

Ian Macoun Bio

Ian Macoun is a pioneer of the ‘boutique movement’ of fund managers. He is the founder and managing director of Pinnacle Investment Management (ASX: PNI), and a director of Pinnacle Affiliates; Aikya, Antipodes, Coolabah, Hyperion, Langdon, Life Cycle, Metrics, Palisade, Plato, Resolution Capital, and Solaris.

Ian has broad investment, financial and business experience, including 30 years leading several investment management firms. His career to date has included the establishment of Australia’s first “multi-boutique” funds management firm (Perennial Investment Partners; founding Managing Director, from 1998), building a major new investment corporation (Queensland Investment Corporation; inaugural Chief Executive, from 1988), and the reconstruction of a major Australian bank’s investment operation (Westpac Investment Management; Managing Director, from 1993).

His early experience, in more than 10 years at Queensland Treasury, included extensive involvement with many major Australian and International financial market participants, and leading the Queensland Government’s commercial participation in many major industrial development projects during the ‘boom’ years of the late 1970’s and the 1980’s.