

Sarah Jones



Partner/Manager Water and Environment

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QUALIFICATIONS

- Master of Environmental Management
- Bachelor of Applied Science
- Advanced Diploma Environmental Health

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- Member Australian Water Association

COMMITTEES OR BOARDS

- Australian Water Association (AWA) Tas Branch committee member
- OzWater'22 program steering committee

Bringing experience from water utility and local government roles related to recycled water, biosolids, environmental science and urban water management, Sarah joined the business in 2016.

As manager of our water and environment team, Sarah oversees a diverse range of water development, environmental management and compliance related projects.

Nutting out the real core of a problem is Sarah's superpower. Using her experience and client insight, Sarah enjoys harnessing the diverse skills and talent within Pinion's consulting team across a wide range of projects.

In 2023 Sarah became a Pinion Advisory partner.

Areas of expertise

- Project management
- Project scoping and troubleshooting
- Regulatory liaison
- Feasibility studies
- Management plans
- Technical advice
- Recycled water, biosolids & waste product management
- Environmental approvals
- Environmental monitoring & reporting

Professional experience

- Pinion Advisory – Partner/Manager - Water and Environment, 2021-current
- Pinion Advisory (Macquarie Franklin) – Team Leader – Sustainable Management Solutions, 2016-2021
- TasWater - Senior Environmental Scientist, 2013-2016
- Southern Water - Leader Recycled Water and Biosolids, 2010-2013
- Gold Coast Water - Coordinator Demand Management, 2007-2009
- Gold Coast Water - Recycled Water Project Officer, 2005-2007
- Sorell Council - Environmental Health Officer, 2003-2004
- West Tamar Council – Cadet Environmental Health Officer, 2001-2003

CAPABILITY STATEMENT

Relevant projects

PROJECT	ROLE	CLIENT	YEAR/S DELIVERED
Irrigation feasibility and options assessments	Project manager and technical specialist	TasWater and TasWater CDO	2021-ongoing
Arm End class A recycled water scheme	Development of class A recycled water quality management plan for regulatory approval. Ongoing technical advice	Mary Ann's Island	2021-ongoing
OzWater'22 steering committee	Circular economy lead for the Australian Water Association conference OzWater'22	AWA (voluntary)	2021-22
Salmon hatchery, abattoir and dairy wastewater management planning	Project manager and technical advisor - environmental assessments, management plans, EPA liaison and approvals	Various	2016-ongoing
Recycled water management and monitoring services	Project manager and technical advisor - environmental monitoring, auditing and compliance reporting	TasWater	2018-ongoing
Recycled water feasibility and approvals projects	Project manager and technical advisor - land capability assessments, water balance, concept designs, technical reporting and management plans	TasWater, Greater Western Water	2016-ongoing
Biosolids management plans	Development of plans to obtain EPA approval for spreading of biosolids on suitable sites across Tasmania and Victoria	Conhur, TasWater	2016-2021
Environmental approvals projects related to wastewater, abattoirs and quarries	Project manager and technical advisor: regulatory liaison, development applications, environmental effects reports, environmental impact assessments and environmental management plans.	Various	2016-ongoing
Environmental monitoring programs	Project management and technical advisor	Tasmanian Irrigation & TasWater	2016-ongoing
Australian Water Association (AWA)	AWA Tasmanian annual conference organising committee	AWA (voluntary)	2015-2023