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“Reflections on economic and political developments in Australia over the last 50 years”

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Host: Prof John Mattick

Charles Curran, who has qualifications in law and accounting, has an extensive career in Australian business and public life. He is Chairman of Capital Investment Group and a member of the Board of International Advisors of Goldman Sachs. He had been Chairman or director of a number of public companies including Ampol, Greater Union, Perpetual, Pioneer and QBE.

In the community field, he is Chairman of Trustees of the St Vincent's Curran Foundation, an Ambassador of the Australian Indigenous Education Foundation and a member of the Corporate Council of the European Australian Business Council, where he had been Vice President from 2007 to 2010. He was formerly Chairman of the Australian Ireland Fund, St Vincent's Hospital Sydney, the Garvan Institute of Medical Research, The Sydney Health Service, the National Gallery of Australia Foundation, Deputy Chairman of the Council of the National Gallery of Australia, Vice President of the Royal Institute for Deaf and Blind Children, a Director of the Young Endeavour Youth Scheme and President of the Australia Day Regatta.

He was awarded Officer of the Order of Australia (AO) in 1987 and elevated to Companion of the Order of Australia (AC) in June 2006.