

Natasha Short

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Kimberley based Indigenous Speaker, Cultural Connector, Trainer and Facilitator

Natasha Short, Founder of Kimberley Jiyigas is a descendant of the Jaru people of Halls Creek, born and raised in East Kimberley, where she lives today with her family. Natasha has spent the past 25 years working within community development, focusing on social improvements for Indigenous people. Much of Natasha's work has been around mentoring, leadership development, event management and speaking engagements. Natasha is committed and passionate about Aboriginal people succeeding and living purposeful and independent lives, and is using Indigenous business development as a way to drive social change.

Natasha has extensive experience speaking passionately about, training and facilitating a wide range of programs in the following areas:

- Cultural and Community Intelligence – providing a diverse set of services on cultural strategies and community protocols.
- Conferencing and Events - offering event and project management services, including speaking and facilitation of workshops and events.
- Personal & Professional Development – providing services to promote personal wellbeing and professional advancement including life coaching sessions.
- Business Development and Services – a range of services offered to Indigenous women in business, to support and mentor them in all aspects of their new or existing business.



About Natasha

Natasha founded Kimberley Jiyigas (Birds) in 2018 to be a collective of Indigenous women whose heritage links them personally to the Kimberley region. Natashas vision is to unite Indigenous talents, skills, passions, experience and networks to build a movement that champions Kimberley Indigenous Women and facilitates cultural and social change not only across the Kimberley, but abroad, right across this nation we call our home. She enjoys motivating individuals, groups, teams, businesses and organisations to initiate and embrace change for the betterment and firmer positioning in their respective fields.

As a local Kununurra consultant, she has a high level of insight, strategy, knowledge, and understanding in how to empower Indigenous communities, yet understands the challenges with communicating and navigating connection with the wider Australian population.

Natasha is available for Conferences, Workshops, Masterclasses, Online Forums & other Events.



'Natasha is one of the most gifted communicators that I've ever met. She draws from deep wells of personal experience, decades of community development work and the many Kimberley Elders that guide and advise her. Her presentation (in any forum/format) is compelling and authentic. I highly recommend her for any organisation interested in understanding the real and tangible steps they can take to support social and economic empowerment for First Australians'.

Cindy Mitchell


Non-Executive Director and Ted-Ex Speaker

Speaking Topics

Natasha is a rare and uniquely passionate and engaging speaker and facilitator, who inspires every audience she engages with, challenging them to think differently about what's in front of them, work smarter not harder, and be solutions focused.

- Indigenous Leadership & Culture
- Kimberley Entrepreneurship
- Women's Empowerment
- Motivational Speaking

Speaking engagements can be done Face to Face or via Zoom.



'Natasha speaks from the heart, authentically from a place of deep knowledge and experience. Inspiring, entrepreneurial, and eloquent, Natasha will deepen your understanding of indigenous culture, connect you to the issues of the day and most importantly, engage you in the important conversations that are imperative if we are to prioritize the 'greater good' for all Australians'.

Liz Gillies
CEO, Menzies Foundation

Organisational and Cultural Programs/Topics of Interest and Insight

Natasha Short has extensive experience which she translates into speaking and facilitation of the following topics, Australia wide.

- Indigenous Parenting Programs
- Indigenous Child Safety Training
- Indigenous Cultural Insights for Kimberley Engagement
- Jumpstart Ideas Box Sessions - Problem solving, solutions-based Brainstorming
- Leadership and Mentoring of Aboriginal women
- Facilitation
- Career mentoring Programs
- Business Workshops
- End of Financial Year Funding – An opportunity for a community initiative
- Prescribed Body Corporation Facilitation sessions on best utilising funding for Native Title Holders
- Strategic Planning Facilitation Sessions
- Content Planning Facilitation and Management - helping organisations plan, create and communicate effectively their value propositions and over-arching organisations goals and solutions.
- Business Leadership Workshops & Programs
- Workplace Culture & Change Workshops
- Conflict Resolution and Negotiation Skills Workshops

Some sessions can be carried out via zoom though we prefer initial Consultant sessions to be Face to Face where possible.

For all Speaking Quotes, please contact Martin Graham via wa@icmi.com.au or on 0466 318 996.



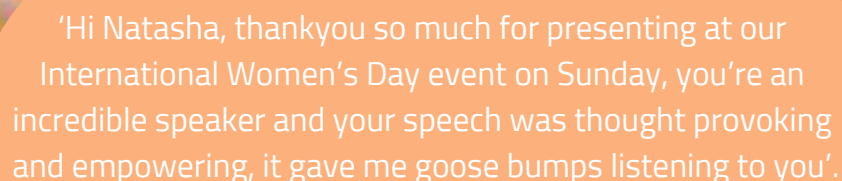
Consulting

Unsure about what solution you actually need for your group, workplace or organisation? Natasha Short can be engaged as a Consultant, tapping into her wide range of experience, contacts and skills to undertake any Strategy, Workshops and Information sessions.

Start with a one to two day Consult with your teams, workplace or organisation to determine the challenges, and map out the solutions together. Natasha can then be contracted to monitor progress, continue to engage with your teams to ensure objectives are communicated clearly, are being met, and assist with creating, navigating and monitoring the outcomes and the associated tasks with a Monthly Retainer Fee.

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Fees available by negotiation.



'Hi Natasha, thankyou so much for presenting at our International Women's Day event on Sunday, you're an incredible speaker and your speech was thought provoking and empowering, it gave me goose bumps listening to you'.

