

## Executive Committee Candidate Profile



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| <b>Member Entity Name:</b>                  | <b>Good Group Hospitality</b>                                                      |
| <b>Member Entity Address:</b>               | <b>Level 2 Offices, Shed 22, Prince's Wharf, 147 Quay Street, Auckland Central</b> |
| <b>Candidate Name:</b>                      | <b>Hamish Klein</b>                                                                |
| <b>Candidate Role within Member Entity:</b> | <b>Chief Operating Officer</b>                                                     |

### Candidate Biography

(maximum 50 words)

As Chief Operating Officer of Good Group Hospitality, Hamish Klein leads hospitality operations across a portfolio of premium restaurants and bars. He offers extensive experience in hospitality, tourism, employment and commercial performance, and is committed to helping Auckland's city centre thrive for businesses, visitors and residents.

### Candidate Statement

(maximum 200 words)

I am seeking election to the Heart of the City Executive Committee because I care deeply about the future success of Auckland's city centre and the businesses, employees and visitors who contribute to its success. As Chief Operating Officer of Good Group Hospitality, I have extensive experience leading multi-site hospitality operations, managing large teams and delivering commercial outcomes in highly competitive environments. I would bring a practical operator's perspective, with experience across hospitality, tourism, customer experience, people leadership and business performance. I understand the opportunities and challenges facing city-centre businesses and the importance of creating a safe, vibrant and attractive destination for locals and visitors alike. I believe I can contribute by helping Heart of the City maintain a strong connection with frontline businesses, supporting initiatives that drive visitation and economic activity, and contributing to effective governance, stakeholder engagement and long-term planning. I am committed to working collaboratively to ensure Auckland's city centre continues to thrive and remains a destination that businesses, residents and visitors are proud to support.