

## LOUISE McBRIDE

### Publications

Louise writes regularly for the Australian Financial Review and The Australian Newspaper on taxation matters. Louise has also commented regularly on National Television on business taxation issues and other issues impacting the efficient operation of business in Australia.

- “Tax reform: What should be done” The Sydney Papers Vol. 18 No1 Summer 2006, The Sydney Institute Publications Pty Limited, page 39.
- “Tax reform a ticking time bomb” (Australian Financial review, 11 April 2006).
- “The usual smoke and mirrors inquiry” (Australian Financial Review, 27 February 2006).
- “A case for less tax at the top” (Australian Financial Review, 14 January 2006).
- “Child care should cut mother’s tax “(The Australian, 5 November 2005).
- “It’s only fair to give high income earners a break “(The Australian, 24 October 2005).
- “The case for lower taxes an increased self reliance “(The Australian, 17 October 2005).
- “Reduce tax, abolish deductions and give us all a break”(The Australian, 10 October 2005).
- “Punitive and convoluted tax rules only encourage avoidance” (The Australian, 3 October 2005).
- “The Australian Taxation Office is becoming a law unto itself” (The Australian, 26 September 2005).
- “A taxation system that would leave every one better off” (The Australian, 19 September 2005).
- “Let’s Scrap these Kafkaesque tax laws and start again” (The Australian 12 September 2005).
- “Two tier Scale’s: Big Gains” (The Australian, 5 September 2005).
- “Memo to the Treasurer: big tax cuts will lead to more prosperity” (The Australian, 29 August 2005).
- “Needlessly overtaxed” (The Australian 22 August 2005).
- “End this gearing distortion” (Australian Financial Review, 4 May 2005).
- It’s Time to slash top tax rate “(Australian Financial Review 15 February 2005).
- “Public – private projects are the answer” (Australian Financial Review, 13 December 2004).
- “The case for cutting the top Tax Rate” (Australian Financial Review, 3 November 2002).
- “Child Care no longer a private Luxury” (Australian Financial Review, 16 July 2002).
- “Tax Changes may hinder regional goals” (Australian Financial Review, 15 November 2000).
- “Tax Red Tape Strangles Superannuation” (Australian Financial Review, 26 July 2000).
- “Private Rulings Tax chiefs Biggest Test “(Australian Financial Review, 7 June 2000).

- “Labours Tax Plan a bad joke” (Australian Financial Review, 9 September 1998).
- A package worth fighting for”(Australian Financial Review, 17 August 1998).
- “If were to have a land tax, why not have an equitable one?” (Sydney Morning Herald, 23 December 1997).
- “Frame work for a Tax Revolution” (Sydney Morning Herald, 14 August 1997).

### **Lectures**

Louise has delivered numerous papers for Auscid, The Property Council of Australia, The Law Society of New South Wales, The faculty of Economics University of Sydney, The Business Council of Australia, The Sydney Institute, The Taxation Institute of Australia and The Centre for Independent Studies.

Keynote Speaker: The Sydney Institute - September 2005 “Tax Reform: what should be done”

Keynote Speaker: Infrastructure Finance Forum National Annual conference -2003 “ Taxation Implications for the Public and Private sector in PPP'S and Infrastructure following the reform of section 16D and 51AD of the Income Taxation Assessment, 1936”

Keynote speaker: Institute of Company Directors Annual Conference-2002 “ Corporate Governance”.

Keynote Speaker: Australian Council of Business Women Summit, Parliament House Canberra - 1997 “ Corporate Taxation Reform ”.

Lecturer The Securities Institute of Australia graduate Diploma of Applied Finance and Investment (1994- 2000) Lecturing in:

- Investment Income
- Company Taxation
- Foreign Sourced Income
- Property

Guest Lecturer University of Sydney (undergraduate and post graduate courses) (1992-1998) on:

- Taxation of Financial Arrangements,
- Leasing,
- Debt /Equity.
- Credit Derivatives
- Foreign Exchange
- Hybrids