

**Fortix winner of Qbit's  
'Technology Award'  
In 23rd Belmont & WA Small Business Awards**

Fortix was one of many Western Australian small businesses awarded in the 23rd Belmont & WA Small Business Awards on the 26th October 2016. The winners were showcased at the 'Night of Stars Event' in the ballroom of the Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre.

The awards provide a fantastic opportunity for small and growing enterprises from Belmont and across Western Australia to be recognised for their achievements.

To start proceedings, Spirit of the Streets Choir performed followed by the Welcome to Country given by Ken Hayward from Marr Mooditj Training. Chair of the Belmont Business Enterprise Centre, Jules Lewin gave the official welcome, and then WA Small Business; Mines & Petroleum & Finance Minister, Hon Sean L'Estrange delivered his message. The Australian Small Business Minister, The Hon Michael McCormack spoke and presented the certificates to the Finalists.

MC's for the evening were Past Chair of Belmont BEC Cassie Rowe and BPW Australia National President Jasmyn Mumme. Attendees on the night enjoyed a WA Designer Showcase which was supported by Silverstar Designs, La Luna Lifestyle, AANI, Concrete Ambition, Cherrilane Corsets, d'Clare House of Design and Villamar Couture with Lust Pearls. Thank you to all models and the behind the scenes team co-ordinated by SaSSy Minx Events.

Winner of the 'Technology Award' was Fortix which was sponsored by Qbit.

Paul Faix from Fortix said, "Fortix is a technology company providing cloud based software solutions for growing small medium enterprises. Our cutting edge, cloud based software automates business processes, saves time and drives profits for our clients and empowers successful enterprises."

Dave Musarra from Qbit said, "Investing in the latest technology ensures Qbit are leaders in the IT services field. Qbit is a progressive and proactive Information Technology company that provides products and services to Perth based businesses. We pride ourselves on not just delivering good customer service, but exceptional customer. Well done to Fortix on their award win."

For further details on all winners of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Belmont & WA Small Business Awards 2016 visit [www.belmontbec.com/awards](http://www.belmontbec.com/awards)

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