



## **STEPBRIDGE AUSTRALIA BRIDGE CLUB Inc.**

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### **Committee Nominations – 2025 Annual General Meeting**

| <b>Position</b>         | <b>Nominee</b>         | <b>Nominator</b>   | <b>Seconder</b>    |
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| <i>President</i>        | Christopher Larter     | Sarah Zoral        | Suzanne Ledger     |
| <i>Vice President</i>   | <i>Vacant</i>          |                    |                    |
| <i>Secretary</i>        | Bronwyn Shimmin-Clarke | Nita Cooper        | Julie Barker       |
| <i>Treasurer</i>        | Suzanne Ledger         | Christopher Larter | Lynn Bain          |
| <i>Committee Member</i> | Cassandra Mitchell     | Greg McCarron      | Suzanne Ledger     |
|                         | Sue Shadbolt           | Sarah Zoral        | Jay Wongphasukchot |
|                         | <i>Vacant</i>          |                    |                    |

## **CHRISTOPHER (CHRIS) LARTER**



*I have been a member of the StepBridge Australia Management Committee since 2019 with undertaking the position of President for the 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 Committee and previously with the positions of Secretary & Vice President.*

*I bring to the position experience in Administration, both in my work life as an Administration Manager as well as previously being an Administrator for the Brisbane Bridge Centre.*

## **SUZANNE (SUZI) LEDGER**



*I spent extensive time in the Financial Services Industries in the UK, Melbourne & Hong Kong before starting my own business in HK providing administrative services to various Clubs and Associations.*

*I have been involved in many committees in sporting Clubs as well as serving as Lady Captain of the Sanctuary Cove Golf Club (a Board position) for 3 years. I am the Masterpoint & Membership Secretary of the Sanctuary Cove Bridge Club, acting previously as President, Vice President and our Congress Convenor. I am also a qualified Club Director.*

*Early in 2020 I offered my services to StepBridge as their workload increased dramatically and was appointed as a TD. I nominated successfully as Treasurer in 2021, 2022, 2023 & 2024, and hope to continue supporting our dedicated committee, Admin and other support personnel as StepBridge continues to move forward.*

## **BRONWYN SHIMMIN-CLARKE**



*I'm originally from Brisbane (lived and studied there) but have lived, worked and travelled a lot both overseas (Europe, South America) and around Australia (Canberra, Melbourne & Perth for longer periods).*

*I've worked in Tech for all my career and was doing full-time Consulting work with part-time travel during Covid. I now have my Leadership & Life Coaching business so now doing part-time work and full-time travel in my motorhome.*

*I did my (last) Bridge lessons at Northern Suburbs Bridge Club about 10 years ago but have only played on and off due to not having a regular partner or a regular local bridge club. I've played recently in Brisbane (Kenmore, Toowong, Northern Suburbs), a few years ago in Perth (when working over there) and other places around Australia in my travels (looking at you Hobart & Mackay).*

*I've really enjoyed discovering StepBridge in late 2025 as I can now play online from anywhere in Australia (or overseas) and maintain regular partnerships through the StepBridge community to build friendships and improve my Bridge.*

*I understand that StepBridge is only possible due to the great efforts of the volunteers on the Committee and wonderful work of our Tournament Directors. I've decided to contribute to this community by nominating for the Secretary role as it is a good fit for my skills from Tech, Consulting and Coaching.*

**CASSANDRA MITCHELL**



*I started playing bridge in the 1970's with friends. I continued playing when we lived in KL, Malaysia.*

*I retired after 48 years of teaching/being a principal at the start of 2022 and took up bridge as a full-time hobby; running/directing at 2 clubs and directing at one more plus TDing for StepBridgeAU. I usually play at least once a day and then do other things for my clubs when I'm not playing, such as dealing boards or giving bridge lessons/mentoring new players.*

*When I'm not doing bridge stuff, I spend time with the 6 grandchildren, my husband and my children. We travel usually once a year overseas to see family; mine in the US, Graham's in the UK.*

*I enjoy cooking, playing word games or strategy games, gardening, preserving the produce of the vegetable garden, and reading.*

*I am a highly organised and patient person. I enjoy helping others learn more about the game.*

*I am enjoying learning more about the back end of SBAU by being on the committee.*

## **SUE SHADBOLT**



*I have been a member of the South Perth Bridge club for nearly 20 years. I have been directing at the club for over 3 years. I'm a committee member where I contribute to the efficient running of the club. I am also the Assistant treasurer where duties include counting and banking of the weekly games fees and redistribution of game tokens etc.*