



## Trisha Maroney Memorial Prize Katherine Campus

Trisha Maroney was a proud Wardaman woman from the Katherine Big Rivers region, who as a speech pathologist had a strong passion for supporting clinically and culturally safe practice in remote Australia. Trisha was passionate about sharing her knowledge and skills with students, to ensure that those in the Big Rivers region received culturally safe and responsive care. Trish worked for Flinders NT in Katherine as an academic clinical supervisor who contributed to the development of clinically and culturally safe practice skills in the next generation of clinicians and promoted allied health recruitment and retention.

Sadly, Trish passed away in 2016, yet she has left us with a legacy of the importance of working collaboratively and ensuring that our work is done in a culturally safe way. This award commemorates her and her achievement toward improving Indigenous health.

The prize may be awarded to a student who has undertaken a placement within the Katherine Big Rivers region that demonstrates the greatest in-depth self-reflection and improvement in their own cultural safe practice.

The prize will be judged by Aboriginal and Torres Strait islander staff and community members and will include a plaque with your name on Trisha Maroney honor board in the Katherine campus, and a monetary prize to the value of \$500.

### To Enter

Reflect on your placement in Katherine. Submit a 1,000-word essay detailing your journey towards cultural safety/responsiveness and how you have or could improve your cultural practice towards Aboriginal clients and return to [fnt.Katherine@flinders.edu.au](mailto:fnt.Katherine@flinders.edu.au).

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IDENTITY	Do you identify as an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person? <input type="checkbox"/>
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