



# Global Indigenous Learning Experience

You are invited to join the Global Indigenous Learning Experience, a collaborative international learning experience between the Indigenous Student Services at Kwantlen Polytechnic University (KPU), Canada, and Kurongkurl Katitjin at Edith Cowan University (ECU), Australia.

In this exciting reciprocal study tour for Indigenous students from both institutions, you will explore the similarities and differences between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples, and Indigenous Peoples in Canada. The 5-week program consists of three weeks of online engagement, one week of travelling, and one week of hosting the other institution.

Across online sessions covering language, culture, history and place, you will engage with Elders, scholars, and Indigenous perspectives, helping you develop a shared understanding of cultures and build global connections.

In addition to the virtual program, students of each university are invited to spend one week at the partner university embarking on cultural tours, workshops, and cross-cultural exchange. Grant funding is available to subsidise travel and accommodation costs.

## PROGRAM DETAILS

**Duration:** 17 June – 19 July, 2024

### Mode of delivery:

**June 17 – July 3:** virtual sessions (2–3 each week)

**July 4 – 13:** KPU students on campus at ECU

**July 14 – 19:** ECU students on campus at KPU

**Student capacity:** 10 students (5 KPU and 5 ECU)

### Eligibility:

This study tour is for Indigenous\* students studying at KPU and ECU and grant funding is available.

*\*Canada: First Nations, Métis and Inuit students.*

*\*Australia: Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander students.*

## More information

For KPU students, email [IndigenousServices@kpu.ca](mailto:IndigenousServices@kpu.ca) to apply or to request further information.

## The application deadlines are:

**KPU: February 29, 2024**

**ECU: March 15th, 2024**

