Biographical Note

Bronte Crisp, BTech Adel, FIEE, CEng Award of Companion of the University

The University is greatly indebted to those members of the community who make themselves available to participate in the life of the University and to bring their skills and experience to its operation.

In August 1991, Mr Bronte Crisp expressed an interest in serving on university committees, and he was co-opted as a member of the (former) Resources Committee. At that time he was the Director (Manufacturing) of Mitsubishi Motors Australia P/L. In 1992, when the Finance Committee and the Budgets Committee replaced the Resources Committee, Mr Crisp was appointed as a member of the Finance Committee, and he remained a member throughout its operation. He was appointed as a member of the newly constituted Resources Committee when it was established in 1996, replacing the former Finance Committee.

In June 1992, Mr Crisp was appointed a Trustee of Superannuation Schemes No. 1 and No. 2, and the Invalidity Scheme. In 1993, when the University established the Audit Committee, he was appointed as a member. In 1999 he was appointed Chairperson of the Invalidity Benefits Subcommittee, and he provided valuable advice throughout the wind-up of the Invalidity Scheme.

Mr Bronte Crisp has contributed significantly to the University through his membership of several major University committees over an extended period of time, and through the advice he has provided to senior executive staff on a range of complex issues. Mr Crisp has been a very active and well-informed contributor to the committees on which he has served, and has helped to guide the University's financial management, during a period of financial stringency that has affected the higher education sector across Australia.