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Ingrid Messner is a facilitator with a passion for inspiring new perspectives on how to lead sustainable change in today's complex, interconnected and international business world. In her experience, people are most effective and engaged when their personal values and missions are in synergy with those of their organizations.

Ingrid has got more than 25 years business and corporate experience across different countries, cultures and industries. She has lived and worked in Europe, Australia, India and Turkey. During her 12 years of corporate experience in various management positions in Europe in companies like Unilever, Reckitt & Colman and Mobil Oil, her roles included working as an internal Facilitator and Coach for Management Development programs, Innovation Manager as well as Marketing Director. She has distinctive experiences in facilitation and co-ordination of heterogeneous cross-functional and multi-national teams.

Today, Ingrid's work comprises the facilitation of workshops and learning experiences on leadership, vision, strategy, innovation, CR/sustainability, communication, as well as executive coaching. She has worked with leaders at organizations of different sizes, including Telstra, AMP Capital Investors, Beiersdorf, Reckitt Benckiser, SunRice, SCA, The Cancer Council Australia and other NGOs, and many SMEs.

Ingrid completed a Master's Degree in Business Administration at University of Hamburg / Germany and is on an ongoing learning journey with a broad variety of teachers. Specifically, she is on a constant quest to discover new and unusual ways of doing better business inspired by the timeless wisdom of nature and Indigenous people from around the world.

Ingrid loves traveling to broaden her (and her family's) perspectives. So far she has been to about 50 countries and many more are on her list.

Mini Bio

- Creative systems thinker who supports leaders to connect the dots for positive growth
- Global citizen who values great relationships and nature

Qualifications

- MMBA, University of Hamburg
- Accredited Executive Coach, The Institute of Executive Coaching in Sydney
- Certificate IV in Training and Assessment
- Integrity and Values profiling tool
- Passion Maps Programs
- Way of Nature Nature Quest Guide
- Climate Reality Leadership Corps presenter (training by Al Gore)
- S2s Mentor for teenage girls at risk