

Hi LV Alumni,

I hope this email finds you well.

I'm writing to provide you with an update on the Alumni Engagement work many of you have been supporting. In identifying the next steps for projects and ideas to focus on, we have linked Alumni Engagement to our Vision of "purposeful leadership for an inclusive, equitable and sustainable society". This is underpinned by our values, our constitution, and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

We approach what we do with courage, curiosity, integrity, and respect. We see what we do as part of the bigger whole.

The SDGs are universally shared by Australia and 194 other nations. At LV we support the emphasis of all 17 goals, however our effort is focussed on six goals where we believe we can have the greatest impact - gender equality, reducing inequality, climate action and peace, justice, and strong institutions - and underpinned by partnerships and learning.

Our decision to focus on six goals is informed by our Vision, our Alumni, and the broader LV community.

- [Goal 16 > Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions](#) > Sub goal 16.7: We are for "responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making" in our institutions and democracies.
- [Goal 13 > Climate Action](#) > Sub goal 13.2: We are for integrating "climate change measures into policies, strategies and planning" in our organisation, other institutions, and governments at all levels.
- [Goal 13 > Climate Action](#) > Sub goal 13.3: We are for improving climate change "education, awareness-raising and human and institutional capacity" for us to collectively act.
- [Goal 10 > Reduced Inequalities](#) > Sub goal 10.2: We are for empowering and promoting the "social, economic and political inclusion of all irrespective of age, sex, disability, race, ethnicity, origin, religion or economic or other status".
- [Goal 10 > Reduced Inequalities](#) > Sub goal 10.3: We are for ensuring "equal opportunity and reducing inequalities of outcome, including by eliminating discriminatory laws, policies and practices and promoting appropriate legislation, policies and action in this regard."
- [Goal 5 > Gender Equality](#) > Sub goal 5.5: We are for ensuring "women's full and effective participation and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making in political, economic, and public life."

We are looking forward to creating an alumni community with you which is diverse, inclusive, and has a shared sense of purpose. Where we challenge, inspire, and continue to learn from one another, and there is space for vulnerability.

Next year you will start to see more opportunities to engage as alumni as we create this community together. We hope to see you there. In the meantime, if you'd like to read more of what is inspiring the teams thinking and our direction, [head over here](#).

With best wishes for a joyful and restorative summer holiday,

Scott, Sally & the LV team.

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