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GUEST SPEAKER



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Dr Ben French is a lecturer in the Griffith Business School's Department of Management (specialising in Employment Relations). In addition to having a Bachelor of Business (Majoring in Industrial Relations), he also has a Law Degree with honours and was admitted to the Solicitors Roll in Queensland in 2007, having completed his legal practice course (Graduate Certificate) at QUT after working at multiple firms. Ben has also completed the Certificate of Teaching in Higher Education, Certificate IV of WHS and Certificate IV in Small Business.

More recently Ben completed his PhD based on Student Success & Retention in the Australian Higher Education Sector. He is currently the Department's Discipline Leader for Employment Relations and was formerly the GBS member of the University's Disability Advisory Committee. He is the President of the Industrial Relations Society of Queensland and an executive committee member of its federal body ALERA (Australian Labour and Employment Relations Association).

Ben is also on the Executive Committee of Fred Hyde Schools (Treasurer), an international not for profit organisation which provides free basic education to young children via over 50 schools in the poorest areas of Bangladesh.