



# FORTNIGHTLY BULLETIN

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**BULLETIN 14**

Dear Scholars & Members

Welcome to the Fortnightly ILFSN Bulletin.

Please note all invitations for ILFSN functions and events will be sent via the ILFSN Bulletin.

## PREVIOUS EVENTS

To view photos from previous events held by The Industry Leaders Fund please click onto the following link:

<https://industryleaders.com.au/functions-events-photo-gallery/>

## COMING EVENTS/DATES

### **TUESDAY 21 AUGUST**

**THE SOUTH AUSTRALIA DINNER**  
**QUIET ACHIEVER**  
**SA DEFENCE INDUSTRY**  
***SUCCESS STORIES***  
**JIM GROSE - AXIOM PRECISION MANUFACTURING**  
**SCOTT BEGBIE - APC TECHNOLOGY**

Axiom Precision Manufacturing was established in 1979 and was primarily a metal and plastics automotive parts manufacturer until about 12 years ago when Managing Director Jim Grose recognised the need to diversify ahead of most in the industry due to the likely end of auto assembly in Australia. Today Axiom is primarily a high precision

defence oriented manufacturer turning out parts for the JSF and other projects. Axiom's turnover is about to surpass its peak in the heyday of the auto industry. Already a clear leader in the field, Jim Grose is an ILF Scholar and has completed two modules of the three module Owner President Manager course at Harvard to ensure he and Axiom stay well in front.

APC Technology is over 30 years old and produces ruggedized computing solutions that will withstand shock, vibration, dust, dirt, temperature and water. Managing Director, Scott Begbie has ensured that APC has built a reputation for top quality customised solutions by ensuring its heritage of engineering excellence is found in new, innovative products that are solving real life challenges for customers and end users. Scott received an ILF grant to complete the Advanced Management and Leadership Program at Oxford Said Business School.

Both speakers will demonstrate how superior leadership, a passion for innovation, building a great team and exerting a huge work ethic have driven their businesses to greater success. You will be amazed when you hear about these success stories, stories that in all probability very few outside of industry circles know about. Attendance at this dinner is essential if you enjoy great food, fabulous wine, good company and amazement all wrapped inside two hours.

**Tuesday, 21 August 2018**

**Time: 1800—2000**

**Dress: Jacket and Tie**

**Price: \$60.00**

**Two-course dinner & Club beverages**

**Where: Naval, Military & Air Force Club of SA**

**RSVP: By Friday, 17 August 2018**

**\* Late booking fee applies**

**Bookings via [sarah.lewis@navmil.org](mailto:sarah.lewis@navmil.org)  
or call 08 8223 2422.**

## **MONDAY 24 SEPTEMBER**

**ILF GRANT AWARDS CEREMONY – 5.30 TO 7.30 PM**

To be held at: Sanctuary Function Rooms – Adelaide Zoo  
1 Plane Tree Drive, Adelaide

Save the date for the ILF “Premier Event” of the year.

## **FRIDAY 19 OCTOBER**

**ILFSN TRAINING WORKSHOP – GOOD CULTURE IN BUSINESS – 12.30 TO 6.30 PM**

Save the date for a highly requested topic workshop.

### **SCHOLARS IN THE MEDIA** *(Click on the link to read the article)*

**Adrian Fahey (ILF 2016) quoted in Advertiser explaining why Tonsley companies should cooperate to win defence work.**

[https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Tonsley-groups-must-work-as-one-on-defence-The-Advertiser-7\\_18\\_2018.pdf](https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Tonsley-groups-must-work-as-one-on-defence-The-Advertiser-7_18_2018.pdf)

**PowerHealth (Patrick Power, ILF 2014) is the 2018 Telstra South Australian Medium & Making Waves Award winner. The back ground to Patrick's success features in the Advertiser on 21 July. Advertiser acknowledgement of the ILF is greatly appreciated, congratulations and thanks Patrick.**

[https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Software-guru%E2%80%99s-passion-powers-healthy-growth-The-Advertiser-7\\_21\\_2018.pdf](https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Software-guru%E2%80%99s-passion-powers-healthy-growth-The-Advertiser-7_21_2018.pdf)

**La Casa Del Formaggio (Claude Cicchiello ILF 2014) moves to Northern Adelaide.**

<https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Claude.pdf>

**David Hart (ILF 2014) explained how the internet of things can help small and large manufacturers alike at the Industrial Internet 4.0 Conference in Sydney.**

<https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Manufacturing-SMEs-and-the-IIoT.pdf>

**Congratulations to Oscar Fiorinotto (ILF 2017), Jim Grose (ILF 2016), and Grant Wilckens (ILF 2014), all finalists in this EY Entrepreneur of the Year.**

<https://industryleaders.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Meet-the-2018-entrepreneurs.pdf>

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<https://www.ey.com/au/en/about-us/entrepreneurship/entrepreneur-of-the-year/ey-eoy-meet-the-2018-entrepreneurs>

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