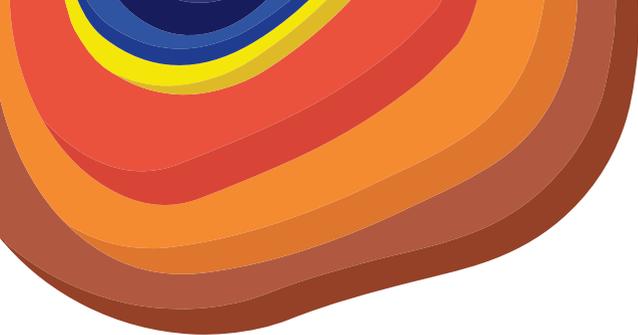**Protect, connect and inspire.**

The Keeping Place

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The Keeping Place is a powerful, innovative and safe tool for collecting, protecting and appropriately sharing cultural knowledge.

Designed, owned and managed by Indigenous Australians, the platform enables Traditional Owners to regain data sovereignty, build organisational capacity, apply cultural protocols and unlock social and economic opportunities for current and future generations.

Intuitive and engaging, the platform inspires new methods of intergenerational knowledge transfer whilst providing Traditional Owner groups with an innovative geospatial tool to make informed decisions about their land and its related economic, social, cultural and environmental values.

With customisable cultural protocols, recognised knowledge holders can choose how information is captured, accessed, managed and shared. Importantly, it ensures data and knowledge is protected for future generations.

The Keeping Place has a bold vision to be a sustainable digital cultural centre for all Indigenous Australians. Built on a shared ownership model, where all the Indigenous groups that use the platform are also the owners of The Keeping Place, the platform will continue to evolve to meet the varying needs of groups and individuals across the country.

"The Keeping Place is important because it means we now have a program that can keep hold of our knowledge, language and stories. The information can be looked after by our corporation and preserved for future generations."
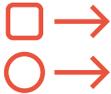
Brian Tucker,
Nyiyaparli Traditional Owner

Benefits of The Keeping Place

DIGITAL CULTURAL CENTRE

Establish your own private, secure and self-managed digital cultural centre.

DATA REPATRIATION

Enabling the easy migration of heritage and cultural information held by other sources.

PROTECT AND SHARE KNOWLEDGE

Collect, protect and appropriately share cultural knowledge and keep cultural heritage information safe for future generations.

MANAGE FUTURE ACTS

Manage the grant of mining leases and ensure that your native title rights are appropriately managed and protected.

REALISE OPPORTUNITIES

Realise social and economic opportunities that were not previously possible.

MONITOR COMMITMENTS

Manage, monitor and track payments and commitments under Indigenous Land Use Agreements.

DELIVER HERITAGE SERVICES

Manage cultural heritage surveys, perform desktop assessments of heritage survey histories and use workflows to plan upcoming heritage and land projects.

MANAGE MEMBERSHIP AND STAKEHOLDERS

Manage all membership and stakeholder engagement information in one place, including correspondence, personal information as well as skills, training and certificates.

BUILD ORGANISATIONAL CAPACITY

Improve efficiency and reduce costs through a centralised information management system for managing native title.

How does it work?

Built on the latest technology, The Keeping Place is a secure online platform that provides full GIS mapping features enriched by the powerful Infoscope relationship engine.

The platform eliminates boundaries found in traditional systems by optimising every piece of information through limitless connections and intuitive user experience.

Data can be visualised on both a map (using GIS Cloud) and tabular user interface (using Infoscope). The secure platform can be accessed by desktop, laptop and tablet.

Built on modern cloud technology, the platform is secure and scalable with powerful search capabilities and easy to use document and workflow management.

"When we started on this project we were just looking to build software that would enable the repatriation of heritage information held by the mining companies. But looking after our culture is ongoing, so what we've made is powerful software that we can use to manage our heritage services, store and protect our cultural information and use to pass our knowledge onto younger generations."

Darren Injie,
Yinhawangka Traditional Owner

Other features

The Keeping Place provides Indigenous groups with a secure, powerful and comprehensive system to manage native title.

PBC Information Management System

The platform provides Prescribed Body Corporates with a bespoke information management system that can be used to manage: native title future act processes, heritage services, membership data, stakeholders, compliance with land use agreements, land projects, spatial data sets and workflows.

Rich Data Collection

Securely upload, store and map a wide variety of information back to locations, people and documents, such as:
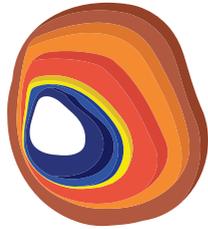
- Oral recordings – songs and stories.
- Image and video recordings – photos, video and art.
- Site mapping – the location of significant cultural sites.
- Heritage information – heritage survey reports, ethnographies and research projects.
- Land tenure and environmental data sets.

Cultural Protocols and Security Groups

With customisable cultural protocols and security group permissions, the platform allows recognised individuals or groups to choose how information is captured, accessed and shared.

Automated Workflows and Notifications

You can create custom and automated notifications to trigger workflows and manage agreement compliance, heritage projects, mining tenements and keep team members updated on progress.

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