## 2021 Judging Panel Member



## ANDREW SIMPSON Managing Director / Mission Solutions Pty Ltd - Indigenous Tourism Development Consultant

Andrew is a passionate and highly experienced hospitality and tourism professional with a strong track record assisting Indigenous individuals, businesses and communities achieve economic independence whilst maintaining and preserving their culture and country though innovative cultural tourism enterprises supported by hands on mentoring, management, business & marketing planning, flexible training and business support services.

Andrew has over 25 years' experience at a senior management level managing unique and remote tourism enterprises and resorts throughout the North of Australia, Papua New Guinea and the Solomon Islands, and over 10 years Indigenous and mainstream tourism development experience as a consultant/mentor.

Andrew is now based in Mossman FNQ where he also provides mentoring for the programs delivered by the National Indigenous Training Academy (NITA) that operates at the Mossman Gorge Centre, managed by Voyages Indigenous Tourism Australia.



