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Acting College Principal: Ms Julia Niamh

Adam Hogan (College Principal)- Adam is passionate about leadership development, education, health, and supporting regional communities to grow and thrive.

Adam began his career studying chemical engineering and science at the University of Melbourne, followed by a Graduate Diploma of Education at Monash University. Adam served with Victoria Police as a sworn officer for four years, before transitioning to education and leadership.

Adam has worked as a teacher, principal, network chair and Acting SEIL, with a strong track record of achieving outcomes and transforming schools. Under his current principalship, Lowanna College has grown from 750 to 1100 students, and from 120 to 175 staff, all while student literacy and numeracy growth has shifted from DET's lowest performance category (Transform) to now the highest category (Influence).

Adam completed his Master of Education (Leadership) with first class honours, and was awarded Dux of his Master of Business Administration (MBA) with a perfect grade point average.

With strong interest in leadership, Adam has completed numerous leadership courses at the Bastow Institute of Leadership, including Changemakers, Leading Literacy, High Impact Leadership Teams, Evolve, Coach in a Box, Open to Learning, and WISE (System Leaders). Adam has mentored numerous leaders via the Bastow UP Program, supported leaders through the Victorian Aspirant Principal Assessment (VAPA), and facilitates the Bastow Inspire Leadership Program.

Adam is an accredited coach through Growth Coaching International, and an accredited facilitator at Genos International, specialising in Emotionally Intelligent (EQ) Leadership. Adam currently coaches a number of principal-class members in support of Victoria's public education system.

Adam has served on numerous governance committees, including the inaugural DET State Integrity Leadership Group, Board Director of the Latrobe Valley Flexible Learning Option (FLO), the Churchill United Soccer Club, and the Biggest Blokes BBQ for prostate cancer support and awareness.

In his spare time, Adam enjoys farm life with his family in Gippsland. Adam loves sport, music, photography, skiing, the family pets, and keeps well with strength training and running.

Adam is currently on secondment and will return to the college in Term 3, 2025.