

PROFILE: AMANDA LEAHY

As the CEO of Accrete, a Registered Training Organisation, Amanda routinely exercises the Human Resource, technical, financial and management responsibilities associated with that position. She also has a frontline role in the development and delivery of tailored leadership and management training to a wide range of public and private sector clients, the provision of leadership coaching, as well as the facilitation of strategic and operational planning days.

In addition to a range of other courses, Amanda is the lead facilitator for the following courses:

- Performance Management
 - Results through people: Getting great performance: A 2-day performance management course delivered through the Office of the Commissioner for Public Employment
 - Performance Management and the Art of Giving and Receiving Feedback: A 1-day program
 - Courageous Conversations: A 1-day program focused on difficult discussions
- The Essentials of Management: NT Public Sector Governance; Leadership styles; Leadership qualities; Emotional intelligence; Management functions
- Finance for Cost Centre Management
- Delegated Authorities
- Conflict of Interest
- Effective Business Writing
- Workplace Health and Safety for Managers

As an individual Amanda has a passion for promoting the understanding and building of positive workplace cultures. She brings this passion to all endeavours she undertakes resulting in loyalty and commitment from those she works with.

Prior to joining Accrete in 2014, Amanda was a family law solicitor specialising in complex property settlements and Binding Financial Agreements. She has extensive experience in alternative dispute resolution including round table conferences, negotiation and mediation. Throughout her legal career Amanda was responsible for the delivery of Professional Development seminars and is a natural educator. She also served as a volunteer solicitor for the Sunshine Coast Legal Service and a Committee member of HOPE, a Queensland-based indigenous community group.

Her experience as a practicing family law solicitor resulted in exemplary research skills and an enviable ability to establish and maintain effective working and interpersonal relationships with a broad range of people at all levels. Complementing these endeavours, Amanda plays an active role in supporting community organisations through volunteering her time as a facilitator and trainer.

Amanda holds a Bachelor of Laws (2008), a Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (2010), a Certificate IV in Training and Education and attended the Australian Institute of Company Director's course (2020).