

Senior Project Officer

Location: Melbourne

Salary: \$98,396 - \$119,052 + super

Position No: 50801499

- **Do you have in-depth knowledge of Aboriginal culture?**
- **Do you have a strong relationship building skills?**
- **Location: Melbourne CBD (flexible)**

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The role requires strong relationship building capabilities to maintain effective working relationships with internal and external delivery partners such as Traditional Owner Corporations, Parks Victoria and Traditional Owner Land Management Boards. The role will lead the delivery of complex projects drawing on skills in collaboration, change management and systems thinking in a dynamic and complex environment.

Specialist/Technical Expertise:

- The position requires an in-depth knowledge of Aboriginal culture and an ability to communicate with Aboriginal communities. Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people are encouraged to apply.
- Experience and knowledge in the development and delivery of policy, programs and projects; use of these skills in the context of land management and Traditional Owner policy development and/or implementation is advantageous.
- Tertiary qualification(s) including post-graduate qualification(s) in science, engineering, law, economics, public policy, natural resource or environmental management, business management or similar is desirable.
- An understanding of the *Traditional Owner Settlement Act 2010* and/or Natural Resource Management is advantageous.

This is a fixed term position for 12 months.

To be considered for this position, your application should include a supporting statement demonstrating that you meet the Key Selection Criteria detailed in the position description, including the Specialist/Technical Expertise/Qualifications and Knowledge and Skills sections.

For further information please refer to the attached position description.

To apply online and for further information on position description and selection criteria visit

www.careers.vic.gov.au

Applications close at midnight on Tuesday 4 August 2020.

Other relevant information:

You must be a current Victorian Public Service (VPS) employee, employed on an ongoing, fixed term or casual basis to be eligible to apply for this role.

Preferred candidates will be required to undertake pre-employment screening, including a Declaration and Consent form and a National Police Check.

This position is classified as an "identified position" aimed at increasing employment opportunities for Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander People. The position requires an in-depth knowledge of Aboriginal culture and an ability to communicate with Aboriginal communities. Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people are encouraged to apply.