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Fostering excellence in governance and management of
protected areas in the Asia Pacific and Oceania regions



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TASMANIAN
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CONSERVANCY

Open Standards / Healthy Country Planning

Planning and adaptive management for protected areas

Registrations are open for a five-day Open Standards / Healthy Country Planning workshop focusing on the biodiversity hotspot of the Tasmanian Midlands. Using a well-proven adult learning approach, this intensive live-in course will give you a good understanding of how these tools can be directly used in your own work.

WHO

The course is delivered under the [Protected Areas Learning and Research Collaboration](#) jointly by [Conservation Management](#), the [University of Tasmania](#) and the [Tasmanian Land Conservancy](#).

WHERE

The five day intensive live-in training course is at [Poatina](#), Tasmania, overlooking the Tasmanian Midlands, 2.5 hrs bus drive from Hobart, or 40 min from Launceston.

WHEN

Monday 29th Jan - Friday 2nd Feb 2018
(if sufficient enrolments) .

COST

\$2,420 (inc GST) including all food, accommodation, transport and materials

FURTHER INFORMATION

[Click here to see testimonials](#) from the January 2016 Open Standards course.

[Click here for news about the Healthy Country Planning](#) course in November 2016.

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COURSE CONTENT

Introduce the concepts, steps and structures of the [Open Standards for the Practice of Conservation](#) by using the Midlands as a case study to demonstrate its application. This area features critically endangered conservation values, set in a productive, mostly privately owned landscape.

Students will work in small teams to pursue specific threads through the entire adaptive planning and management loop and learn how to integrate these threads into a powerful, ongoing planning and management framework.

OUTCOME

The knowledge gained is readily implemented and applicable for use in a diverse range of protected areas, including those managed by governments, non-government organisations, private landholders and Indigenous communities.

The approach is also applicable to conservation projects and property planning and management at any scale. It is increasingly used by government and non- government agencies across diverse jurisdictions and geographies.

WANT TO LEARN MORE?

You can build on this training by enrolling in either the [Graduate Certificate of Protected Area Planning](#) or the [Master of Protected Area Governance and Management](#). These two courses are offered by the University of Tasmania – you can study them by distance mode or on-campus in Hobart.

One of the units in these courses, KGA531 Protected Area Management Plans, includes this five day intensive, for which you can be given credit.

To inquire about these courses, email j.kirkpatrick@utas.edu.au



Participants in a 2016 course at Kakadu National Park