Get into STEM

GetintoSTEM.edu.au

Kathryn Gledhill-Tucker

STEM field(s): Technology
Born: 1987, Whadjuk Noongar country (Perth, WA).
Intersectionality: Aboriginal

'As a technologist, I am always thinking about systems and trying to figure out how power moves within them. It is so easy to be caught up new tech, new toys, new AIs – but the most important questions we can ask are, Who has power? And how could this power be used to harm others?'

- A Nyungar woman from the Ngadju and Mirning people on the south coast.

- Completed a Bachelor of Science (Behavioural Science) at UWA, then a Master of Marketing.

- Worked as a data analyst for several years and then moved into product development for an online gaming company.

- Has wide experience working in online streaming services, data and analytics consulting.

- A digital rights activist, currently serving on the board of Electronic Frontiers Australia. Campaigns for human rights.

- Is passionate about using Indigenous thinking – caring for Country and Kin – to help shape an ethical future for technology.

- Mentors with She Codes which teaches technical skills and connects women to career pathways.

- Leading a new program at Thoughtworks creating tech careers for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander technologists.

- Hobbies include tinkering with electronics, playing guitar and piano, and is also a published science fiction author.