

Oliver Tait
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Oliver Tait has been working in the thoroughbred industry for 10 years, principally running Darley's Australian operations. He joined Darley in the United Kingdom in 1999 in nomination sales before becoming Managing Director of Darley Australia in 2001 and, at the same time, held roles with Darley in Japan. In 2008 he was appointed Chief Operating Officer of Darley USA.

Darley is a major contributor to the Breeders Cup and its principal, Sheikh Mohammed, has been a committed and successful participant in the Breeders Cup since its inception.

Tait grew up in a racing family in Australia and is a qualified accountant. He is presently an active member of the Breeders' Cup Racing/Nominations committee.

Personal Statement:

I have experience in the thoroughbred industries of Australia, Europe, Japan and the USA as well as a passion for horse racing and its promotion as a sport. The Breeder's Cup is a flagship event for the sport and I believe that my position with Darley, my international perspective and my enthusiasm would be of benefit to the Breeders Cup Board.

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