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## Exciting line-up of hosts announced for Escape From The City

This new Australian series will air in 2018.

The ABC is thrilled to announce the impressive line-up of hosts for the all new Australian production, *Escape from the City*; Jane Hall, Simon Marnie, Bryce Holdaway, Del Irani and Dean Ipaviz.

The series is a timely 'how to' guide, packed full of expert advice and industry insights for those seeking a different way of life. Each episode sees one of the hosts guiding our participants through the trials and tribulations of their life-changing decision to escape the city and move to coastal, country or regional Australia.

**Jane Hall** has been there, done that! Having undergone a tree-change of her own, Jane will share her first-hand experience of the highs and lows of relocating her life. An actor, presenter and radio host, Jane is a much-loved personality whose credits include *Neighbours*, *Secret Life of Us*, *All Together Now* and very successful stints on Melbourne radio stations Mix 101.1 and KIIS 101.1.

**Simon Marnie** is the presenter of *The Weekend Show* on ABC Radio Sydney. Passionate about regional issues and communities, there is nothing Simon hasn't covered about life away from the city during the 18 years he has been on air.

**Bryce Holdaway** is a professional buyer's agent and financial planner, a bestselling author of *The Armchair Guide to Property Investing*, a co-host of The Lifestyle Channel's *Location, Location, Location Australia* and presenter of Australia's No. 1 property podcast *The Property Couch*.

*ABC News Breakfast* presenter and finance journalist, **Del Irani** will be sharing her unique financial insights with our house-hunters. Del has worked internationally as a producer, journalist and presenter including for BBC World News where she was the presenter of *India Business Report*.

**Dean Ipaviz** is a qualified carpenter, registered builder and project manager with a passion for green building principles and practices, and is committed to creating awareness of environmental issues. Dean previously co-hosted *Best Houses Australia* on 7two.

*Escape From The City* is an ABC and FremantleMedia Australia production.

Are you ready to escape from the city? Would you like experts to guide you through the difficulties? If the answer is yes then FremantleMedia wants to hear from you – further details can be found here <https://escape.castasugar.com/>

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