideas, motivated by her experiences and connections with successful, down to earth friends and colleagues. She enjoys meeting new people and developing relationships with people as driven as herself.

Lisa Akeroyd
Managing Director
Carlson Wagonlit Travel

Lisa manages, directs and oversees the strongly talented and high performing teams who are committed to growing Carlson Wagonlit Travel's brand and client base in Australia and New Zealand.



Lisa Hobbs
Chief Executive Officer,
Dedes Waterfront Group

Lisa has extensive experience in senior management in numerous industries. Her role as CEO for the Dedes Waterfront Group involves managing the company's strategic direction, operational structure, HR, supplier management, PR/advertising and marketing.

Renata Bernard
General Manager
Opal Minded

Renata has a diverse professional and educational career that includes being the General Manager of Opal Minded, and in addition to having a PhD in Cinema, and lecturing at Macquarie University.



We'd love you to be
a part of this forum.

Head to the
Women on Top
website and join in
the conversation!

Amanda Fry
Founder
Holysmoke Agency

Combining a successful career in marketing, PR, talent management and entertainment, Amanda founded 6dc Lifestyle PR in 2004. Over a successful ten-year period, Amanda has evolved her business into a new, fresh agency specialising in creative communications, welcome Holysmoke!



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"YOU CAN HAVE IT ALL, you just can't have it all at once." Oprah Winfrey

"BE BOLD! If you feel you can take on more and have more to offer, ask for the opportunity, the alternative is to wait for it to fall into your lap."

Lisa Akeroyd, Managing Director, Carlson Wagonlit Travel (WOT)

"The most effective way to do it, IS TO DO IT." Amelia Earhart

"HAVE BALANCE IN YOUR LIFE, when it gets to 8pm or later, most likely the things you are doing can wait until tomorrow." Rachel Gory, Managing Director, Karisma Cruises (WOT)

"A WOMAN IS LIKE A TEA BAG — you never know how strong she is until she gets into hot water." Eleanor Roosevelt

"There is only one life, SO LIVE IT, change your mind, move between careers, get excited about things, do not work to live, make it meaningful."

Renata Bernard, General Manager, Opal Minded (WOT)

"A woman should be two things: CLASSY AND FABULOUS." Coco Chanel

"ENJOY WHAT YOU DO and you will be good at it." Lisa Hobbs, CEO, Dedes Group (WOT)

"Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, BUT BY THE MOMENTS THAT TAKE OUR BREATH AWAY." Maya Angelou

"Choose something you are passionate about, THE REST WILL FOLLOW."

Amanda Fry, General Manager, Holysmoke Agency (WOT)

"A lot of people are afraid to SAY WHAT THEY WANT. That's why they don't get what they want." Madonna

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