

Australian High Commission, Singapore: Aboriginal Elders Wisdom Webinar Series

Live Webinar: Aunty Bilawara Lee, Larrakia Elder

Topic: Understanding Aboriginal Australian culture and protocols

Date: Tuesday 2 November, 2-3pm (SGT, GMT+8)



Bio

Aunty Bilawara Lee is a highly respected Elder of the Larrakia Nation. For the past three years, she has been steadfastly committed to reviving the Larrakia language. This has included teaching Australia's Governor General and the Northern Territory's Administrator an Acknowledgement to Country in Larrakia Language.

A recipient of the Female Elder of the Year Award in the 2021 NAIDOC Awards in Darwin, Aunty Bilawara is an internationally published author of two books (Star Dreaming and Healing from the Dilly Bag), and the first and only Larrakia Academic in Residence at Charles Darwin University. She also chairs the Menzies Child Health Division's Indigenous Reference Group. Aunty Bilawara is the Australian Aboriginal representative on the International Indigenous Grandmothers Council, who are recognised as the wisdom keepers of the world of ancient sacred knowledge.

Aunty Bilawara is acknowledged and respected internationally as a Healer and Teacher of the ancient wisdoms of Aboriginal Spirituality and Healing, cross-cultural communication and Larrakia cultural protocols. She represents Australia on the International Indigenous Grandmothers Council.

A much-loved community communicator, Aunty Bilawara also conducts many Welcome to Country and smoking ceremonies.