

Equest Elite

Classically trained, Rebecca has previously studied in Europe with Christopher Bartle, Wolfram Wittig, Rudolph Zeilinger, Vicki Thompson and Hans Riegler of the Spanish Riding School.

Rebecca has been a key note speaker at a number of equestrian conferences. She travels the globe reporting on international events and clinics and interviewing the world's top riders and trainers so she can bring you the latest ideas and methods from all three Olympic disciplines.

Rebecca can help you from all angles; improving your eye, training of the horse and rider, and rider fitness and body awareness to get the very best out of both you and your horse.

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J & R Equestrian

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Jess Stalling and Rhys Stones really need no introduction to the equestrian community, they have both been equestrian professionals from a young age. They combine an extensive and extremely successful background and knowledge of show and show jumping horses to create J and R Equestrian.

Jess and Rhys are both successful World Cup show jumping riders and producers of up-and-coming young horses. Jess is one of Australia's most decorated Show Riders having won over 90 Royal Show Championships plus multiple State, National and HOTY Titles. Rhys is also a Royal winning Show Rider. Jess and Rhys both have competed successfully representing Australia Nationally and Internationally and continually aim to produce performance horses of the highest quality. Whilst J and R Equestrian specialises in Show Horses and Show Jumping, we also have competed with success in Dressage and Eventing.

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AEBC is a premium training centre with a strong focus on producing obedient, relaxed horses no matter what their future discipline may be. We believe every horse has the right to the best start possible and we provide ongoing training support for both you and your horse if you happen to hit any speed bumps along your journey. Our system is easy to follow and you will learn the reasons behind your horse's behaviour, whilst also teaching you ethical ways to fix them if need be. Every training session at AEBC is open for viewing so come along and learn how to always be one step ahead of your horse.

AEBC provides the following:

- Clear and ethical training
- Foundation training(breaking-in) for performance and leisure horses
- Re-training/'problem' behaviours
- Lessons and intensive clinics with all facilities to stay on site

Quotes from some of our clients:

"Amazing equine and human education. Fabulous team of instructors and support staff. Stop looking AEBC is your answer!"

- Kelly-Anne Skewes

"I had my rearing boy, Tasman, in for 2 weeks training and I am so happy with the outcome. I still have the same horse, but his behaviour has changed. I am looking forward to this summer riding out and building up Tasman's confidence and my own. Thanks Alistair for re-training my boy and giving back a horse I can handle and further his training." - Narelle Goring



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Led by Dr Andrew and Manuela McLean, ESI is a registered training organisation delivering qualifications in horse and rider training. The Diploma in Equitation Science is the world's first accredited course to combine the theory and practice of equitation science, teaching handlers, riders and coaches how to maximise horse training in all disciplines by harnessing the horse's instinctive learning processes.

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- BSBRSK401 Identify risk and apply management processes
- TAEDL301A Provide work skill instruction
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"Studying at Equitation Science International has significantly impacted my life in several ways. It has greatly broadened my education in equitation science and given me the knowledge, skills and confidence to start my own horse training and coaching business. Additionally, it has created access to an international community of progressive, like-minded horse people dedicated to using evidence-based knowledge to improve the horse's welfare, and interactions between horse and trainer. This fosters continued learning and career enhancement. To be able to train horses and coach people is a dream come true." – Kevin Ovenstone

"I spent many years searching for the Holy Grail of horse training and, after travelling throughout Europe, I found the answer right here in Australia. Equitation science and learning theory allow me to objectively view any interactions between people and horses, identify where any errors may have occurred and, most importantly, provide me with the tools to fix them. The Diploma of Equitation Science has been invaluable. Equitation science has revolutionised the way I train, handle horses and coach riders." – Victoria Condon

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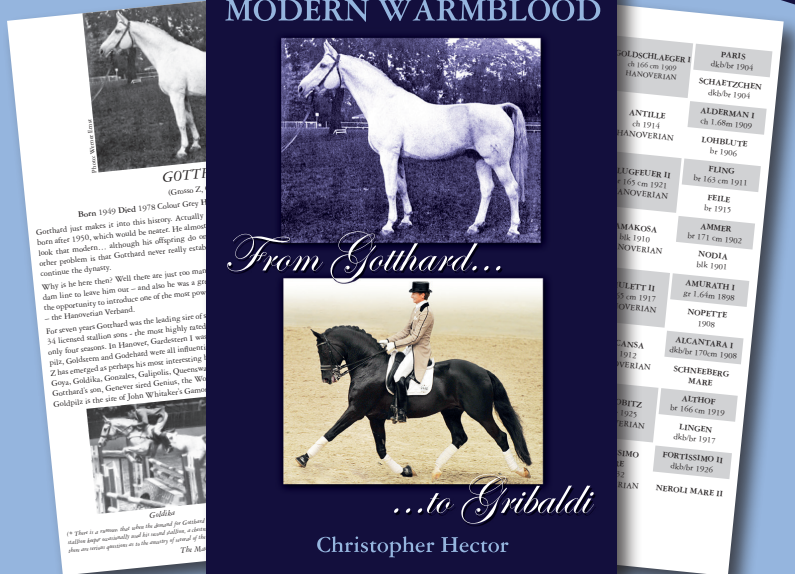
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Sue Stickle Photography

2016 will see the return of my clinics in three locations around Australia, the first taking place mid May.

I am based in Wellington, Florida, USA, centre of the dressage competition scene for winter in the Northern Hemisphere. I specialise in training horses from green broke through to FEI, helping my students meet and surpass their goals and I love to find the right partner for riders looking for their next horse.

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If you are interested to find out more you can contact me through Facebook or at ilse@dressage-news.com