

Peter Malcolm

Inspire, Connect, Empower



Peter Malcolm is an Environmental & Social Champion, Civil Celebrant, Storyteller and Community Village Developer. He is Director of **CoolGlobe** and is passionately committed to meeting the challenge of global warming head on. He educates and empowers individuals and companies to become climate conscious and to take effective action.

Peter works closely with Aboriginal Elders and their Communities helping to build bridges between the cultures. Together with a close-knit team, he has partnered with corporations to create new possibilities for these communities to prosper and reclaim their dignity. In September 2007, for the third year in a row, Peter and the Pelican team, worked closely with the Guugu Yimidhirr people in their traditional sea country. Sailing on the 19m catamaran ***Pelican 1***, the team delivers a harm prevention program for Aboriginal youngsters that spans many years. The team is committed to continue working with the Hope Vale Aboriginal Community. This project was reported on the ABC's 7.30 Report and Message Stick programs in Nov 2007.

In his earlier life, Peter campaigned with Greenpeace on many projects including halting nuclear testing in the Pacific and saving Antarctica. He has led youth and corporate expeditions in remote wilderness locations such as Africa, the Australian Desert and Antarctica. He has many rich stories to tell.

Peter has sailed boats and ships delivering unique projects all over the world with an emphasis on social and environmental change. One of these projects saw 6 young people with drug and abuse issues take part in a 17-day sailing expedition into Bass Strait. A 5-part TV series called "If It Doesn't Kill You" was created from this expedition, which won critical acclaim internationally. Peter has visited Antarctica 19 times to date, including East Antarctica in Jan08 and a corporate leadership program to the Antarctic Peninsular in Mar08.

Together with a Core Team, Peter founded the Bunjil Community Village project. This project is setting up a sustainable, carbon-free, non-religious Community on 800 acres of land, 90 mins north of Melbourne. Bunjil is about abundant community, about securing water, organic food, energy and transport and about creating a world class Community Village under a Community Land Trust structure.

Peter has a passion for helping people reach for their highest goals in life. He inspires greater personal awareness and a deeper connection with ourselves primarily, and from there to our families, work colleagues and the land.

Peter specialises in climate protection with an emphasis on achieving long-term positive goals by doing small achievable steps. He focuses on educating and inspiring companies to take up the challenge of sustainable action on climate protection.

Peter's audiences are energised by his storytelling and heartfelt style of speaking, combined with humour and stunning visual images. He assists people to broaden their outlook and plan for a changing future. He inspires people to become more engaged and therefore to bring more meaning to their professional and private lives.

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[CoolGlobe: www.coolglobe.com.au](http://www.coolglobe.com.au)

[Bunjil Community Village: www.bunjil.com.au](http://www.bunjil.com.au)

[Catamaran Pelican 1: www.svpelican.com.au](http://www.svpelican.com.au)

Travels from **Melbourne, Australia**

Speaker Topics

Peter's Talks can be a mixture of the following to suit client needs:

•**A Climate of Change** – inspiring and empowering your people to take passionate ownership of climate protection & a changing world

•**Antarctic Expeditions** - Peter brings a story about strong teams, working in adversity, with limited resources, in a frequently hostile and rapidly changing environment, with ambitious goals and under great pressure to succeed. Sound familiar? Based on his experiences of 19 expeditions to Antarctica and his work with Indigenous Communities and climate change, Peter tells an engaging and inspiring story that is a rallying cry for the future. It is about being informed in these changing times, about risk management, about inspirational leadership thinking creatively, and about turning potential problems into sustainable opportunities.

