



## **GILBERT LORQUET**

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Gilbert is a fundraising and philanthropy specialist, strategist, social entrepreneur, facilitator, academic and sport administrator. Gilbert has over 27 years' experience in fundraising and philanthropy, marketing, communications, law, mediation, education and training, and sport administration.

Gilbert has spent the last 16 years working in the Not-for-Profit sector, covering all aspects of fundraising and philanthropy, working in senior roles at the Australian Cancer Research Foundation, JDRF Australia Type 1 Diabetes Research and the NORTH Foundation. Gilbert joined the philanthropic partner of the Northern Sydney Local Health District, the NORTH Foundation, as its inaugural Chief Executive in 2018, and has led the charge in transforming it from a \$2m operation into a \$20m+ organisation, raising over \$70m over the last 5 years for medical research and patient services and delivering better patient outcomes for our community by bridging the gap between what is needed today and what is possible tomorrow. Gilbert chairs the Northern Sydney Local Health District's Cultural and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) Network. He is also the current Chairman of Football NSW, the peak governing body of Football in NSW, and the largest state sporting organisation in Australia, impacting over 350,000 registered participants.

In 2022, Gilbert completed his MBA (Social Impact) at the University of NSW Australian Graduate School of Management. Gilbert is currently a casual academic at the University of Technology Sydney Business School while undertaking his PhD there – *'Measuring the Social Impact of Grassroots Football in Australia'*.

Gilbert is a current member of Fundraising Institute Australia (FIA), and a former NSW Executive Committee Member of FIA. Gilbert is also a current Member of the Association for Healthcare Philanthropy, Impact100 Sydney, Governance Institute of Australia, Graduate Member of the Institute of Company Directors, Associate Fellow of the Institute of Managers and Leaders Australia and New Zealand, and Associate Member of the Harvard Club of Australia.