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Michelle Bridges

STUDY CRED As a Les Milis Trainer, she's trained thousands of instructors worldwide AT THE MOMENT When not filming The Biggest Loser, she's promoting her books 5 Minutes a Day and Her 12-Week Body Transformation online fitness program has stripped more than 100,000kg across Oz. CAREER HIGH Winning the Fitness Leader of the Year Award in 2004.

Alice LeMessurier

Bachelor of Laws and is currently completing her MBA.

The former lawyer and now investment advisor is Managing Director of Lemsec, a boutique stockbroking firm, and regularly updates her blog, The Investment Stylist. She aims to offer education and advice to women about finance and help them develop their investment style.

She has initiated a series of women's investment lunches and is on the advisory committee of the Sydney Women's Fund.

Kristen Beck

STUDY CRED Bachelor of Health Science; Postgraduate Diploma of Human Nutrition; Postgraduate Certificate of Education. AT THE MOMENT The nutritionist and mother of three is the director of the **Beck Health and** Nutrition Group, an educational company that provides short nutritional courses and the latest health research and info. CAREER HIGH "Being the WH nutrition expert,

of course!" she says.

Dr Traci Coventry

Doctorate in Clinical Psychology (Child and Family Specialisation);

Honours in Behavioural Diploma in Psychology; Honours in Arts. AT THE MOMENT

The clinical

working on a "how-to guide for great sex and lasting love; a series of self-help books

CAREER HIGH The horse enthusiast has been motivating sportspeople within the equestrian field for years.

Nicole Goodwin

Diploma of Remedial Massage; Diploma of Health/Yoga; many years of yoga study with various teachers around the world.

Runs BodyMindLife yoga studio in Sydney's Surry Hills. "It's about to relaunch in new premises with two big yoga rooms, a meditation room, massage therapy rooms and space for retail therapy."

Being the first Aussie to feature on the cover of the Australian Yoga Journal.

Leona Watson

STUDY CRED Studied at Le Cordon Bleu cooking school in Sydney; travelled the globe doing courses in Italy, Thailand, France

and England.
AT THE MOMENT
As director of the

Cheeky Food Group, she runs teambuilding cooking classes for businesses. Her first cookbook is in the works.

CAREER HIGH

Winning the award for Outstanding **Business Growth** with the Australian **Businesswomen's** Network; teaching 1800 people to flambé at MasterChef Live.



LeMessurier's tip Set a monthly budget and review it weekly. This way you won't put off saving until next month.



Watson's tip Whenever you think food needs a little something, add a squeeze of lemon. It's healthy, easy and always does the trick.

OUR EXPERTS



Dr Elizabeth Dawes-Higgs

STUDY CRED Bachelor of Medicine: Bachelor of Surgery, Bachelor of

Engineering; PhD in Medicine; fellow of the of Dermatology, the for Laser Medicine and Surgery and Academy of Cosmetic Dermatology, Phew. AT THE MOMENT

as vascular (red) birthmarks in adults and spider veins and broken capillaries on face, neck and legs. completing her PhD.

Dr Suzy Green

Bachelor of Psychology; Honours Degree in Psychology: Doctorate in Clinical Psychology.

The clinical psychologist runs the Positive Psychology Institute, which aims to improve wellbeing in schools and workplaces.

Receiving an Institute of Coaching grant from Harvard University, US, and being a keynote speaker at 2011's Mind and its Potential Conference in Sydney.

Jacqueline Hellyer

STUDY CRED
A Masters of Science in Sexual Health; Bachelor of Science: **Graduate Diploma** in Applied Science; Bachelor of Arts; certified life coach.

AT THE MOMENT The sex therapist holds workshops and private sessions on sexual empowerment and is writing her third book on female sexual archetypes. Oh, and she has a black belt in Aikido.

CAREER HIGH Changing people's attitudes towards their sexuality, especially as many assume sex is a sleazy kind of thing".

GP Dr Ginni Mansberg

Going from high school to medical added a Postgraduate AT THE MOMENT The Sunrise regular sees patients at her

"Being a GP is an opportunity to change peoples' lives every single day," she says. As well as looking after her blended

family of eight, she's also writing her fourth book.

Kerryn Phelps on TV. I never thought I'd have the very same role myself. I pinch myself every day."

Tara Diversi

Bachelor of Health Science; Masters of Nutrition and Dietetics; an MBA; Graduate Diploma of Psychology; Postgraduate Diploma of Psychology. "As you can see, I'm a studyholic!"

The accredited practising dietitian has two nutrition books in the works and is planning to swim the English Channel in 2013. As you do.

Her first book. The Good Enough Diet, was released in 2011.

Meet the advisory panel

Complementary Medicine

Dr Stephen Myers Professor and director of the Natural and Complementary Medicine Research Unit at Southern Cross University, NSW.

Endocrinology/ Diabetes

Dr Helena Teede Endocrinologist at Jean Hailes for Women's Health.

Fertility

Dr Julie Lukic Obstetrician and gynaecologist specialising in IVF infertility care.

Fitness

Kate Pumpa Lecturer in exercise physiology at the University of Canberra, ACT.

Ray Klerck Qualified fitness trainer who runs an online training and nutrition business.

enterology Dr Alissa Walsh Sydney-based gastroenterologist and hepatologist.

Gynaecology Dr Elizabeth Farrell Gynaecologist and founding member of Jean Hailes for Women's Health.

Mental health

Dr Anne Buist Professor of Psychiatry at the University of Melbourne, Vic.

Nutrition

Sharon Natoli Accredited practising dietitian and founding director of Food & Nutrition Australia.

Relationships

Natalie Rinehart Relationships counsellor; author of The Organics of Relationships.

Weight loss

Dr Eva Kemps Senior lecturer in psychology at Flinders University, SA.



Diversi's tip Make non-starchy vegetables the star of your meals at least twice a day.