

Gudrun Martini (Vic)

I have been involved in the Arabian Horse Industry since 1964, firstly working on Fenwick Stud and then in 1971 starting my own stud which I named "Heritage Arabians".

I've been a member of the Victorian Arabian Horse Association Committee since 1969, holding the positions of Secretary for 7 years and Chairman for 9 years, retiring in 2001.

I am now a Life Member of the Victorian Arabian Horse Association.

I was also a member of the Arabian Horse Society Judge's panel for 43 years, National Panel Judge since 1982, retiring in August 2018. While on the panel, I spent time on the Judge's Executive Committee, was Chair of the JEC, Mentor/Educator, Judge's Examiner and Co-ordinated the Victorian judges training. I have judged in all states of Australian, as well as ACT, whilst also judging in New Zealand and Germany.

In 2010 I was awarded the AHSA Distinguished Service Award.

In 2010 was elected to the Board of the AHSA and was a Director till 2016.

Since being re-elected to the Board I have spent the last 2 years working hard with my Board colleagues to be more transparent and communicate to all Members on the important issues.