

Looking for Community Connectors: Creating opportunity in Coober Pedy



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**We are looking for
2 people to join us**

- Do you want to help community?
- Do you want to work on a team ?
- Do you want to learn new skills?

The position is:

- **Local:** Based in Coober Pedy
- **Part time and casual:** About 20 days of work between March 2019 and July 2019
- **Paid** \$200/day



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The Antakirinja Matu-Yankunytjatjara Aboriginal Corporation has engaged The Australian Centre for Social Innovation (TACSI) with the Jumbunna Institute to understand how to support cultural, economic and social participation in Coober Pedy. Together with community, TACSI will be learning about what's holding people back and where there are opportunities to do things better.

TACSI's approach is casual and conversational. We believe people are the experts of their own lives. TACSI will be learning and creating with and in community, not conducting traditional surveys or interviews. To do this work well, TACSI would like to create a small team which includes 2 AMYAC community members.



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Contact

If you are interested, please contact:

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About the Role

- Make introductions between TACSI and community members
- Help us find 'hard to reach' people 'quiet voices' or specific groups
- Help coordinate people and meetings
- Support in conversations with community (story gathering); help community members feel comfortable
- Support in understanding and making sense of many stories heard
- Help find opportunities to improve poverty

Key Skills

Community connections

- Knows many community members across ages
- Willing to connect TACSI to community members for conversations

Organisational skills

- Can organise and schedule meetings between TACSI and community groups
- Mobile phone

People skills

- Good at making people feel comfortable and safe
- Willing to participate in conversational interviews by asking questions
- Support in understanding and making sense of many stories heard

Literacy skills

- Local language knowledge
- Can write / take notes in English
- Computer literacy
- E-mail address