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What prompted you to join EIANZ?

I first joined in the early stages of my career as the membership provided me with networking, learning and some mentoring opportunities.

What do you value most about being a member?

I am not very active as a member, however there is industry recognition of the membership.

Has being a member helped you develop mentoring relationships and/or extend your professional networks? Can you tell us about the impact these relationships have had on your career development?

The most significant mentoring relationship I have had through EIANZ was with Sue Little FEIANZ. Sue and I worked together as ISO14001 auditors. Her guidance and support during my early days as an auditor were invaluable.

What do you find most rewarding about a career in the environment sector?

There is a strong alignment between my personal and professional values. I have been privileged to work with some excellent practitioners during my career and enjoy the passion that each of these individuals bring to their role. We all share a common interest in pursuing positive environmental outcomes for the greater good.

What advice would you give to recent graduates just starting out in the environment sector?

I think it is a great time to work as an environmental practitioner. Business expectations have changed over the past decade, and good environmental practice and transparency around environmental performance is now expected. I can't recommend the use of a mentor highly enough, particularly someone from a similar environmental background.