

WA Redmap Champions program

Seeking expressions of interest



What is Redmap?

Redmap (Range Extension Database and Mapping project) is an online citizen science project that harnesses the knowledge and experience of the community - in this case marine users like fishers, divers and boaters - to help record and track marine species range shifts.

How you can help

Redmap are currently seeking people who are interested in acting as 'champions' or project ambassadors in Western Australia. This involves engaging in community outreach activities to help promote Redmap; such as attending dive and fishing events, talking to local fishers/divers/community members etc. We know time is precious, and appreciate the help of volunteers, but if you could commit to attending 3-4 events throughout the year, that'd be appreciated.

What skills you need

A desire to contribute to marine science education and to help local communities better-understand what Redmap is all about and how they can help monitor the marine environment. Experience working with citizen science programs, volunteering or a general interest in marine science is advantageous.

Opportunities and experience gained

You'll be trained to be able to present on Redmap, to be able to instruct people on how to use the website and phone app to log unusual marine sightings. You'll have access to a range of Redmap promotional material, a Redmap Champions guideline package, get your own Redmap Champion t-shirt to wear at events, attain a certificate of recognition and be considered part of the Redmap team.

Expression of interest

Thank you for taking the time to read through the Redmap Champions initiative – if you would like to find out more or are keen to be considered for this opportunity, please email us (enquiries@redmap.org.au) with a brief description of yourself and why you would like to be involved.