

# Get involved with the Indigenous Law Centre



## The Indigenous Law Centre invites students to learn more about what we do by joining our Student Volunteer Program.

Gain a better understanding of contemporary Indigenous legal issues whilst building your skills base from activities undertaken. Students who actively take part in the program will have their contribution recognised on the UNSW Supplementary Transcript. Combined with an academic transcript, the Supplementary Transcript provides a distinctive benefit to UNSW graduates by awarding official recognition to those leadership activities promoted under the UNSW banner that could be seen to enhance the development of graduate attributes.

### Students can expect to be actively involved in:

- Researching articles for the *Indigenous Law Bulletin* under supervision of the Editor
- Assisting with organising the ILC Student Open Forums around Indigenous issues (1 per semester)
- Researching submissions and/or reports for government; papers for conferences under supervision of Centre Director and/or Deputy Director.
- Conducting internet research to build the subscriber database to the Centre's publications
- Helping to organise the annual conference run by the Indigenous Law Centre in conjunction with the Australian Human Rights Commission
- Writing their own section in the Centre's Newsletter sent out bi-annually

### Volunteering at the Indigenous Law Centre will help you to:

- Strengthen your communication skills, written and oral
  - Learn to take ownership of projects and be responsible for outcomes
  - Appreciate the importance of working effectively in a team environment
  - Gain knowledge of data management systems and learn to analyse data (Access database)
  - Gain an understanding of costs associated with running a seminar program
  - Gain experience in editing by working with the editors of the Centre's two national publications, the *Indigenous Law Bulletin* and the *Australian Indigenous Law Review*
  - Gain an understanding of and develop design skills for promotional materials for seminar programs and the Centre's annual conference
- Enhance negotiation skills

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