

## **Professor Perry Hobson**

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Nominated by Ms Gienke Osinga Director, Academy of Hotel & Facility Management, Breda University of Applied Sciences & Deputy Chair and Director, THE-ICE, The Netherlands

Awarded for his outstanding individual support of THE-ICE.

Professor Perry Hobson was recognised for his outstanding contributions to THE-ICE, including overseeing the transition of THE-ICE from being an initiative of the Australian Federal Government (2004-2008) into a not-for-profit international accreditation body.

As well as this, Professor Perry Hobson has shown outstanding commitment and provided significant contributions to the vision of THE-ICE and to excellence in international TH&E education, training and/or research, including active promotion of THE-ICE brand in the global arena and commitment to connecting academics, lecturers, and universities to boost tourism and hospitality education through research projects, student and lecturer exchange.

Professor Perry Hobson has provided ongoing support of THE-ICE and its members over more than a decade, in his past and present professional roles in TH&E Education as well as in his formal capacity with THE-ICE.