

## Former Northern Star Resources Exploration Manager Jason Boladeras joins Westar

Westar Resources Limited (ASX: **WSR**) (**Westar** or the **Company**) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr Jason Boladeras as the company's new Exploration Manager, effective 26 September 2023.

Mr Boladeras brings with him a wealth of experience in exploration management, having worked extensively throughout Australia and overseas spanning across a range of commodities.

Most notably Mr Boladeras served as Exploration Manager for Northern Star Resources (ASX: NST) from 2008-2013, where he played a pivotal role during the company's rapid growth phase. He led the exploration team from a modest group of six in the Kimberley to a robust team of over 30 spread across four key project areas in the Pilbara/Murchison regions of Western Australia.

During his tenure, Northern Star transitioned from a <\$1m small-cap explorer to a mid-cap producer/explorer within just four years and is now a ~\$14b market capitalisation ASX100 company.

Mr Boladeras played an instrumental role in the acquisition of the Paulsens Gold Mine and the addition of more than one million ounces of gold resources to the Northern Star portfolio.

Immediately prior to joining Westar, Mr Boladeras has led Geoarc Pty Ltd as the Director and owner. In this role, he has been offering corporate and exploration management geological services, predominantly catering to small-cap exploration companies and private investors.

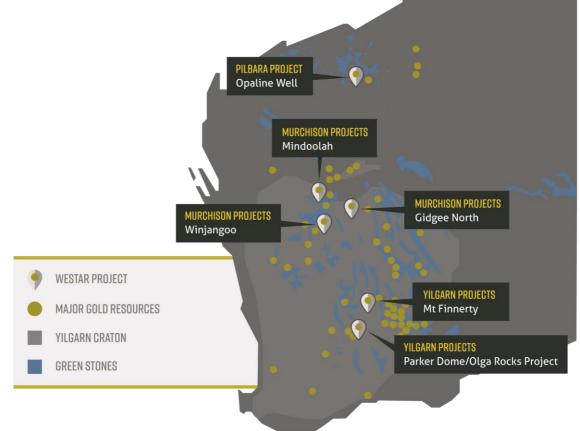
Mr Boladeras has also served as a Non-Executive Director for Pegasus Metals (now Scorpion Minerals (ASX: SCN)), as well as providing geological services with a focus on base metals, predominantly copper.

"We are thrilled to welcome Mr Boladeras to our team," said Westar's Executive Director Lindsay Franker. "His vast experience and proven track record in exploration management will be invaluable as Westar Resources embarks on its next phase of growth."



## **About Westar Resources**

Westar Resources is a Perth-based mineral exploration company focused on creating value for shareholders through the discovery and development of high-quality gold and future metal assets in Western Australia. Westar's projects are strategically located in the highly prospective Pilbara, Murchison and Yilgarn regions of WA, with projects near Nullagine, Mt Magnet, Cue, Southern Cross and Sandstone. Our exploration strategy is to explore projects aggressively and intelligently using innovation, technology, and best-practice with a clear focus on optimising opportunities for success and generating material discoveries.



For the purpose of Listing Rule 15.5, this announcement has been authorised by the board of Westar Resources Ltd.

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