



## Jason Preston

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### Qualifications & Memberships

- Registered Liquidator
- Member, CA ANZ
- Fellow, ARITA
- Fellow, FINSIA
- Bachelor of Economics, Macquarie University
- Graduate Diploma of Applied Finance and Investment, FINSIA

### Board Roles

- Turnaround Management Association
- Wheelchair Sports NSW
- Board Member, McGrathNicol

Jason is the Chairman of McGrathNicol and has more than 25 years of experience in restructuring and insolvency. He has worked on some of Australia's most high-profile corporate restructures, advised on large financial transactions and been involved with complex project financing. Examples of Jason's high-profile clients include Cyrus Capital on their bid for Virgin Airlines, Babcock & Brown, HIH Insurance, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Toys R Us, Dick Smith, Steller Property Group and Quintis.

Jason works closely with boards and management to provide strategic and innovative solutions, and has experience in health, infrastructure, financial services, mining services, agriculture, property, transport, and logistics.

As the Chairman, Jason leads the board focused on the firm's strategy and high governance standards. He also contributes to the turnaround industry and corporate renewal in Australia by sitting on the national board of the Turnaround Management Association.

Jason is actively involved in the community and has sat on the Wheelchair Sports NSW board for the last 10 years, an organisation that aims to change the lives of people with a disability through participation in sport.

### Engagement Experience

- Infrastructure and project finance – Financial and restructuring advisor to financiers or sponsors on projects including: Royal Adelaide Hospital, Reliance Rail, Cross City Tunnel, various Department of Defence PPPs, Brisconnect, Bluewaters power station, Worsley power station and Diamantina power station.
- Virgin Australia – Buy-side financial advisor to Cyrus Capital
- Babcock & Brown – Financial and restructuring advisor
- HIH Insurance – Liquidator and Scheme Administrator
- Forum group of Companies – Liquidator
- RCR Tomlinson – Voluntary Administrator and Liquidator
- Quintis Ltd – Receiver and Manager
- Dick Smith – Voluntary Administrator and Liquidator
- McAleese Transport – Voluntary Administrator and Deed Administrator
- American Apparel – Liquidator
- Steller Property Group – Receiver and Manager
- Top Ryde City – Receiver and Manager
- Hyundai, Kia & Daewoo Motor companies – Financial and restructuring advisor
- Hastie Group – Receiver and Manager
- Commander Communications – Receiver and Manager