

## Transcript

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Tristan has been the CEO of Arq Group, a digital technology solutions business since September 2019. In just three short years, the 2001 IT graduate has been pivotal in taking his business from an underperforming business on the brink of extinction to one of Australia's greatest turnaround stories.

Alongside the names of ANZ bank, NAB and Qantas Arq Group was one of four systems integrators tapped by Services Australia to carry out its \$200 million MyGov rebuild through its multi-vendor panel. The biggest digital transformation that helps every Australian's life. Arq also developed the Service Victoria app, which was the number one downloaded app in Australia in 2021, and the Fires Near Me app, which kept many Australian safe during the 2019's devastating fires.

Tristen has always had a thirst for doing something on his own and doing things differently. He says every time he's failed, he's learned something from it and to never stop. His drive and success story demonstrates that entrepreneurial passion and technological innovation can build solutions to meet real-world needs.

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