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PROFILE

Having grown up on a family run Stud Farm I was immersed in the New Zealand Thoroughbred Industry. This led me completing a Bachelor of Commerce as I believe in order to be involved in any modern operation in the thoroughbred industry requires qualification at a higher level. I strive to contribute whilst in a team and find enjoyment working towards a common objective.

EDUCATION

Godolphin Flying Start / 2021-2023

Godolphin Flying Start is a two year, full time Management and Leadership training programme that specialises in the international Thoroughbred racing and breeding industry. It is accredited by University College Dublin and trainees gain experience in Ireland, Australia, USA, UK and the UAE

Victoria University of Wellington / 2018-2020

Bachelor of Commerce: Double Major Economics and Finance, Minor International Relations. 2020 Dean's List for Academic Excellence, University Rugby player and Business Investment Club.

St Peter's School, Cambridge New Zealand / 2011 – 2017

NZ NCEA Level 1, 2 & 3

EXPERIENCE

Te Akau Racing Stable, New Zealand / February-August

Morning work for New Zealand champion trainer Jamie Richard's Te Akau Racing Stable. General groundwork, tacking and post exercise care. Working with high-class horses competing at the height of Australasian Group One racing.

Yarraman Park Stud, Australia / February 2020

Parading Yearlings at the Inglis Classics Yearling Sale at Riverside. Highlights include leading through the draft's top lot and sale's third highest-priced yearling. Yarraman were the leaders on average and gross.

ACHIEVEMENTS

*Victoria School of Business
and Government / 2020*

DEAN'S LIST ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Waipa District Youth Awards / 2018

MERIT FOR LEADERSHIP

St Peter's School, Cambridge / 2017

HEAD BOY, STUDENT

SKILLS

TEAM
MANAGEMENT

PUBLIC SPEAKING

HORSEMANSHIP

PROBLEM
SOLVING

REFERENCES

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*Jamie Richards,
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USA

AUSTRALIA

EUROPE

INTERESTS

International Sports

I have found the enjoyment of rugby at representative and more recently a social level along with cricket. I have a keen interest in professional rugby and cricket as well as Australasian horse racing and major European race days.

Financial Markets

Although I'm a novice in the investing area, the real interest falls in the responses the major world markets have to the events happening around the world. In the last couple of years, the financial markets have increasingly been reincluded in news stories for the irrational values that some of the markets have shown throughout COVID-19 which have been interesting to follow.