Directors' Roles and Responsibilities

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Are you an Australian based Executive and/or Director working for a German Company, trying to navigate dual reporting responsibility and to ensure compliance in the Australian governance environment?

The Australian Institute of Company Directors (AICD) is delighted to partner with the German Australian Chamber of Industry and Commerce (GACIC) to invite you to a unique one-day interactive session hosted by Doncaster BMW: Subsidiary Companies – Directors' Roles and Responsibilities.

The session will focus on German companies with subsidiaries in Australia that:

- · Have bilateral reporting and compliance responsibilities
- Are exposed to significant cultural differences between Australia and Germany

Who should attend?

- · Executives reporting to subsidiary boards
- Directors of subsidiary companies based either on-shore or off-shore (in Germany or Asia)
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ Board members and executives of parent companies overseas

How can we help you, your board and your business?

You will be able to connect with your colleagues and share ideas to traverse the German and Australian context, and will gain:

- · Key insights into your roles and responsibilities;
- · Practical guidance in working with different legal frameworks;
- · Strategies for negotiating complex reporting and communication lines; and
- Detailed understanding of the challenges, complexities and personal liabilities that are involved in managing and directing a subsidiary company in Australia.

Course outline

The course will cover:

- The responsibilities of a company director;
- The importance of the local business context and laws;
- · Different governance structures;
- Potential conflicts for directors holding multiple roles;
- · Corporate governance integrity;
- Integration and alignment of subsidiaries as part of the overarching corporate group; and
- Appropriate reporting and communication lines.

Course details

Date: Wednesday 6 June 2018

Time: 9.00am to 5.00pm

Venue: Doncaster BMW

812-814 Doncaster Road, Doncaster VIC 3108

Cost: \$1,485 (incl. GST) per person

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