

# DOMINIC COLLEGE HALL OF ACHIEVEMENT

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## BUSINESS & COMMUNITY SERVICE



*Simon Stolp: Dominic College 1972 – 1984*

Simon Stolp has had a distinguished career working in some of the most politically volatile countries in the Middle East. From 2004 until 2008, Simon worked in Iraq for the Australian Government on secondment to the US Department of Defence Program Director. His role was to manage the investment of US\$5.5 billion in the reconstruction of the Iraq electricity sector. Also while in Iraq, Simon was appointed the World Bank's Country Manager, working directly with Ministers of the Government to manage the International Compact and arranged US\$60 billion in debt relief for the country. Simon has received several significant awards for his diligence, service and achievements, including a Joint Civilian Service-commendation Award from the US Department of Defence, which is usually reserved for US citizens only. In 2009, Simon is working for the World Bank and is situated in Beirut, Lebanon, where he consults with the Governments of Iraq, Lebanon, Syria, West-bank Gaza and Iran on the development of their energy infrastructure.