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AE Expeditions Appoints New Sales Director



SYDNEY, Australia 27 March 2024 – [AE Expeditions](#) (part of Aurora Expeditions), the award-winning Australian-owned expedition travel company, has today announced the appointment of Andrew Turner as the company's new Sales Director EMEA.

Andrew joins AE Expeditions with over 15 years of experience in sales focused roles within the travel industry, including seven years with Intrepid Group. Andrew will be responsible for growing AE Expeditions' brand presence in the UK, supporting the company's expansion into the EMEA region, as well as leading AE Expeditions' UK-based sales team including Senior Business Development Managers Katie Harber and Andy Tait and Sales Support Executive Karen Hollands.

Commenting on his appointment, Turner said: "Expedition continues to be the fastest growing sector in the cruise industry, and I'm delighted to be joining one of the leaders in this space to build on their great work and facilitate even further growth.

"I recently returned from my first voyage to Antarctica with AE Expeditions; what an incredible introduction to the brand. I witnessed firsthand not only the lifechanging experiences that they create for passengers, but the genuine passion and care their team has for the incredible and remote parts of the world they travel to."

Head of Global Sales David Tanguay commented: "Andrew has delivered exceptional results and fostered strong trade partnerships throughout his career, and I am confident he will play a pivotal role in achieving our growth targets in this hugely important market. Andrew's core values and vision are a perfect fit for AE Expeditions, and we look forward officially welcoming him to the team."

Andrew will commence his new role from April 8th.

For more information about AE Expeditions, visit www.aexpeditions.co.uk

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Notes to Editors

Image: Andrew Turner in Antarctica, Credit Aurora Expeditions

About AE Expeditions

AE Expeditions is part of Aurora Expeditions headquartered in Sydney, Australia.

Aurora Expeditions is an award-winning, Australian-owned expedition company pioneering experiential travel for over 33 years. A Certified B Corporation™, Aurora is deeply committed to environmentally respectful travel to preserve the beauty and majesty that mother nature possesses, and we take real actions for the care of the planet.

Founded on the guiding principles of adventure and endless exploration, the small ship experience is intimate and friendly. Aurora Expeditions takes travellers on perspective-altering experiences to some of the planet's most remote and incredible places.

Aurora's two purpose-built ships, *Greg Mortimer* and the brand-new small expedition ship *Sylvia Earle* are designed for global discovery.