



KIERAN MCGEE

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‘Archaeology carries rich lessons that connect us. It is our responsibility to protect this heritage and use these opportunities to enrich our collective futures.’

Kieran joined Curio Projects as a Consultant Archaeologist in 2025, while completing his PhD at the University of Sydney. He holds Bachelor's degrees in Arts (Honours I) and Science.

His PhD is a collaboration with the Mithaka People on their traditional lands, the National Heritage-Listed Mithaka Cultural Landscape. Using advanced drone and 3D scanning techniques, his research records and interprets the extensive quarrying and tool production practices of Mithaka ancestors. Kieran has also undertaken fieldwork on a Tasmanian convict site and collaborated with the Australian Museum and the University of Sydney's Plant Breeding Institute, exploring how cultural heritage knowledge can inform the modern use of native Australian grains.

Kieran brings a broad research skillset spanning archaeological field techniques, GIS mapping, statistical and artefact analysis, 3D scanning, community consultation, and complex project management. His work has been published in peer-reviewed academic journals and presented at academic conferences.

EXPERIENCE

Consultant Archaeologist, Curio Projects

May 2025 – Present

Mithaka Digital Repatriation Project, Australian Museum

May 2023

Picton Road Station – Convict Archaeology Field School, University of Tasmania

May 2020

EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

Doctor of Philosophy - Archaeology

University of Sydney

2019 – 2026

Bachelor of Arts (Honours I) - Archaeology

University of Sydney

2013 - 2018

Bachelor of Science - Geology

University of Sydney

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