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Janine Mohamed to speak at COP26, UN Climate Change Conference

Our CEO Dr Janine Mohamed is speaking at an upcoming COP26 (United Nations Climate Change Conference) side event, titled 'Transforming Australia: from laggard to leader'. It will discuss how Australia has a real opportunity to benefit from becoming a clean energy superpower. Yet emissions keep rising, despite the efforts of individuals, businesses, local & state governments, faith communities and First Nations Peoples.



Roundtable on climate change for Aboriginal &

On 20 October, Lowitja Institute, in partnership with the National Health Leadership Forum (NHLF) and the Climate and Health Alliance (CAHA), held a roundtable event to discuss climate justice and the health and wellbeing impacts of climate change for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples.

Participants included researchers, community leaders, young people and other climate and health advocates. They were introduced to a discussion paper on

Climate Change and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health, commissioned by the Lowitja Institute and developed by the HEAL Network and CRE-STRIDE.

We will draw on conversations from participants to refine the final recommendations, with a final version of the discussion paper to be available in the next edition of The Doris.

Thank you to sketch artists Julia Curtis and Allirra Moore joined us at the event. You can view their artworks of the Round Table [HERE](#).

Media

[Getting vaccinated is the act of love needed right now to support the survival of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples during the pandemic](#), The Conversation, 25 October 2021.

[Fixing Australia's shocking record of Indigenous heritage destruction: Juukan inquiry offers a way forward](#), The Conversation 21 October 2021.

[Climate health experts declare code red for the world, while Australia is stuck on a limb](#), Croakey, 21 October 2021.

[Aboriginal health services in race to boost vaccinations](#), The Hon Daniel Andrews, 25 October 2021.

[Bill Gammage and Bruce Pascoe: Indigenous care for country could rescue us all](#), The Guardian, 24 October 2021.

[Most vaccinated Indigenous community in Central Australia passes 94 per cent first COVID-19 dose](#), ABC News, 20 October 2021.

["Listen to us": Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander leadership on climate and health](#), Croakey, 20 October 2021

['Worse than negligence': NSW dragging feet on Aboriginal child removal reforms](#), The Guardian, 20 October 2021.

[Calling for a dedicated safety plan for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women](#), Croakey, 20 October 2021.

[Australian Council of Human Rights Authorities - Statement of Support](#), 20 October 2021.

Jobs

[University of Sydney - Research Fellow \(Voice\)](#)

[VACCHO – Senior Policy and Policy Officers](#)

[Aurora Education Foundation – Community Engagement Facilitator](#)

[Victorian Aboriginal Legal Service – Head of People and Culture](#)

[CoHealth – Reconciliation and Anti-Racism Coordinator](#)

Northern Land Council:

[Project Manager](#)

[Human Resources Officer](#)

Events

[Another Day In The Colony - Book Launch.](#)

You can join the launch next Wednesday 3 November of QUT's Professor Chelsea Watego's first book: *Another Day In The Colony*. In this collection of deeply insightful and powerful essays, Professor Watego examines the ongoing and daily racism faced by First Nations peoples in so-called Australia.

Resources and opportunities

[Indigenous STEM Awards](#)

These awards celebrate and showcase the achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people studying and working in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) fields, as well as the integral role that teachers, schools and mentors play in the lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students pursuing STEM education and careers.

[Scholarship opportunity - NHMRC :Chronic kidney disease prevention and management in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.](#)

The Discipline of Public Health within the College of Medicine and Public Health at Flinders University are seeking two outstanding candidates for PhD scholarships as part as an NHMRC Cohort Study entitled: ***Antecedents of Renal Disease in Aboriginal Children and Young Adults (ARDAC) Study.***

[Bubup milestone cards](#)

These baby milestone cards aim to provide culturally appropriate messages about smoking and maternal health to new mums. One side of each card features a milestone, such as the baby's age in weeks or months, while the other side provides a health-related message.

Messages include: the benefits of quitting smoking, information on using nicotine replacement therapy, including while breastfeeding, and the harms of second hand and third hand smoke.

[Healing through voice, culture and Country: Short films](#)

This series of short films is intended to be used as short learning opportunities for individual reflections or team-meeting discussion activities – ‘lunchbox sessions’. Each session includes a short 5–10 minute film with a different learning objective and reflective questions. These sessions are aimed at practitioners and services who support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families experiencing family and domestic violence (FDV).

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