

# Sounds of Country: Culturally Responsive Pedagogy Short Course

Embark on a transformative journey through the Sounds of Country short course to deepen your understanding of culturally responsive teaching practices, particularly in primary education, with applications for early childhood and secondary levels.

# A Short Course for Educators

This immersive program connects you to Aboriginal knowledge and history through the innovative Boorn (tree) methodology and the guidance of Traditional Owners/Elders.

## **Course Highlights**

- On Country Experience: Begin with a visit to a site of significance, guided by Elders, to reflect on the connection between place, culture, and identity.
- Culturally Responsive Pedagogy: Learn to incorporate Aboriginal knowledge and histories into your teaching, enriching your and your students' cultural understanding.
- Interactive Workshops: Participate in engaging activities like reflective yarning, group discussions, and hands-on learning to infuse Aboriginal perspectives into your curriculum.

### **Course Facilitators**

The course is facilitated by three experts from ECU's School of Education; Dr Libby Jackson-Barrett, a Nyungar Educator and researcher specialising in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander education and culturally responsive pedagogies; Associate Professor Matt Byrne, an experienced educator and researcher in Aboriginal education and community-based health and education; and Associate Professor Helen Adam a researcher focused on socially just education and the use of inclusive literature to challenge societal prejudices.

Join us for an enriching experience that will empower you to create culturally inclusive learning environments!

# Details

This three-day short course will run on **Saturday 7 June**, **14 June** and **28 June 2025** at the ECU Mount Lawley Campus.



### Cost

**\$2,187.00** incl GST (this covers catering, materials, and online coaching sessions).

A 10% discount is offered to ECU alumni and for multiple bookings from the same organisation.

### Register

Register online by scanning the QR code above.

# **Further Information**

For more information please contact <u>education\_shortcourses@ecu.edu.au</u> or visit <u>www.ecu.edu.au/short-courses/education/</u>.

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