

Additional Information

I am a Nyoongar man from the South West of Western Australia and I have lived with my family in Fremantle since 2000.

My formal qualifications compliment my experience and include a Bachelor of Applied Science (1992) Edith Cowan University and Master of International Studies (2005) Curtin University and I have completed training at the Australian Institute of Management and Australian Institute of Company Directors.

I served two terms on the board of South West Aboriginal Land and Sea Council and was Chair between 2021 to 2023 to manage the successful transition and conclusive settlement of the \$1.3B Native Title South West Settlement.

I was co-chair and also member on the Australian Sustainable Finance Institutes First Nation Reference Group, Wadjemup Aboriginal Reference Group (8 years) and member of the Noongar Investment Committee on Noongar Boodja Trust which has over \$300M funds under management.

I'm dedicated to an inclusive, vibrant community engaged in the decision making on matters that effect them. I have a passion for community development, local governance and the environment and my experience as Senior Aboriginal Engagement Officer at the City of Fremantle over 14 years is evidence of this.

I am committed to understanding the social, financial and environmental change and how local government and partners such as NFP and others can contribute to develop healthy, strong, resilient and sustainable communities.