

Company Profile

Baillie Lodges is an intimate collection of premium luxury lodges in exclusive locations of unique natural significance. The boutique properties appeal to the discerning global traveller seeking a remarkable experience. Baillie Lodges was founded in 2003 by life and business partners James and Hayley Baillie, who together bring a wealth of high end tourism experience to this dynamic venture. James was instrumental in the set up of exceptional nature-based tourism properties in locations such as Lizard, Heron and Bedarra Islands, the Daintree and Tasmania, whilst Hayley sought adventure as leader on the world's best expedition ships.

Baillie Lodges aims to set new benchmarks in Australian luxury experiential travel.

Capella Lodge on World Heritage listed **Lord Howe Island** was the first property in this exciting boutique portfolio. Treasured as one of the world's 'best kept secrets' this spectacular subtropical island paradise is a short two hour flight from Sydney, making Lord Howe an easy option for both domestic and international travellers. This tiny island is fringed by the world's southern most coral reef system showcased in clear, warm waters free of marine stingers.

Capella Lodge rests at the foot of dramatically rising twin peaks, Mts Gower and Lidgbird and is the only island accommodation commanding spectacular ocean, lagoon and mountain views. The Lodge's contemporary luxury coupled with the destination's nature-based experiences including walking, snorkelling, fishing and diving make Capella Lodge the preferred option for discerning guests seeking a sophisticated island escape.

Globally celebrated and multi-award winning **Southern Ocean Lodge** on **Kangaroo Island** is Australia's first true luxury wilderness lodge. Twenty-one luxury suites extend along the rugged limestone clifftops of one of Australia's most remote and pristine locations, bordered by National Parks and boasting panoramic views of the Southern Ocean and surrounding untouched coastal wilderness.

A destination teeming with native Australian wildlife is explored with personalised Lodge-based adventures – guests encounter sea lions at Seal Bay, kangaroos and wallabies hopping freely and perhaps catch sight of a koala or echidna in the wild. Rates include fine locally sourced cuisine and beverages, offering guests a sample of the very best of Australia, a must-visit for local and international visitors alike.

The Baillie Lodges properties are recognised for their standout natural locations, architectural integrity, locally sourced fine cuisine, first name service and dynamic approach to ecological sustainability. Capella and Southern Ocean Lodge together deliver a unique and exclusive Australian luxury experience.

Baillies Sydney in the heart of the historic Rocks precinct is set to open in late 2013. Intimate, rarefied and bespoke, Baillies Sydney will provide a level of experiential accommodation new to the cosmopolitan harbour city. A unique blend of heritage sense of place melded with contemporary Australian design, first name hosted service and a quintessential location will afford status as an iconic hotel establishment in The Rocks.

Capella and Southern Ocean Lodge are honoured as founding members of **Luxury Lodges of Australia**, celebrating a new era of Australian experiential luxury accommodation and adventure.