



NDRI Targeted Discussion – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples NDRI

Wednesday 25 September, 11am-1pm AEST

Discussion Questions and Agenda

- What investments are needed to make NDRI more culturally appropriate and aligned?
- What NDRI investments would support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander knowledge systems?
- How can investments support the recent Australian Government's Framework for the Governance of Indigenous Data?
- How can training, education and professional development for all NDRI users and operators (including leaders) account for ongoing and rapid advancements in NDRI, including capabilities not yet realised? How can this extend to reconciliation efforts?
- How would we enable the ability to organise and control data in relation to a collective entity (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples)?
- How would we enable the ability to exercise jurisdictional control over the way that data is generated, moved and used?
- How would we ensure that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples are always able to use their own data for their own purposes?
- How would reclamation and repatriation of knowledge and data be enabled?
- Is there a case for establishing a new NCRIS capability focused on supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander knowledge systems within the national research infrastructure system? If so, in what timeframe, and what preparatory and transition steps would you recommend?
- **What are the priority NDRI investments to support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, including researchers, and enhance Australia's broader research efforts?**