



HOSPITALITY & STRATA

ACCOUNTANTS | AUDITORS

Profile

Matthew Wallbridge

Partner - Audit

As an Auditor I want to make sure that financial information can be relied upon. My job is to ensure that the financial information provided by organisations is accurate and a true representation of the organisation's financial position.

My passion is using audit to help people understand their business and assist in making informed decisions. I do this by reviewing systems and processes to ensure they are operating correctly and working effectively. Making sure that the information is correct is only part of the job, the other part is to help management improve their systems and procedures so that they can achieve their goals.

I have been with Hospitality & Strata Pty Ltd and its predecessors for over 18 years after commencing as a Graduate Accountant. During this time I have undertaken or assisted on a range of audits including Body Corporates, Management Rights Trust Accounts and statutory audits. I joined the firm because I wanted to interrogate and understand the dynamics of organisations, their business models and how they operate in an ever-changing environment.

I've learned that to be a good Auditor you need to ask questions and understand the organisation as well as minimise the disruption to the business. Being able to report back to management with what is happening and also recommendations for improvement is essential to making the audit relevant and helpful to the management team.

Expertise

- Statutory Audit ■ Management Rights ■ Body Corporate ■ Solicitors Trust
- Property Agents Trust ■ Due Diligence

Qualifications & Memberships

- Bachelor of Business (Accounting & Banking & Finance); Southern Cross University
- Member, Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia and New Zealand

Specialisation

- Accommodation and Hospitality ■ Real Estate
- Large Private Companies

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