# CONTACT CENTRE SUMMIT NSW

EVOLVING CUSTOMER SERVICE WITH CHANGING CUSTOMER & EMPLOYEE NEEDS

THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2025 DOLTONE HOUSE, DARLING ISLAND SYDNEY

### **SPEAKERS**



### **KEY TOPICS**

- Envisioning the contact centre of the future
- Revolutionising Self-Service Delivery: How much is too much?
- The Employee Era: Managing employee burn-out
  & mental health concerns
- Creating an emergency response plan & the mentality behind vulnerable calls

### WHO WILL ATTEND?

- Head of Contact Centre
- Head of Customer Service
- Head of Customer Engagement
- Head of Customer Support
- Head of Customer Operations
- Head of Customer Experience

# **SUMMIT AGENDA**

## THURSDAY 13TH FEB 2025

#### 8:30 REGISTRATION, COFFEE & NETWORKING

#### 9:00 WELCOME REMARKS FROM THE CHAIR

#### 9:10 OPENING KEYNOTE: LEARNINGS FROM SERVICES AUSTRALIA'S CONTACT CENTRE

**Jarrod Howard**, Deputy Chief Executive Officer

📱 Customer Service Delivery, Services Australia

#### 9:40 PANEL DISCUSSION ENVISIONING THE CONTACT CENTRE OF THE FUTURE

- Transforming contact centre strategy & structure with the customer in mind
- Diversifying contact channels for customer satisfaction
- Adopting remote and hybrid working models in contact centres

**Tina Morrell,** General Manager, Customer Strategy & Experience Design, Qantas (Former)

Nicole Dollin, General Manager, Customer Contact & Distribution, NRMA

**Taimoor Khan,** Director of Customer Experience, Mad Paws

**Bronwyn Riley**, Head of Core Customer Services, Commonwealth Super Corporation

## **10:20** A 360 VIEW OF YOUR CUSTOMER JOURNEY TO IMPROVE CUSTOMER RETENTION & LOYALTY

#### **10:50 MORNING TEA & NETWORKING**

**11:20 INTERACTIVE:** EFFECTIVE RESOLUTION STRATEGIES IN HIGH-PRESSURE SCENARIOS

#### **11:40 PANEL DISCUSSION** REVOLUTIONISING SELF-SERVICE DELIVERY: HOW MUCH IS TOO MUCH?

- The importance of human connection
- Replace v Assist: The practical application of emerging tech to transform contact centres
- How age demographic changes the way people interact with customer service
- Self service efficiencies to reduce costs & increase revenue

**Gabrijela Juel**, Director Customer Experience Operations, Domain

Amy Dennerly-Minturn, Head of Customer Service, The iconic

**Patricia Occelli**, Director Community & Customer Experience, Woollahra Municipal Council

Angela Grayson, Associate Director Customer Care, HelloFresh

# **12:20** A SEAMLESS OMNICHANNEL EXPERIENCE TO DRIVE EXCELLENT CX

#### 12:50 LUNCH & NETWORKING

#### 1:40 INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS

- The Role of Secure Communications in Modern
  Contact Centres
- Out-Sourcing in a Hybrid World: Blending Onshore and Offshore Teams for Maximum CX Impact
- Leveraging data & AI to observe customer behavior & improve customer experience
- Ensuring data privacy & security in contact centers to increase customer trust
- Remote work & virtual contact centers to improve staff flexibility & retention

#### 2:20 PANEL DISCUSSION THE EMPLOYEE ERA: MANAGING EMPLOYEE BURN-OUT & MENTAL HEALTH CONCERNS

- How leaders can support contact center teams through tough customer interactions
- Quality training to ensure that employees are adequately equipped
- Navigating burn-out & mental health concerns in your team
- Investing in career development & growth opportunities

Laurence Fonsdituri, Head of Customer - New ventures, Coles

Aneta Field, Senior Manager, Customer Support, Honey Insurance

Tahlia Bell, Global Contact Centre Lead, Flight Centre

#### **3:00** DRIVING OMNICHANNEL EXCELLENCE: INTEGRATING DIGITAL CHANNELS FOR UNIFIED CUSTOMER EXPERIENCES

#### **3:30 AFTERNOON TEA & NETWORKING**

# **3:50 KEYNOTE:** THE PSYCHOLOGY BEHIND MANAGING VULNERABLE CALLS & THE IMPACT ON MENTAL WELL-BEING

Mahdi Behardien, Emergency Services Call Centre Manager, Triple Zero Diane Barnett, National Operations Manager,

Triple Zero

#### 4:20 CLOSING REMARKS

#### 4:30 NETWORKING DRINKS

#### 5:30 EVENT END