

Yorta Yorta Nation Aboriginal Corporation



Is looking to attract applicants for the position of
Chief Executive Officer:

About the Organisation

The Yorta Yorta Nation Aboriginal Corporation (YYNAC) was established in 1998 to represent the descendants of the original Yorta Yorta peoples (including the Kaitheban, Wollithiga, Moira, Ulupna, Bangerang, Kwat Kwat, Yalaba Yalaba and Ngurai-illiam-wurrung clans) in making decisions and acting on any matters of significance to the Yorta Yorta peoples and to enter into agreements with any person, government agency or authority in relation to the protection of the Yorta Yorta Country. The Yorta Yorta traditional tribal lands covers a unique stretch of forest-wetlands located in what is now known as the central Murray-Goulburn region in North-Central Victoria and Southern New South Wales approximately 20,000 square kilometres. The YYNAC has maintained its status as a Registered Aboriginal Party (RAP) under the Cultural Heritage Act since 2007.

YYNAC is a not-for-profit organisation working towards a better future for its people through numerous projects and partnerships with local, state, national and international organisations and governments. For more information please visit: www.yynac.com.au.

About the Opportunity

YYNAC is looking for an inspirational and resilient leader with the ability to think strategically, develop creative solutions and adapt rapidly to solve challenges for the organisation. Reporting to the Board of Directors you will be responsible for the day to day operations of the corporation and its concerns. Your key responsibility will be to oversee the implementation of projects to ensure achievement of the strategic objectives of the corporation, including the development of organisational capacity to serve the needs of the community.

To be successful in this role you will possess:

- Senior level management experience and formal qualifications;
- Relevant field work experience and qualifications in cultural heritage and natural resource management;
- Conversant knowledge of legislation and conventions that advance the rights and interests of indigenous people such as the UN Declaration of Rights, CATSI Act and Aboriginal Heritage Act;
- Effective communication and leadership skills;
- Demonstrated financial management skills;

- Sound Knowledge of Yorta Yorta history, culture and an ability to communicate effectively with and advocate on behalf of Yorta Yorta people; and
- An attitude of good will and a sense of humour.

Obtain a detailed position description and the key selection criteria from Timothy, HR Manager, by emailing tim.b@yynac.com.au.

About the Benefits

In return we will offer an attractive executive remuneration package, to be negotiated relevant to the skills and experience of the successful applicant, including:

- a vehicle, phone allowance, superannuation and salary sacrifice options to increase your take-home pay;
- the support of a professional and competent team of administrative and managerial staff; and
- a generous contract to 30 June 2016.

Indigenous Applicants Only, Preferably of Yorta Yorta Descent

Exemption applies under Section 12 of the Equal Opportunity Act 2010

To be considered for this role please submit your cover letter, statement addressing the key selection criteria and your resume by email to tim.b@yynac.com.au

Applications Close 31/08/14.