



national science week 2023

Expression of Interest: Committee Member for Inspiring Australia NSW Executive Committee

INSPIRING NSW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Inspiring Australia NSW Executive Committee is a voluntary group that works to create a cohesive vision for the Inspiring Australia network in NSW and an annual National Science Week in NSW.

The committee members are passionate and knowledgeable about the importance of science and STEM engagement, outreach, and communication to the broad community. We encourage EOIs from representatives of organisations or individuals actively involved in STEM outreach, representatives of diverse groups normally underrepresented in STEM, from those with experience successfully engaging with community and audiences in other sectors such as arts, health, or education, and from individuals in regional and remote areas of NSW.

ROLE DESCRIPTION

Committee members play an important role in assisting to implement the vision and purpose of Inspiring NSW network. Committee members will support the Inspiring Australia NSW network to achieve the outcomes set out in the funding agreement, and will endorse a project plan, including delivery of National Science Week and grants for Regional Science Hubs network in NSW.

COMMITMENT

Online meetings will be held three times a year, for a maximum of two hours. The role of Committee member requires an estimated voluntary commitment of 2-5 hours/month between April and November, with the main commitment in May when grants are assessed, and during National Science Week.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Attend all scheduled meetings
- Champion, share and promoting the activity of Inspiring Australia with their colleagues and other professional networks.
- Be available to participate in the assessment and awarding of grants for National Science Week and other science engagement activities.
- Contribute personal and community-based perspectives to discussions regarding the STEM ecosystem in NSW and National Science Week activities.
- Connect the IA Manager to relevant partners and programs.
- Make transparent decisions and declare conflicts of interest.
- Review shared information and contribute to timely decision making.
- Attend the launch of National Science Week in NSW, and attend at least one event (that is not your own event) during National Science Week as a Committee representative.

Committee members will be appointed from April 2023 – March 2024, with the possibility of extension.

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