

Positive environmental actions, for everyone.

# **Job Description**

Role:	Partnerships Manager
Manager:	Head of Partnerships
Direct Reports:	None
Location:	Sydney
Hours:	37.5 hours per week
Date:	November 2023

#### **FUNCTION & PURPOSE**

- Assist the Head of Partnerships in developing and maintaining all areas of new business to help grow Planet Ark's financial and strategic capacity
- Seek opportunities to generate new revenue streams for Planet Ark
- Develop and maintain strong relationships with new businesses and donors

## **PRINCIPAL DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Lead SME new business acquisition, identifying new business opportunities and working with relevant functional areas of the business to ideate and develop appropriate business solutions
- 2. Lead donation strategy and execution, working with relevant functional areas of the business as well as external companies we are affiliated with.
- 3. Be a key point of contact for approaches to Planet Ark for collaboration or partnership
- 4. Create sales proposals and pitch to new clients
- 5. Support the head of partnerships with new business as necessary
- 6. Take custody of presentation assets ensuring continuity across all decks.
- 7. Work with Executive team to resolve challenging client requests or issue escalations as needed

#### WORKING RELATIONSHIPS:

INTERNAL	EXTERNAL
Partnerships Team	Partners
Campaigns Teams	Sponsors
IT Team	Licensees
Information Centre Team	Donors and donor programmes
Communications Team	Prospective clients
Research Team	Government
Executive Team	Schools

### **ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA**

- 1. Must be an energetic self-starter, with a strong goal-driven desire to succeed
- 2. Formal qualifications in business development/strategy or equivalent industry experience highly valued
- 3. Demonstrated success in a marketing/sales and/or business development role through full sales lifecycle
- 4. Demonstrated ability to develop positive and enduring relationships with stakeholders including partners and sponsors
- 5. Excellent verbal, written, presentation and PowerPoint skills
- 6. Strong interpersonal skills and a demonstrated capacity for relationship management and diplomacy, both online and in person
- 7. Strong time management skills with proven ability to manage several projects at once, to prioritise work and to work under pressure to meet tight timeframes
- 8. A demonstrated personal alignment with Planet Ark's mission and values

## **DESIRABLE CRITERIA**

- 1. Knowledge of and interest in environmental issues
- 2. Use of CRM programmes