

## **RES-Q winner of Belmont BEC & TCFWA's 'Judges Award' in 21st Belmont Small Business Awards**

RES-Q was one of more than 25 Western Australian small businesses awarded in the 21st Belmont Small Business Awards. The winners were showcased at the 'Night of Stars Event' Grand Ballroom, Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre, Perth on October 31<sup>st</sup> with over 340 attending. This year's MC's were Belmont BEC Patron Louise Percy and Chair Cassie Rowe. Mayor Cr Phil Marks gave a business update on the City of Belmont and AusIndustry WA Assistant State Manager Julie Mizen presented a message from The Hon Bruce Billson MP, Small Business Minister.

RES-Q won the 'Judges Award' in the 2014 Belmont Small Business Awards. Res-Q offer 24 hour per day IT solutions via their team of mobile IT Engineers with an amazing managed service that takes all the headache out of IT. Res-Q learned that 83% of their customers required a simple 'How-To' session to solve their problems, and went about creating a chat assistant program so that technicians could quickly help them with their problem. Their mission is to give Your Business the tailored solution that doesn't break the bank while putting Your Business one step ahead of your competitors. The RES-Q motto is "Predict and prevent rather than learn the hard way".

The sponsor of the 'Judges Award' was Belmont BEC and TCFWA. Carol Hanlon is the founding CEO of the Belmont Business Enterprise Centre Inc and also Founder & CEO of Textile Clothing, Footwear Resource Centre Inc (1998). This year the Carol Hanlon is celebrating helping small businesses in Australia and Internationally for over 20 years. The Board of both organisations thanks Carol Hanlon for her tireless work for the small business sector. The Judges Award is awarded to a business entry that the team of Judges believes is a stand out – but that might not fit into one specific category. Congratulations to this year's winner.

Five multi award winning business were also inducted into the Hall of Fame of the Belmont Small Business Awards. Attendees on the night enjoyed a WA Designer Showcase which was supported by House of Skye, Accesso-ride, Convict Bags, Jonte, Debbie Kelly Millinery and Ingrid Hocking Couture. Alpha Models showcased their talented development Models with hair styling provided by Pierrots and makeup by SC Make-Up Artistry. In addition, entertainer Miss Poppy performed on the night.

For further details on all winners of the 21st Belmont Small Business Awards 2014 visit [www.belmontbec.com/awards](http://www.belmontbec.com/awards)

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