

PROFESSOR LYN BEAZLEY

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After graduating from Oxford and Edinburgh Universities, Professor Lyn Beazley built an internationally renowned research team of neuroscientists that focused on recovery from brain damage. Many of Professor Beazley's investigations were undertaken as Winthrop Professor at The University of Western Australia. She is currently Adjunct Professor of Science at Murdoch University.

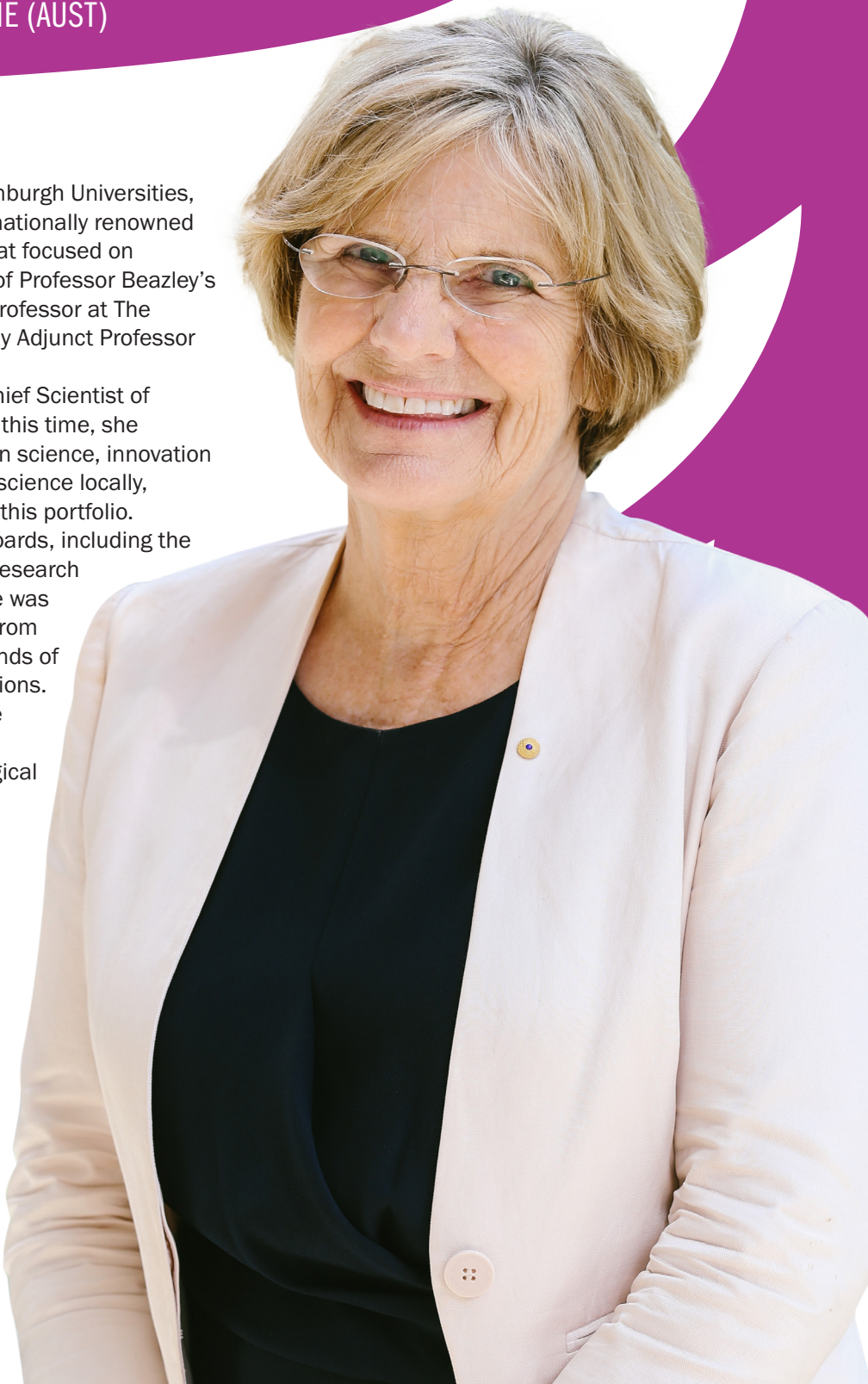
Professor Beazley was honoured to be the Chief Scientist of Western Australia from 2006 to 2013. During this time, she advised the Western Australian Government on science, innovation and technology. Acting as an ambassador for science locally, nationally and internationally was also part of this portfolio.

Professor Beazley currently serves several boards, including the Federal Government's Terrestrial Ecosystem Research Network and the National Blood Authority. She was a Trustee of the Western Australian Museum from 1999-2006 and currently is Patron of the Friends of the Museum, along with many other organisations.

Professor Beazley was awarded Officer of the Order of Australia in 2009. She was elected a Fellow of the Australian Academy of Technological Sciences and Engineering later that year and Fellow of the Australian Academy of Science in 2019. In 2011, she was inducted into the inaugural Western Australian Women's Hall of Fame, followed by being elected a Fellow of the Australian College of Educators and a Companion of Engineers Australia.

Professor Beazley has worked tirelessly to promote STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) to the community, especially to young people. In 2012, she was thrilled to become the second recipient of the Governor's Award for Giving, in recognition of her enthusiastic philanthropy.

Professor Beazley's achievements saw her inducted into the Western Australian Science Hall of Fame and receive the WA Australian of the Year Award in 2015.



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