

# Gretel Bakker

MANAGING DIRECTOR



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Gretel offers a wealth of expertise in performance and change management. Drawing upon an eclectic knowledge base of the arts, business, leadership and psychological theory, Gretel has the vision, energy, creativity and determination to facilitate significant and sustainable change with leaders and teams in organisations. She has extensive experience in diverse industry sectors both locally and internationally.

Gretel continues to collaborate with and advise international institutes and consultants in the fields of leadership and cultural transitioning and is regarded as a leader in her field. She is a founding member of the board of the Australian Green Development Forum.

### FACILITATOR:

While demonstrating a compassionate and nurturing style of facilitation, she has a great ability to work with tough issues and diverse parties. Her broad experience in facilitating executives and professionals, youth, executive coaching, and in university lecturing has helped her to develop a facilitation style that creates the necessary relationship and ideal learning environment for individuals and groups.

Gretel's incisive mind and creative capacity enables her to reach deep levels of consciousness with rapidity and precision. She is known for producing effective and practical solutions that leave participants with greater confidence and commitment, mutual understanding and agreement and a clearer direction for the future.

### CREATIVE:

With an exceptional ability to synthesise theory from diverse disciplines, Gretel applies this knowledge practically in an innovative and original way. Gretel creates a unique and exciting pathway for her clients to learn through the experience of applied theatre and artistic forms. She develops programs that address organisations core purpose with depth, transparency and high levels of creative thought, achieving imaginative and lasting outcomes.

### STRATEGIST:

Possessing insightful and visionary business acumen and an entrepreneurial spirit, Gretel is also the director of an international educational toy enterprise, among other successful business ventures. Her innate visioning

and strategy skills, combined with a keen eye for identifying eclectic and innovative opportunities, assist her clients to define and engage in more creative strategic directions. Working closely with diverse teams from SME's, government agencies and corporations, Gretel enables them to identify sustainable and inspiring visions, as well as create focused and innovative goals to achieve them.

### KNOWLEDGE AREAS:

- > Leadership
- > Emotional Intelligence
- > Creativity & Innovation
- > Communication
- > Conflict Management
- > Generational Alliance
- > Strategic Agility
- > Educational drama/arts
- > Performance Studies

### AREAS OF FACILITATION:

