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Strategic Leadership Opportunity – IAHA's Research Advisory Committee

IAHA is seeking expressions of interest from **Full Student and Graduate Members** to be part of IAHA's Research Advisory Committee.

IAHA's research is driven by a clear strategy that is guided by IAHA's purpose, shared values and principles. The role of the IAHA Research Advisory Committee is to provide strategic direction and advice to IAHA in the implementation of IAHA's research strategy.

The purpose of IAHA's Research Advisory Committee will be to:

- Ensure Culture is central to internal and external research IAHA is involved in
- Advocate for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander lead research
- Make an **impact** by ensuring internal and external research addresses the aspirations and priorities of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, families and communities
- Advocate for culturally informed **knowledge translation and sharing** that translates theory and research into effective policy, planning and practice with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

Through your collaboration and commitment to IAHA's Research Advisory Committee, together we can build strong partnerships to influence research, maximise outcomes and knowledge translation and ensure any research IAHA engages with is spiritually, socially, culturally, emotionally and physically safe for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Time Commitment

The IAHA Research Advisory Committee will aim to meet four times a year, scheduled on weekdays only. Meetings will be approximately 2 hours in length and will be held online via Zoom or Teams.

There may be reading materials provided and/or emails to engage with prior to meetings.

Additional meetings may be scheduled if required. These meetings will be negotiated with members once the group is established. At this stage in IAHA's research agenda, we are unable to remunerate committee members.

In addition to geographic coverage, professional and subject matter expertise will be considered when evaluating suitable applicants. Please note you must be a current Full Student or Full Graduate member of IAHA to be eligible.

EOI and CV requirements

If you are interested in a position on the committee, please submit a current CV as well as an expression of interest outlining your skills and experience (250 words). If you have any questions regarding the IAHA Research Advisory Committee or your application, please contact Tara Lewis at tara@iaha.com.au by Wednesday, 14 August 2024.