



Curator Exhibitions & Collection

Permanent Part Time

Are you looking for a rewarding career where you can grow and develop while having the benefit of living in an idyllic North Coast location? Here at Clarence Valley Council, we strive to be a progressive employer that offers a rewarding and flexible work environment. Our vision is to create a community full of opportunity and our workforce is where we start to achieve our community aspirations.

Located in the Northern Rivers of NSW, we cover 10,441 square kilometres with the three major community hubs of Grafton, Yamba and Maclean. We are one of the biggest employers in the Valley and can offer you a rewarding career and a new lifestyle. Our goal is to be the employer of choice in the Valley, creating opportunities for those who live here already and for those who want to move here.

We are in an exciting period of transformation with a focus on employee engagement, satisfaction and delivering exceptional services and facilities for the community. We strive to lead with openness and courage and want you to be part of that journey.

So come and join the team while enjoying all that Clarence Valley has to offer you and your family.

Learn more about living in the Clarence Valley [here](#).

What you need to know...

- permanent part time – 56 hours per fortnight
- the package: \$87,680 to \$104,560 plus superannuation per annum pro rata
- location: Grafton Regional Gallery
- flexible work options for a healthy work/life balance
- enjoy the benefits of flex time
- access to fitness passport

About the role

Clarence Valley Council is currently recruiting for the role of Curator, Exhibitions and Collections with Grafton Regional Gallery. Join Grafton Regional Gallery, one of regional NSW's iconic public galleries, and help shape a dynamic and engaging visual arts program for the Clarence Valley. As Curator Exhibitions and Collections, you will work closely with the Regional Gallery Director to deliver a diverse program of exhibitions, collection projects, public programs, and major initiatives, including the nationally recognised JADA exhibition. This is an exciting opportunity for a creative and collaborative curator who enjoys building meaningful connections between artists, audiences, stakeholders, and community.

We are seeking an experienced arts professional with a strong background in exhibition development, curation, and collection management, combined with excellent communication and relationship-building skills. The successful candidate will be highly organised, adaptable, and capable of managing multiple projects while working constructively with colleagues, artists, community groups, funding bodies, and industry partners. If you are passionate about contemporary visual arts, regional cultural development, and creating exceptional visitor experiences through collaboration and innovation, we encourage you to apply.

To be considered for this position you will need to:

- Address the **essential requirements** of the role as per position description
- Attach **certificates and licences** as listed in the essential requirements as a supporting document
- Attach a **cover letter** (2 pages maximum) and an up-to-date **resume** (5 pages maximum) that clearly details your skills & experience as relevant to this position. You will need to demonstrate how you meet the focus capabilities and how your skills will enable you to achieve the key accountabilities.
- Answer the **target questions** - maximum 300 words each question
 - Q1.** Choose a project or piece of work (ideally relating to a gallery or related project) you have done and describe how you allocated the resources that were needed to complete this work?
 - Q2.** How have you enabled a team made up of people from different work areas (staff/colleagues, artists, partners, or community), to discuss issues and develop solutions relevant to your work? What did you do and what was the result?

Contact

Jane Kreis, Regional Gallery Director on 02 6641 7306

Closing date

Tuesday 13 October 2026 at 11.30 pm (NSW time).

Other important information

This position is located at Council's Grafton Regional Gallery, however, this may change should business needs identify other work locations to be more appropriate to deliver our services in the future.

A probation period applies to this position.

How to apply

All applications must be lodged online via Council's website www.clarence.nsw.gov.au.

For further information about the selection process including tips on how to address the selection criteria please refer to the Careers page on the Clarence Valley Council website.

Do you want further information on how to apply under the Capability Framework? Please read our [How to apply for a job guide](#).

Council is an EEO employer and First Nations people are encouraged to apply.

Council also recognises the skills and attributes of veterans and welcomes applications from ex-service personnel.