



Archaeology allows us to discover stories from the past which can establish connections through time and contribute to a sense of place. It provides unique insights into our shared human story.

Adam Pietrzak

Heritage Consultant, Archaeologist

Adam Pietrzak is a heritage consultant and archaeologist with seven years' experience in Australia and the United Kingdom. He holds a Master of Research in Archaeology and a Bachelor of Arts in Archaeology with Honours, from the University of Birmingham.

Adam has experience in both historical and Aboriginal archaeological excavation. He has worked on sites across New South Wales, Tasmania, and Western Australia, including World Heritage listed places. He also has experience in archaeological excavations internationally, in Czechia, Cyprus and the United Kingdom, including on large urban excavations in central London.

He is also skilled in preparing archaeological assessments and research designs, undertaking historical research, project management, and GIS and heritage mapping.

Qualifications

Master of Research (Archaeology), University of Birmingham
Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) (Archaeology), University of Birmingham

Professional Affiliations

Australian Archaeological Association (AAA)
Australasian Society for Historical Archaeology (ASHA)

Key Experience

Historical Archaeological Excavations

- Parramatta Light Rail, Stage 1 Infrastructure, Archaeological Works—Client: CPB Contractors.
- Taree Police Station, Salvage Excavation—Client: NSW Police Force.
- Parramatta RSL, Macquarie Street, Salvage Excavation—Client: Paynter Dixon.
- IMAX Redevelopment (The Ribbon), Salvage Excavation—Client: Grocon.
- Arthur Phillip High School, Parramatta, Salvage Excavation—Client: Project Coordination (Australia) Pty Ltd + Watpac.
- Hyde Park Barracks, Archaeological Investigations and Excavations—Client: Sydney Living Museums.
- Newmarket Stables, Barker Street, Randwick, Salvage Excavation—Client: Cbus Property.
- Port Arthur Historic Site, Historical Archaeological Excavation—Client: Port Arthur Historic Site Management Authority.
- Perth Girls' School, Salvage Excavation—Client: Australian Development Capital and Warburton Group (for Terra Rosa).
- Sydney Metro City and Southwest, Salvage Excavations—Client: Transport for NSW (for AMBS).

Aboriginal Archaeological Excavations

- ARTC Inland Rail, Illabo to Stockingbingal, Archaeological Investigations—Client: WSP.
- Schofields Aerodrome, Aboriginal Salvage Excavation—Client: Defence Housing Australia.
- Eliwana Mine and Rail Project, Aboriginal Salvage Excavation and Archaeological Survey—Client: FMG (for Terra Rosa).
- Clarence Correctional Centre Transmission Line, Archaeological Testing—Client: Infrastructure NSW (for Curio Projects).

Archaeological Assessments and Heritage Advice

- Ivanhoe Park, Manly, Conservation Management Plan—Client: Northern Beaches Council.
- South Windsor Presbyterian Cemetery, Historical Archaeological Assessment and Research Design—Client: Hawkesbury City Council.
- Sydney Metro Barangaroo Temporary Works, Jemena Gas Main, Windmill Street and Hickson Road, Heritage and Archaeological Impact Assessment—Project Manager—Client: Sydney Metro.

Professional Development

White Card (CPCCOH1001A – Work Safely in the Construction Industry)

First Aid Certifications (HLTAID001, HLTAID002, HLTAID003, HLTAID005)

Asbestos Awareness Training

Short Courses and Programs

Certified Project Officer (Institute of Project Management), University of Tasmania, 2020

The Archaeology of Australian Stone Artefacts, Flinders University, 2020

QGIS Essentials and Pursuit (Chartis Technology), 2020

ASHA Research Tools Workshop: Technical and Research Skills, 2018

ASHA Historical Artefact Identification Workshop, 2018

Lithics Identification Workshop, University of Sydney, 2017