

Bio



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Ms Helen Goode has worked in primary, secondary, tertiary and adult education in the State, Catholic and Independent Schools sectors.

Helen is an experienced trainer with demonstrated expertise in leadership development programs, career development, executive coaching, strategic planning, staff selection, mentoring, performance appraisal and school review. She now operates her own educational consultancy business, is a sessional lecturer and part time research assistant at Melbourne University, and a Director of Assessment Centres. She is a member of the International Successful School Principal Project (ISSPP) and presents frequently at conferences both in Australia and overseas. For current research focus is 'Successful School Principalship: From Success to Sustainability'.

Helen is an accredited school reviewer with the both the Victorian Department of Education and Early Childhood Development and the Catholic Education Commission, Melbourne. She has lectured in school review in the Master of Educational Management, University of Melbourne degree at the Hong Kong Institute of Education and undertaken reviews of schools in Hong Kong. Other current contracts with the Melbourne University include Victorian Certificate of Applied Learning (VCAL) audits, Victorian Registration and Qualification Authority school reviews, Building Capacity of Leadership Teams and accreditation for Performance and Development Culture in both government and Catholic Education Office Melbourne schools.

Her extensive networks included membership of the Australian College of Education (MACE) and the Australian Institute of Management (AIMM) as well as current membership of a number of educational Boards of Management, Councils and Commissions. Currently she is a member of The Geelong College Council and the Education Committee of the College, an adviser to the Presentation College, Windsor Board of Management and its Chair, and a member of the Governing Education Council of the Presentation Sisters. From 2001-2007 she was member of the Christian Brothers Education Commission and its Leadership Committee. In 2004 she was made a Fellow of the Australian Council of Educational Leaders.