

## Michelle Guthrie Public Statements

[Note: does not include interviews, statements, etc prior to MG's appointment as ABC MD – 2 May 2016]

### 2016

- 5 May Australian Parliament, Senate Environment and Communications Legislation Committee, Estimates, Communications and Arts Portfolio, Hansard 5 May 2016  
<http://parlinfo.aph.gov.au/parlInfo/search/display/display.w3p;db=COMMITTEES;id=committees%2Festimate%2Fb19bf7a6-6ab9-44ee-a37b-9b713dd4dc8a%2F0015;query=id%3A%22committees%2Festimate%2Fb19bf7a6-6ab9-44ee-a37b-9b713dd4dc8a%2F0011%22>
- 28 July “The ABC of Innovation, address to Creative Country: the business of innovation”, address to *Creative Country: the business of innovation conference*, Melbourne, Australia, 28 July 2016.  
**NB 1<sup>st</sup> public speech as MD**  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/the-abc-of-innovation-address-to-creative-country-the-business-of-innovation/>
- 11 August “A Global ABC”, Address to the 2016 Lowy Institute Media Award Dinner, Sydney, Australia, 11 August 2016  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/a-global-abc-address-to-the-2016-lowy-institute-media-award-dinner/>
- 18 October Australian Parliament, Senate Environment and Communications Legislation Committee, Estimates, Communications and Arts Portfolio, Hansard 18 October 2016  
<http://parlinfo.aph.gov.au/parlInfo/search/display/display.w3p;query=id%3A%22committees%2Festimate%2Fc466bea3-acfe-498d-9f40-775a6b98d9dd%2F0007%22>
- 28 October “Keynote Address: ABC News: Dexterity, Diversity and Collaboration”, to *New News Conference* 28-29 Oct 2016 – (run annually by Centre for Advancing Journalism; 2016 in partnership with Swinburne University and Wheeler Centre).  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/abc-news-dexterity-diversity-and-collaboration/>
- 16 November Address to Telstra Business Women's Awards, 16 November 2016  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/address-to-2016-telstra-business-womens-award/>
- 28 November “A diverse ABC is a strong ABC”, address to National Ethnic and Multicultural Broadcasters Council Annual Conference, Sydney, 26 November, 2016  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/a-diverse-abc-is-a-strong-abc/>

## 2017

- 7 March “\$50 million audience investment in ABC transformation”, ABC media release, 7 March 2017  
<http://about.abc.net.au/press-releases/50-million-audience-investment-in-abc-transformation/>
- 16 May “ACMA Content Conversations” - You Tube - (MG on panel discussing ‘The Economics of Australian Content Production’)  
<https://www.acma.gov.au/theACMA/About/Events/Australian-content-conversation/australian-content-conversation-2017>
- 24 May Australian Parliament , “Opening Statement” by Michelle Guthrie ABC Managing Director, Senate Environment and Communications Legislation Committee, Estimates, Communications and Arts Portfolio, Hansard 24 May 2017  
<http://parlinfo.aph.gov.au/parlInfo/search/display/display.w3p;db=COMMITTEES;id=committees%2Festimate%2Fce2e003c-8d74-483c-817a-e4eecf15baf8%2F0011;query=id%3A%22committees%2Festimate%2Fce2e003c-8d74-483c-817a-e4eecf15baf8%2F0001%22>
- 5 August Address to Garma Festival, Gulkula, NT, 5 August 2017  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/abc-managing-director-michelle-guthrie-address-to-garma/>
- 6 October “Democracy Demands Diversity”, address to the ABC Friends National Conference dinner, 6 October 2017, Sydney  
<http://about.abc.net.au/speeches/abc-managing-director-speech-at-the-abc-friends-public-conference-dinner/>
- 24 October Australian Parliament , , Senate Environment and Communications Legislation Committee, Supplementary Estimates, Communications and Arts Portfolio, Hansard 24 October 2017  
  
See “Opening Statement” by Michelle Guthrie ABC Managing Director at  
<http://about.abc.net.au/statements/abc-managing-director-opening-statement-supplementary-budget-estimates-20-october-2017/>

## 2018

- 9 February Speech to ABC’s first Annual Public Meeting, 9 February 2018, Sydney  
<http://about.abc.net.au/how-the-abc-is-run/apm/>
- 27 February Australian Parliament, Senate Environment and Communications Legislation Committee, Supplementary Estimates, Communications and Arts Portfolio  
  
See “Opening Statement” by Michelle Guthrie ABC Managing Director at

<http://about.abc.net.au/statements/abc-managing-director-opening-statement-to-senate-environment-and-communications-legislation-committee/>

17 March MG's response to internal review/audit of ABC News –

“ABC must talk to ordinary Australians, review finds”, *The Age*, 17 March 2018, p 11  
<https://www.theage.com.au/politics/federal/abc-must-spend-more-time-talking-to-ordinary-australians-about-hip-pocket-issues-internal-review-finds-20180316-p4z4r1.html>

*Note: No ABC media release or statement available on this issue*