

Calls for Expressions of Interest

Membership of the Tasmanian Smart Seafood Partnership Steering Committee

About the Tasmanian Smart Seafood Partnership

The Tasmanian Smart Seafood Partnership (TSSP) aims to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of practices in seafood production to achieve marine biodiversity outcomes in the Tasmanian marine environment. It builds upon established partnerships within the Tasmanian seafood industry, NRM organisations, training organisations, government and regulatory authorities, community and Indigenous groups.

The Tasmanian Smart Seafood Partnership is sponsored by the Australian Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (DAWR) through round one (2017-22) of the National Landcare Program's Smart Farming Partnerships.

Key objectives

1. To develop a **Sustainable Seafood Pathways Training and Skills Set Package** for use within the Tasmanian aquaculture and fishing industries and community groups.
2. Utilizing the Skills Set package, deliver a **Marine Biodiversity Education and Awareness Program** for Schools, the seafood industry and community groups.
3. Conduct and support specific **on-ground marine biodiversity research and restoration activities** in line with the Skills Set Package and Education and Awareness Program.

The Tasmanian Smart Seafood Partnership is seeking Expressions of Interest (EOI) from individuals who wish to be considered for appointment as a member of the Steering Committee. Vacancies currently exist to appoint members with current Tasmanian seafood industry, education and training, natural resource management and/or communications experience.

Role of the Steering Committee

The Steering Committee provides governance and support for the Tasmanian Smart Seafood Partnership by:

- Representing the interests of Partnership partners and stakeholders with a common interest in increasing the efficiency and effectiveness of practices to achieve environmentally sustainable seafood industries.
- Providing strategic direction and oversight of the Partnership to ensure that it meets the three key objectives within the specified timeframes and budget.
- Forming Technical Advisory Groups and Working Groups.
- The Steering Committee is supported by a Project Coordinator (0.8FTE) and a Communications Officer (0.8 FTE).

Applicants wishing to submit an EOI are encouraged to provide a short (1-page) statement addressing their experience in the Tasmanian seafood industry, natural resource management and/or work experience. Applicants should also state their interest in membership to the TSSP Steering Committee and how you will contribute to the overall success of the TSSP. This is an unpaid position.

Enquiries and EOI may be directed to the TSSP Coordinator:

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[Expressions of Interest close 5 pm, Friday 6 September 2019.](#)

