

Expressions of interest to serve on the Outdoor Industry Advisory Group

The IAG enables industry representatives to work at a strategic level to provide Skills Active and NZRA with expert advice on the needs and issues of industry, provide oversight and direction for workforce development work, and champion the broader workforce needs of the industry.

Skills Active, in collaboration with NZRA, is seeking expressions of interest (EOI) from those interested in serving on the IAG.

The IAG's purpose is to provide advice on the Skills Active Workforce Action Plan, develop and lead the implementation of an industry-specific workforce development plan, champion workforce development initiatives in the industry and activate its industry networks to respond on the issues that are raised.

IAG members will be appointed on the IAG for up to 2 years. Applications close 8 June 2017.

Skills and experiences needed for the role

To be considered for this role, you should have most, if not all, of the following attributes:

- Connected to the industry at a local, regional or national level
- Desire to think and act beyond your own community of interest to the broader needs of the outdoor recreation workforce
- Recognised as a leader or expert in a discipline or in an area applicable to the needs of the outdoor recreation industry, or to workforce development
- Experience applying your unique lens to workforce development conversations
- Sound understanding and experience of governance and management

What to include in your expression of interest

Send your completed expression of interest to matt@skillsactive.org.nz by the closing date of 8 June 2017. Your expression of interest should include:

- a cover letter
- a completed Expression of Interest form
- a relevant reference

Interested in supporting the IAG?

The IAG will be made up of a core membership of 6-8 industry representatives and will at times be supported by additional project teams.

Project teams will be pulled together on an as-needed basis to lead discrete projects and initiatives prioritised by the IAG. Projects may include:

- Leading specific workforce projects for priority areas identified by the IAG (for example, developing career pathways for the industry)
- Providing advice on Skills Active qualifications, programmes and assessment processes
- Providing advice to the IAG on professional currency requirements for the industry

If you are interested in contributing to the IAG through the project teams please complete an EOI Form outlining the types of activities you may like to contribute to.

IAG meetings

The first IAG meeting will be in late June or early July.

The industry advisory group and any project teams will primarily work virtually, with one or two in-person sessions each year.

Further information

Download the Terms of Reference or email matt@skillsactive.org.nz