

Environmental officer position

Location: Perth

Yinhawangka Aboriginal Corporation is currently seeking for an **Environmental Officer** on a fixed term or sub-contracting basis. The term of the contract is until 31 December 2024, aligned with the funding provided for the position.

Aboriginality is a genuine requirement for this position as defined under Section 50 (d) of the Equal Opportunity Act 1984.

About YAC

Yinhawangka Aboriginal Corporation RNTBC ("YAC") is the registered native title body corporate for approximately 10,000 sq.km around Paraburdoo in the Pilbara of Western Australia which is held in trust for approximately 350 Yinhawangka people. YAC is experiencing significant growth and it is envisaged that this position will develop, you will require flexibility and openness to change.

About the Role

The primary responsibility of the Environmental Officer role is to develop and execute environmental survey protocols, maintaining environmental compliance, monitoring sites, overseeing mine closure planning and preparing monthly reports.

Random drug & alcohol screenings apply to this role and all other positions.

Key responsibilities

- Oversee and implement environmental survey protocols.
- Coordinate and liaise with other departments to schedule resources and activities in alignment with environmental objectives and requirements.
- Develop, implement and ensure compliance of SCHMP.
- Maintain, monitor and register sites to ensure adherence with environmental standards.
- Oversee Mine Closures Planning to ensure environmentally responsible practices are followed.
- Prepare monthly reports for the CHLC and or other stakeholders as required.
- Perform other duties as directed by the manager.

Key selection criteria

- Knowledge of Yinhawangka people and country.
- Demonstrated experience in a similar environmental officer role.
- Understanding of relevant environmental regulations, statutory obligations, best practice and policies.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills, and report writing skills.
- Strong analytical and problem solving skills.
- Advanced computer skills and use of Microsoft Office suite.

- Strong interpersonal skills and ability to effectively liaise with other departments.
- Excellent work ethic and strong time management skills.
- **Mandatory:** WA Class C driver's licence.
- National police clearance (not older than six months).

How to apply:

Please email us at heritage@yinhawangka.com.au.

Applications close on Tuesday 30 April 2024. Yinhawangka Aboriginal Corporation RNTBC will review the applications as they come through and reserves the right to close the advertisement prior to the closing date in the event that the position is filled.