

Board Director

UNIQUEST

• *World class technology transfer - Brisbane*

UniQuest is the commercialisation company of the University of Queensland (UQ). It delivers commercial outcomes from UQ intellectual property, functioning as a privately constituted subsidiary of the University.

As a Board Member of UniQuest Pty Ltd, you will provide strategic and governance oversight in the realisation of the entity's Vision and Mission, contributing specialist skills and support to the UniQuest leadership team.

You will possess an in-depth knowledge of commercialisation in the health and/or biomedical sector and it would be highly desirable to have experience in the clinical stage development of human therapeutics from an industry perspective. In addition, familiarity with medical devices, IT and AI would be an advantage.

Please view the Position Description on www.brookerconsulting.com.au and send a brief governance CV (Word format, up to 5 pages) to career@brookerconsulting.com.au or ring Jeremy Wurm on 03 9602 1666, in confidence.

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Position Title	UniQuest Director
Reporting Structure and Location	Chair Meetings at Head Office St Lucia or as advised
Primary Internal Relationships	Chief Executive Officer and other Directors
Position Purpose	The Board is responsible for providing strategic and governance oversight of UniQuest Pty Limited.
Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend Board meetings (currently eight per year) and board committee meetings (currently three per year per committee) as required. • Makes serious commitment to participate actively in Board and committee work. • Stay abreast of issues relating to innovation commercialisation in Australia and globally, be informed about Board and committee matters, prepare well for meetings, and contribute openly to Board discussions and decisions. • Get to know other committee members and build a collegial working relationship that encourages frank open and respectful debate. • Actively participate in the Board and committees' annual evaluation and planning activities.
Qualifications and Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A background in human healthcare, biomedical research and clinical medicine. • Experience in the pre-clinical development of human therapeutics and conducting clinical trials is essential. • Experience in drug discovery is highly desirable. • Additional experience in other areas of medtech including devices, IT healthcare and AI medicine would be an advantage. • Working knowledge of governance and strategic leadership.
Skills and Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific skills are required in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ the assessment and selection of human therapeutics (either biologics, small molecules or cell therapies) for pre-clinical development, ○ selection of clinical therapeutic candidates; and ○ the design of clinical trials. • First-hand knowledge of drug discovery is highly desirable • Governance, strategy and risk management • Innovation • Commercialisation and knowledge transfer