•**Heroic Corporate Citizenship** – get Inspired, Connect your People and create Positive Steps towards a Better Future

•**Connect** - bringing Indigenous Wisdom into our Core Principles - presentation includes Indigenous Elder Max Harrison, Djarla Dulumunum

Feedback for Peter Malcolm's Talks & Programs

Peter was absolutely sensational. He offered our guests the opportunity to leave after 1 hour, nobody did - they begged him to keep talking! In his second talk, he held us all transfixed for over an hour!! I watched both talks, which were essentially the same, and I was fascinated the entire time. He is, without a doubt, the best speaker we've hosted here during my time at the National Archives (1 1/2 years). **National Archives of Australia**

Peter was very good to listen to, and connected well with the audience. I had very good responses from most of the delegates that I was able to speak to about him, some of whom thought he was really excellent, and had a great message. **Inaugural Conference of Australian Members of Parliament, July 2007**

Peter I wanted to thank you for your fantastic presentation today at our office on your passion of looking after our environment and doing great things for the world and it's people! I think it's great to see people with a such a passion for something that they don't let anything stand in their way, that's just so impressive, because as you said we always listen to the people around us or 'the little voice' in our head and that stops us! We definitely need more people like you in the world! Thank you again. **Merrill Lynch Investment Managers**

Peter Thank you for speaking at our team-building day last Thursday. I have received a great deal of very positive feedback regarding your presentation, the content and the way it was delivered. The consistent theme from the feedback is that our people were left feeling very motivated and inspired by the experiences that you and your colleagues have been through. A number of people also mentioned to me how impressed they were by your ability to weave in the relevant snippets about ANZ and the team day activities they had experienced on the day. Good research !! As I said in my summary comments, your presentation illustrated several points to our group: * the importance of having and maintaining a vision * the value of inspiration and passion * the importance of perseverance in times of adversity * always be outcome focused * take small steps towards the big vision * think outside the box * never underestimate the impact of values and personal leadership Thanks again. It was a pleasure to meet you. Good luck with your ventures. **Head of Program Management, ANZ Bank**

Peter Malcolm is a dynamic and inspirational speaker. He has a fantastic story to tell and does it as well as any of the top motivational speakers on the circuit today. Peter has led leadership and teamwork expeditions for The Coca-Cola Company in such diverse environments as the South African bush and the frozen shores of Antarctica. Part ecologist, explorer and coach - Peter is a well organized, challenging and motivational expedition leader. He has a unique way of combining adventure, humour and excitement to create corporate leadership and team building exercises that can truly change peoples' lives. He has a keen ability to use the natural environment to teach valuable leadership and team building skills. Your team will gain an enhanced respect for the natural world while engaging in challenging tasks and exercises that are sure to make them a more effective team and productive individuals. If your organization is looking for a way to enhance team building and

develop new leaders, don't send your employees to a generic leadership seminar or force them to read the latest management fad journals or books, hire Peter to take them into expedition mode and experience a real journey that is sure to add significant value to the teambuilding and leadership training efforts of your company.

Coca Cola Co, Atlanta

We live in an area where the livelihood of many people depend on the mining/power industry, however I think your approach has being well received and people recognise we need to change. Your talk has promoted that thinking and we probably need to see more of your type of presentation. Personally I got a lot out of it I have always had an interest in Antarctica so to see your photos and hear your comments was excellent and prompted much thought on my behalf. **Gippsland Event Management**

Peter Malcolm was an entertaining and insightful speaker, sharing his tales of adventures and the challenges he and his team overcame to reach their goals. He impressively weaved the Merrill Lynch principles through his talk and related them to real life issues. I think we were all left with a better appreciation of environmental factors and that we can all help. Peter is a superb example of positive thinking and what can be achieved when you follow your dreams. **Merrill Lynch, Australia**

Once again, thank you very much for coming to speak to the students. The feedback from the students was extremely positive. It was a passionate and inspiring presentation, supported by relevant scientific evidence and lots of great stories. I was also very impressed by your ability to tailor your presentation to the needs of my students. I am sure that you will have inspired many of them to both envision and enact positive social change in their future work and personal lives. Thanks again and good luck with all your future endeavours. **University of Melbourne**

The room was the quietest I have ever experienced when a guest speaker is talking. Peter was very animated, and his passion was evident. Almost everyone asked where I found the guest speaker, and I was more than happy to tell them. I know that he will be invited to return to this area in the future, as we think he has many messages to pass on to the communities in the Buloke and surrounding Shires. His presentation was of a very professional standard. **Wycheproof Community Resource Centre**