



Mel Sheppard

Community Participation

“I love seeing a diverse group listen to each other’s concerns with respect, developing shared goals to look after a place for the generations to come, honouring its spirit and its people. It’s so uplifting to see people put strategies into action, bringing about the positive changes they have longed for.”

Based in Swanwick, on the East Coast of Tasmania, Mel’s extensive experience includes developing Aboriginal community ranger groups, planning for private conservation reserves and fieldwork in National Parks. She has worked in landscapes from the Kimberley region of Western Australia to the East coast of Australia in roles such as negotiating joint management with government, capacity building projects for Aboriginal Corporations, and developing commercial partnership agreements.

Mel specialises in:

project management | developing Indigenous Ranger groups | planning and communications | making stuff happen



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