# **Position Description**



Position Title: Library Technology Lead

Position Number: P0667

Purpose of Position To proactively manage and coordinate systems

support for staff and customers through the planning, development and delivery of Library Information and Communication Technologies including hardware, software, e-services, and training. Oversee the delivery of customerfocused technology to meet the needs of the

library and Ku-ring-gai community.

To ensure that the Library Management System and other library-related software and technology-based systems are functional, relevant, and

available.

Grade of Position: Band 5

Provides a professional advisory role both internally and externally. This position may manage several major projects or sections within

a department.

Hours of Work: 35 hours per week over 7 days including evening

and weekends as rostered

**Department:** Community

Section: Library Services

Position Reports to: Library Futures and Technology Coordinator

Number Supervised: 1-4

Director Community

Date: February 2021

CONTACTS

### **Key Contacts Within Department**

- Library Futures and Technology Team
- Library Experience Team
- Programs & Marketing Team

## **Key Contacts in Other Departments**

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- Finance
- Communications & Customer Service
- Building Services

### **Key Contacts Outside Council**

- Library Management System Providers
- Suppliers and service providers
- Other libraries
- Relevant professional networks

Budget Allocation: \$10,000

#### **EMPLOYEE DECLARATION**

I will comply with the	requirements of this	Position Description.
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Name:		
Signature:		
Date:		

Approved by:

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#### **GENERIC OUTPUTS OF POSITION**

## • Comply with WHS Legislation, Policies and Procedures

- Maintain a high standard of housekeeping and a safe work area
- Identify and report all Hazards for your area
- Wear required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- Participate in the development and review of Risk Assessments
- Adhere to control measures and safe systems of work
- Report all Incidents and Near Misses
- Meet reporting timeframes
- Comply with the Return-to-Work Program

### Comply with EEO and Anti-discrimination Legislation, Policies & Procedures

- Act to prevent workplace harassment, discrimination, and bullying
- Report known incidents of workplace harassment, discrimination, and bullying

## Comply with Council's Code of Conduct and Values

- Comply with Council's Statement of Business Ethics
- Behave ethically and transparently
- Contribute towards the achievement of Council's strategic plans
- Lead by example
- Support sustainable programs and activities
- Learn and comply with Council's strategies, policies, and procedures
- Act with care for the local environment and community
- Take responsibility for your actions
- Care for Council's people, assets, and finances
- Use and maintain Council's corporate systems

## • Comply with Document Storage Legislation and Procedures

 Store and maintain corporate records in Council's electronic document records management system in accordance with relevant standards, procedures, and the State Records Act

#### Perform as a Team Member

- Productively contribute to the outcomes of work teams
- Work cooperatively with team members and supervisor
- Maintain an attendance record that contributes positively to team productivity
- Carry out allocated tasks to standards required
- Use good judgement and problem-solving skills
- Obey all lawful instructions
- Attend and positively contribute to team meetings
- Work cooperatively to achieve Work Plan timeframes and measures
- Regularly review with supervisor own performance against required outcomes
- Complete an annual performance assessment and objective setting

### Complete required learning and development programs

- Learn and share knowledge
- Complete induction/re-induction program
- Complete job-specific training programs
- Complete relevant legislative-based training
- Apply learning, knowledge, and skills to enhance team performance

# Comply with Council's Customer Service Policy and Standards

- Be accessible and provide customers with clear and accurate information
- Deliver timely, punctual, and reliable service to customers
- Communicate with customers in a professional and courteous manner
- Maintain a good flow of communication with customers
- Manage customer enquiries, records, and complaints
- Complete all paperwork and on-line recording within required time limits
- Maintain a high standard of personal grooming and hygiene

# Maintain Workplace Security

 Adhere to procedures for accessing and securing premises, keys, plant, vehicles, equipment, information, and cash

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#### ESSENTIAL CRITERIA TO BE ADDRESSED IN YOUR APPLICATION

#### 1. Required Qualifications/Certificates

- Degree or Tertiary qualification in Information Technology
- Current Working with Children Check (for Paid workers)

### 2. Required Experience

- Demonstrated interest, experience, and expertise in the application of technology for the delivery of high-level community focussed services including digital technology, personal technology devices and corporate systems
- Demonstrated project management experience, including successful delivery of major technology change projects
- Proven ability to evaluate and implement new technology and service including change management with positive leadership and procedure development
- Excellent written, verbal, and interpersonal communication skills;
  Strong administration and planning skills

## 3. Knowledge and Skills

- Demonstrated relevant experience in a role requiring a similar skill set
- Demonstrated experience in IT related technologies, software tools and products
- Well-developed interpersonal skills with demonstrated ability to work in a team environment, contributing to a positive work environment with a strong focus on provision of quality customer service
- Demonstrated negotiation skills with vendors and monitoring of vendor performance
- Demonstrated analytical, time management, organizational and creative problem-solving skills
- Knowledge of Work Health and Safety practices, the principles of Equal Employment Opportunity and ethical practice principles

#### 4. Desirable

- Demonstrated experience in the development and delivery of highquality training programs to both customers and staff
- Experience with public library systems

#### OPERATIONAL OUTPUTS OF PERSON IN POSITION

- Develop and maintain effective relationships with Council IT for optimum use of the Library Management System and other libraryoriented technologies.
- Assist with the coordination, management, and implementation of Information Technology across the Library Network within agreed timeframes as negotiated with the Library Management and Council IT.
- Provide technical and practical support to internal and external customers relating to systems issues, connectivity, and content training.
- Review, maintain, and report to Library Management on the performance of technology used by the Library Service.
- Liaise with external contractors/vendors to ensure standard and quality of services are maintained.
- Provide support in upskilling library staff in their understanding, use and promotion of library systems, technologies, and eService's provision.
- Evaluation and implementation of new technology and eService's that will enhance community access to resources.
- Contribute to the continuous improvement of technology skills of internal and external stakeholders.
- Review work practices with a view to continuous improvement.
  Contribute to development, production, and maintenance of relevant procedure manuals.
- Actively provide technical support for activities and programs.
- Perform and respond to other duties as directed by the unit Manager to achieve the objectives of the position and fulfil its accountabilities.
- Duties include moving boxes and files, furniture, and equipment for set up and storage, meetings and training, activities, and events. These are undertaken in accordance with safe manual handling techniques.
- Working as required at any branch of the Ku-ring-gai Library Service.