



ENGAGEMENT COORDINATOR (NET ZERO EMISSIONS INDUSTRY)

DEPARTMENT/UNIT	ClimateWorks / Monash Sustainable Development Institute
FACULTY/DIVISION	Provost and Senior Vice-President
CLASSIFICATION	HEW Level 7
WORK LOCATION	Melbourne, CBD

ORGANISATIONAL CONTEXT

Monash is a university of transformation, progress and optimism. Our people are our most valued asset, with our academics among the best in the world and our professional staff revolutionising the way we operate as an organisation. For more information about our University and our exciting future, please visit <u>www.monash.edu</u>.

Monash Sustainable Development Institute (MSDI) is committed to Sustainable Development research, translation and education. MSDI also engages across Monash to facilitate cross-faculty research partnerships that provide solutions to sustainable development challenges globally. Our expanding education focus includes postgraduate courses and PhD supervision alongside capacity development and student leadership activities. To learn more about MSDI please visit our <u>website</u>.

ClimateWorks Australia develops expert, independent and practical solutions and provides advice to assist the transition to net zero carbon emissions for Australia and Asia Pacific. A non-profit organisation, ClimateWorks was co-founded in 2009 by The Myer Foundation and Monash University and works within Monash Sustainable Development Institute. ClimateWorks also benefits from strong relationships with an international network of affiliated organisations that support effective policies, financing and action for greenhouse gas emissions reductions.

Since launch, ClimateWorks has made significant progress. Acting as a bridge between research and action, its collaborative, end-to-end approach to solutions that will deliver greatest impact is informed by a thorough understanding of the constraints of governments and the practical needs of business. This, combined with philanthropic funding and university ties, has earned the organisation an outstanding reputation as a genuine and impartial adviser. In the pursuit of its mission, ClimateWorks looks for innovative opportunities to reduce emissions, building an evidence-base for action through a combination of robust research and analysis, clear and targeted engagement, and effective capacity strengthening. ClimateWorks supports decision makers with tailored information and the tools they need, and works with key stakeholders to remove obstacles and help facilitate conditions that encourage and support the transition to a prosperous, net zero emissions future. To learn more about our work, visit www.climateworksaustralia.org.

POSITION PURPOSE

The Engagement Coordinator provides a range of high-level project services to support the end-to-end delivery of ClimateWorks' Net Zero Emissions Industry project. The project will develop an industry-led roadmap towards a net zero emissions industrial sector in Australia. It will focus on critical supply chains (key metals, materials and energy commodities), and investigate the potential demand for low carbon products in the future, as well as key decarbonisation pathways and implementation initiatives required to catalyse progress.

The Engagement Coordinator will take a collaborative approach, working closely with the Senior Project Manager (Net zero emissions industry) and relevant industry and government stakeholders to ensure the project creates significant impact. The Engagement Coordinator will have a substantial role in planning, coordinating and undertaking engagement with key stakeholders across our target audience and generate and disseminate communications materials based on project findings. Materials will include public reports, factsheets, briefings, traditional and digital media materials and presentations. The Engagement Coordinator will also support set up and business development activities for implementation initiatives coming out of the Net Zero Emissions Industry project. The Engagement Coordinator will be expected to present in a clear and compelling manner to a variety of audiences, especially businesses, policy makers and influencers in person and via webinars.

The Engagement Coordinator operates with excellence and expertise in process and judgement to provide sound and timely advice and support to project staff and other stakeholders.

Reporting Line: The position reports to Senior Project Manager (Net Zero Emissions Industry) under broad direction

Supervisory Responsibilities: Not applicable

Financial Delegation: Not applicable

Budgetary Responsibilities: Not applicable

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Undertake a range of high-level project coordination duties, including: working with stakeholders to support scoping and planning project deliverables, monitoring and reporting against timeframes and other performance indicators, managing a schedule of project meetings and planning and support the generation of funds for projects
- 2. Build and sustain relationships with an extensive network of external stakeholders to support project objectives. Work pro-actively to gain their support and endorsement by establishing contact, conducting presentations, hosting/attending stakeholder meetings and managing consultative processes
- **3.** Prepare high quality, concise and targeted reports, position papers, briefings, presentations and other communications materials for a range of audiences including investors, government, businesses, business associations and other non-governmental organisations
- 4. Undertake research, analyse results, investigate options and provide recommended solutions to complex project related issues
- **5.** Support business development activities including proposal development and the sourcing of funding streams for implementation initiatives
- 6. Identify and report on risks to projects and implement risk mitigation strategies

KEY SELECTION CRITERIA

Education/Qualifications

- **1.** The appointee will have:
 - A degree qualification in a relevant field with extensive relevant experience; or
 - extensive experience and management expertise in technical or administrative fields; or
 - an equivalent combination of relevant experience and/or education/training

Knowledge and Skills

- 2. Project management skills with a record of successfully coordinating or supporting projects through to completion in accordance with agreed standards, timeframes and budgets
- **3.** Highly developed planning and organisational skills, with experience establishing priorities, allocating resources and meeting deadlines
- **4.** Highly-developed relationship management skills, including the ability to interact with, influence and negotiate with a variety of stakeholders at senior levels
- 5. High-level analytical and problem-solving skills and the ability to identify and recommend solutions to challenging issues and define ways to frame and solve them
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, including experience in developing professional communications materials and delivering effective presentations with informative use of quantitative and qualitative data
- 7. High-level writing skills, including demonstrated experience in developing and delivering communications materials including traditional and digital media materials, presentations, high quality, concise, targeted reports and briefings for business and government audiences
- 8. Good numeracy skills and understanding of how to use data to tell a story
- **9.** Demonstrated experience in establishing relationships and projects with, or consulting to the industrial sector

OTHER JOB RELATED INFORMATION

- Travel to other locations to meet with project stakeholders may be required
- There may be a requirement to work additional hours from time to time
- There may be peak periods of work during which taking of leave may be restricted

LEGAL COMPLIANCE

Ensure you are aware of and adhere to legislation and University policy relevant to the duties undertaken, including: Equal Employment Opportunity, supporting equity and fairness; Occupational Health and Safety, supporting a safe workplace; Conflict of Interest (including Conflict of Interest in Research); Paid Outside Work; Privacy; Research Conduct; and Staff/Student Relationships.