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## Griffith Hack proudly supports MS Angels

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From left to right: Silvana Palmieri (MS Angels organiser), Anna Lavelle, Simon McKeon, Nadia Odorico (Griffith Hack), Cassandra Meagher (MS Angels organiser)

Griffith Hack was proud to recently host an evening with the Melbourne group of 'MS Angels'.

MS Angels is a small group of women from the business sector dedicated to supporting Multiple Sclerosis (MS) research in Australia by funding a research project and generally raising awareness of MS in the community. The MS Angels initiative established a first group in Sydney in 2009 and later one in Canberra. In 2011 the initiative spread its wings to Melbourne. Griffith Hack proudly supports the Melbourne group of MS Angels.

Together, the MS Angels meet various times throughout the year for an opportunity to network with each other and to engage with leaders in our community who are welcomed as special guest speakers.

At the event hosted by Griffith Hack, the MS Angels were excited to be joined by guest speakers Anna Lavelle, CEO of AusBiotech, and Simon McKeon, Chairman of CSIRO and current Australian of the Year (see photo above). Also attending the event was Principal, Nadia Odorico, Griffith Hack's MS Angel representative, and Dr Holly Cate from the Centre for Neuroscience & Florey Neuroscience Institutes at the University of Melbourne, whose research project into 'myelin repair and regeneration in MS' is being funded by the Melbourne MS Angels.

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Stimulating conversation sparked by the inspiring and passionate guest speakers ensured everyone thoroughly enjoyed the evening!

During MS Awareness Week (25 May to 5 June 2011) Australians were asked to 'Kiss Goodbye to MS'.

For more information on MS Research Australia, please visit [www.msra.org.au](http://www.msra.org.au)