



## Education and Community Partnership Manager

An Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Identified position\*

<b>Salary:</b>	Competitive salary and conditions subject to negotiation with successful applicant
<b>Conditions of Service:</b>	Full 12 month fixed term contract with likelihood of extension.
<b>Location:</b>	Brisbane CBD Office Flexible working Nationally – Option to work remotely if not Brisbane based
<b>Closing Date:</b>	Midnight July 29 2022
<b>Annual Leave</b>	4 weeks
<b>Salary Sacrifice/Fringe Benefits</b>	Available

### Organisational Background

**Are you an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander educator looking for a new opportunity to support teachers and students nationally with the opportunity to travel?**

SharingStories Foundation works with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities to protect, maintain and grow language, stories and cultural heritage. We work closely in partnership with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities to co-create cultural media arts and educational resources to develop awareness and respect for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures. We work with a Both Ways approach across all aspects of our programming to ensure Community Impact Goals are achieved.

In September 2022, we are launching our educational platform, Jajoo Warrngara: The Culture Classroom. Jajoo Warrngara will provide a unique opportunity to share authentic community produced content with educators and students across Australia. This is an amazing opportunity to travel and work with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nations across Australia.

As we look to scale our work for reach and impact in the national education sector, the Education and Community Partnership Manager is an incredibly important role for us. If you have a strong understanding of planning to the Australian Curriculum, can demonstrate your knowledge of working closely with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and you're keen to work with a team of like minded people, we'd love to hear from you.

## Purpose of Role

The Education and Community Partnership Manager will work closely with the SharingStories team, particularly the Head of Education. They will take a lead role in advocating for the importance of embedding Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Histories and Cultures in the education sector and work closely with our partner communities to develop educational resources for Jajoo Warrngara: The Culture Classroom.

The successful applicant will be responsible for developing in collaboration with cultural custodians educational resources mapped to community content for Jajoo Warrngara. This includes lessons for classroom use and creating and overseeing the development of professional learning webinars for educators.

Travelling on Country to work with Traditional Custodians is an important aspect of this position.

## Selection Criteria

Candidates must address the following selection criteria by demonstrating their experience as they relate to the purpose of the role outlined above.

- Must be of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent\*
- Ideally 3+ years relevant experience.
- Lead and manage the curriculum area of Education.
- Plan scope and sequence education material for Jajoo Warrngara that align to the Australian Curriculum.
- Source and lead the development of professional learning webinars for Jajoo Warrngara.
- Ability to travel up to 3 months per annum to meet with communities across Australia.
- Ability to work with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People and understand sensitivities regarding cultures/protocols.
- Ability to take initiative and work independently from a home office or with a team as required.
- Digital system confidence, ability to use online project management systems.

\*This organisation considers that being Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander is a genuine occupational requirement for this position under section 14 of the Anti-Discrimination Act.

**To apply please email your CV, cover letter addressing the selection criteria to [sharon@sharingstoriesfoundation.org](mailto:sharon@sharingstoriesfoundation.org), using the subject line: Education and Community Partnerships Manager or to discuss the role further please call Sharon on (07) 3607 3880.**

**If you'd like to learn a little more about SharingStories Foundation please have a look at our website on [www.sharingstoriesfoundation.org](http://www.sharingstoriesfoundation.org)**

**Applications close midnight July 29 2022 with interviews the following week and to commence work as soon as possible thereafter.**

