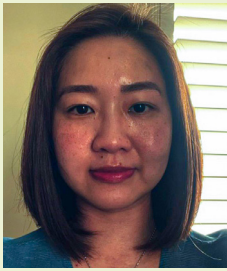


A NEW NATIONAL OFFICE OPENS IN HURSTVILLE, NEW SOUTH WALES



Sisilia Citrajaya - the new Clerical Assistant.

The President of the Australian Wildlife Society, Suzanne Medway AM, is delighted to announce the opening of the Society's new National Office at 29B/17 Macmahon Street Hurstville in New South Wales, to cope with the expanding work of the Society.

The Australian Wildlife Society, founded in 1909, is a national not-for-profit wildlife conservation organisation. We are dedicated to the conservation of Australian wildlife through national environmental education, advocacy, and involvement of the community

For the first time in over one hundred years, the board of the Society has decided to establish a new National Office to cope with the expanding work of the Society in wildlife conservation across Australia. We have always relied on our volunteer board of directors to carry the workload, but in recent times, governance compliance has become so complex that we employed a National Office Manager, just over one year ago and, this month, have employed a Clerical Assistant to ensure that we comply with the various regulations by several government agencies, such as the Australian Charity and Not-for-profits Commission.

The new Clerical Assistant will help with the Society's bookkeeping systems and national membership program. We are keen to expand our membership to continue our wildlife conservation work to help save Australia's native wildlife for future generations.

"We recently decided to offer free membership to all school students so they may be encouraged to develop a deeper understanding of environmental issues, gain the necessary skills to make informed decisions, and take action to improve the environment. Students are a key group in our membership and make significant contributions to the conservation movement through innovative projects and ideas. It is students who can drive lasting and sustainable change, who will become the next ambassadors in environmental conservation and hopefully the successors to the current board of the Society," Suzanne said.

We believe that everyone can play a role in the conservation of Australia's wildlife and this belief is reflected in the Society's magazine, newsletters, and structure of our membership.

We encourage everyone interested in wildlife conservation to join the Society to help save Australia's unique and precious native flora and fauna.



New National Office shopfront at Hurstville in New South Wales.



National Office reception area.



Australian Wildlife Society banner.



L to R: Suzanne Medway AM and Megan Fabian.