



**Talking, listening and conducting research with Indigenous communities has enhanced my understanding of the role that heritage plays in our everyday lives. I look forward to further developing my knowledge and contributing to this cultural exchange in future projects.**

## **Elisa Scorsini** Heritage Consultant, Archaeologist

Elisa Scorsini, GML Heritage Consultant and Archaeologist, holds a Master of Archaeological and Evolutionary Science from the Australian National University (Advanced) and Honours in Near Eastern Archaeology and Bachelor of Arts in Ancient Civilisations and Archaeology from University L'Orientale, Naples.

Elisa is experienced in archaeological fieldwork, surveying activities, and geoarchaeological analyses and reporting. She has contributed to various archaeological projects both within Australia and internationally in the private and academic sectors.

Prior to joining GML, Elisa worked as a consultant archaeologist for various heritage consultancies, participating in multiple archaeological projects within the ACT and NSW.

### **Qualifications**

Master of Archaeological and Evolutionary Science (Advanced), Australian National University

Honours in Near Eastern Archaeology, University L'Orientale, Naples

Bachelor of Arts in Ancient Civilisations and Archaeology, University L'Orientale, Naples

### **Professional development**

First Aid Certificate (HLTAID011 Provide First Aid)

Construction Industry White Card ACT

### **Key experience**

#### **Archaeological assessments and excavations**

- Yellow Rock Road, Tullimbar, Archaeological Excavation—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Snowy Mountains SAP0, Barry Way R5 and E4, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- The Poplars, Jerrabomberra Retail and Services Precinct Stage 2, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- 138 Sunninghill Drive, Windellama, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Snowy Mountains Special Activation Precinct, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Mongarlowe Community Hall, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Snowgums Chairlift Replacement, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Marulan Stage 3, Archaeological Survey—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- ELM Grove Bungendore Stage 1, Salvage Excavation—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Michelago Rezoning, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- 122 Merino Road, Marulan, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Yatara Park, Yass, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- 159 Rifle Range Road, Goulburn, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Hatton Park, Yass, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Holy Cross Cemetery Lake, Bathurst, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- 49 Suffolk Road, Marulan, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- 698 Red Hills, Marulan, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- 149 Elm Grove Road, Tirrannaville, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)

- 29 Highland Way, Marulan, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)
- Block 3 Section 95, Watson, ACT, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment—Client: Private (for Past Traces Pty Ltd)

## Professional background

Heritage Consultant and Archaeologist, GML Heritage, February 2024–present

Heritage Consultant, Past Traces Pty Ltd, 2022–present

Casual/Assistant Heritage Consultant, Navin Officer Heritage Consultants, 2021–2022

Student Ambassador, Australian National University, 2021–2023

Graduate Heritage Consultant, Cultural Heritage Management Australia (CHMA), 2020

## Volunteering and internship experience

Membership Secretary, Canberra Archaeology Society (CAS)

Secretary and General Member, Anthropology, Biological Anthropology, Archaeology, Cultural Heritage and Museum Studies (ABACUS), Australian National University

## Professional affiliations

Australian Archaeological Association (AAA)

## Awards

Canberra Archaeological Society Student Prize (CAS), 2022

Student Research Grant Scheme, Australian Archaeological Association, 2022

Rhys Jones Fieldwork Award, School of Archaeology and Anthropology, Australian National University, College of Arts and Social Sciences, 2022

## Publications

Walkeden, I, Crombie, M, Teschendorff, M, Rajkumar, M, Scorsini, E, O'Riley, L, McLean, T, Claringbold, I and Kurpiel, R 2021, 'Learning archaeology online: student perspectives on the most effective activities and resources delivered remotely', La Trobe, conference contribution, *Annual Victorian Archaeology Colloquium*, <https://doi.org/10.26181/6195d10fdc552>.

Sernicola, L, Capra, D, Minucci, E, Rega, FM, Filosa, D, Memola, D, Morselli, M, Scorsini, E and Patrevita, MS 2019, 'Archaeological Expedition at Aksum (Ethiopia) of the Università Degli Studi Di Napoli L'orientale and Ismeo, 2018 and 2019 Field Seasons: Seglamen', *Newsletter di Archeologia CISA*, vol. 10, pp 391–405

## Presentations

Scorsini, E, Wright, D, Wailu, S, Zaro, T, Denham, T, Clark, G, Vrydaghs, L and Devos, Y 2023, 'Reconstructing the History of Dauar through Soil Micromorphology', Poster, *Australian Archaeological Association (AAA)*, Gold Coast

Scorsini, E, Wright, D, Wailu, S, Zaro, T, Denham, T, Vrydaghs, L and Devos, Y 2023, 'Intersecting geoarchaeological and soil micromorphological techniques to reconstruct the human history on Dauar Island, eastern Torres Straits', National Archaeology Student Conference (NASC), Best Postgraduate Presentation, Melbourne