

Meet Charlotte Stevens.

**NSW Committee** 

## The Short...

With a deft touch in all things food and wine, events and social justice, Charlotte uses her skills to foster change.

She is the Sommelier at Margaret in Sydney, and the Director and Founder of TUSK Collaborative. She was also a 2022 Sommeliers Australia Scholar.

## The Long...

Charlotte started in hospitality when she first moved to Canberra to study International Relations. When she finished her degree, she veered into F&B full time with the launch of Bar Rochford.

Her experiences working front-of-house laid bare the disparity faced by women in this industry, so much so that it led her to start TUSK Collaborative in 2017. This not-for-profit aims at empowering women and breaking down the 'boy's club' mentality in hospitality.

With a Master's Degree in Social Work, Charlotte wants to transform the food and wine world to adopt a sustainable mindset, both in the work place and in its environmental footprint.