

Queensland Independent Schools SUMMIT

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GUEST SPEAKER



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Anna Doré is a values-driven educational leader with extensive experience in strategic leadership, staff development and whole-school improvement across complex P–12 environments. She currently serves as Deputy Principal – People and Culture (P–12) at The Lakes College, where she leads staff wellbeing and professional learning, strategic workforce practice, governance-aligned compliance, and whole-of-college culture and operations. In 2025, Anna stepped into the role of Acting Principal, overseeing all aspects of College operations, learning and community engagement during the Principal's sabbatical.

Anna's leadership in teaching and learning is grounded in contemporary research, data, and evidence-based practice. She has overseen the development of a Teaching and Learning Framework, supported curriculum alignment and regulatory compliance, and championed inclusive education so that every learner can access meaningful, personalised pathways. She brings deep capability in governance and safeguarding, including the development of student protection processes and staff training, and works closely with the Board and Executive team to translate strategy into effective practice.

Anna holds a Master of Educational Leadership (Australian Catholic University) and is a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors (GAICD). She contributes to sector initiatives through Independent Schools Queensland/Parent Network programs, serves on the UniSC School of Education and Tertiary Access (SETA) External Advisory Committee, is a member of a leading girls school Learning and Wellbeing Sub-Committee, and is currently leading work to strengthen parent engagement and guide the safe and ethical use of generative AI in schools.