

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

It is a pleasure to give this very strong testimonial to Ms Louise Darmody of Sound Memories in relation to her abilities as an interviewer, a journalist and a historian.

I recently had the pleasure of working quite closely with Ms Darmody in relation to an important project related to the 90th anniversary of The Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research. In that regard, she conducted a long interview with me which was subsequently edited very beautifully into a shorter, punchy but very informative piece. At the same time, she also interviewed four other leading Hall Institute personalities with similar results. The five interviews together constitute, I believe, an important fragment of Australian history and I have already, a few weeks later, received a lot of positive commentary about the effort.

Ms Darmody was thoroughly professional and pleasant to deal with and was an intelligent and sympathetic interviewer with a surprisingly good knowledge of subject material which was sometimes quite technical. If occasion arose, I would certainly love to work with her again.

It is a pleasure to recommend Ms Darmody strongly to prospective clients.

Sir Gustav Nossal.

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