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John Mutton

Executive General Manager: Strategic Partnerships Community Broker Network



John joined CBN's Executive in October 2024, bringing extensive experience as a results-oriented leader, specialising in insurance broking and risk management.

With a strong track record in senior management and executive roles, including Managing Director at Marsh (Pacific Head of Corporate & Commercial) and CEO of Austbrokers Corporate, John now spearheads CBN's M&A function and key investments. His role focuses on stakeholder engagement, management, growth, and operational efficiency.

A career insurance professional, John has an entrepreneurial personality with extensive experience in client management, placement, business development, claims advocacy and risk consulting. He has retail experience in several insurance markets, including New Zealand, Singapore and the USA, complemented by a deep understanding of global wholesale broking, Lloyd's, and company markets.

John is a highly technical insurance professional, with a keen interest in insurance program due-diligence and design. Having worked on a number of pre-listing projects and private equity transactions (buy-side and sell-side), he has proven experience in risk-register review, development and M&A-based risk & insurance projects. John has managed businesses of all sizes, across a myriad of industries and geographies.

John holds master's degrees in Commercial Law and Insurance & Risk Management, as well as a Graduate Diploma (Financial Services). In 2014, John won the National Insurance Brokers Association (NIBA) "Broker of the Year" Award based on industry professionalism, community participation and education. John was a subject matter expert for ANZIIF's academic program. He is a former Victorian NIBA Committee member and has lectured at Monash University on risk and insurance. John is a NIBA Fellow and ANZIIF CIP Fellow.

Outside his professional life, John is married to Suzanne, they have two sons – Tom and Will (both studying at university) and two miniature poodles – Hugo and Reggie. A passionate Geelong supporter, John is a keen cyclist and has recently found a passion for the outdoors, with camping and 4WDing.