Laura Taylor
Coordinator of Operations
Kununurra Neighbourhood House

Project Management

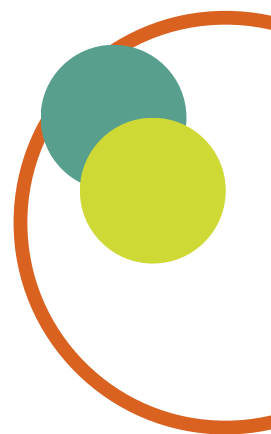
Natasha is supported by a strong team of Innovators, Trainers & Facilitators, and Business & Marketing Specialists who have strong skills in Event Management and Project Management. Natasha has run and overseen a wide variety of events in the Kimberley Region and continues to champion women through such events.

Natasha has extensive experience with Funding bodies and the process that is undertaken to secure funding for your Project or Event. She has also Project Managed a wide variety of Kimberley Projects with her teams including but not limited to:

- First of its kind Kimberley Birds 'SHEro Magazine (Print & Digital)
- EK Enhancer Circle
- Lighting the Spark Initiative
- Maganda Makers Program
- Indigenous Womens Camp and Forums
- Special Events
- No More Humbug report and animation
- Storytelling Nights
- Plus much more

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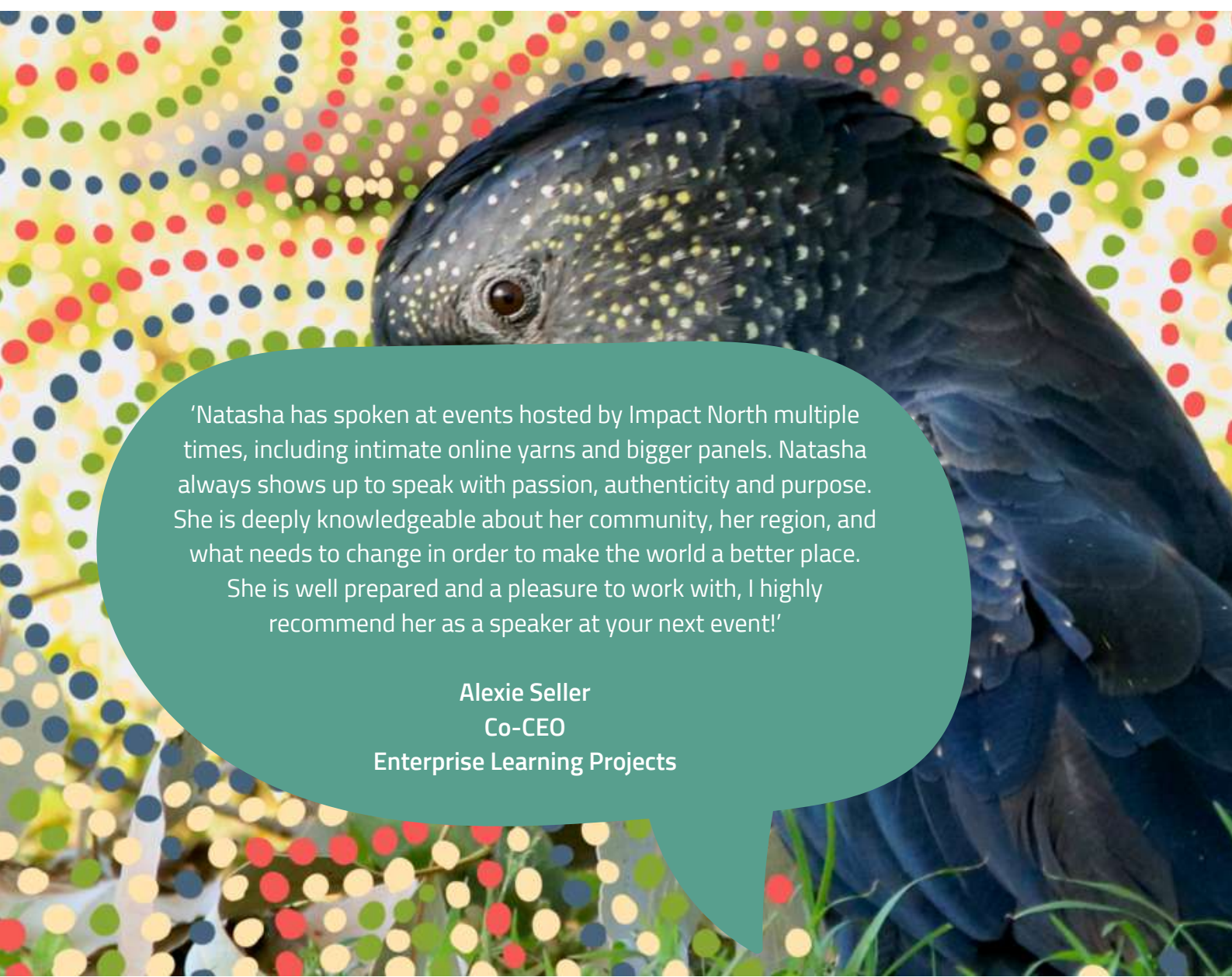


Small Business Coaching/Mentoring Session

Natasha Short offers a 1.5 Hour Power Yarn session for Indigenous Small Businesses (under \$100,000 yearly income) to assist with start up, changes, product/service pricing, business strategy and growth, and helping business owners carve their path forward.

Face to Face sessions in Kununurra & within 50kms of Kununurra
Businesses located outside this area can have their session on zoom.

Fees available by negotiation.



'Natasha has spoken at events hosted by Impact North multiple times, including intimate online yarns and bigger panels. Natasha always shows up to speak with passion, authenticity and purpose. She is deeply knowledgeable about her community, her region, and what needs to change in order to make the world a better place.

She is well prepared and a pleasure to work with, I highly recommend her as a speaker at your next event!'

Alexie Seller
Co-CEO
Enterprise Learning Projects