# **Max Serjeant**

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## **Work Experience**

### • Freelance Writer 2014 - Present

My writing work has seen me write and edit a variety of pieces for a range of clients. This has included journalism, travel writing, website copy and slogan writing. My work has been published on the websites of The Latin American News Dispatch, World Nomads and Costarica.org (among others).

# • Anthropologist – YMAC – November 2018 – December 202

YMAC is a native title body which helps indigenous Australians make legal claim to their traditional lands. During my time at YMAC I conducted anthropological interview based fieldwork, contributed to (and proofread) reports and memos, maintained genealogies, and acted as a point of contact for the community.

# Anthropologist – Goldfields Land and Sea Council February 2018 – November 2018

GLSC is a native title body which helps indigenous Australians make legal claim to their traditional lands. At GLSC I assisted with anthropological research, and acted as a point of contact for the community.

### Education

- Masters Leiden University Latin American Public Policy 1<sup>st</sup> (equivalent)
- Undergraduate (Honours) Brunel University Anthropology 2.1
- Blackfords Diploma of Copywriting (in progress)

### **Achievements**

- Masters from Leiden University (ranked in the top 75 globally at time of study)
- Undergraduate degree from Brunel University
- 1<sup>st</sup> (or equivalent) grade awarded for both theses
- Both theses based on research independently designed and conducted by myself
- Contributed to anthropological reports submitted to the state of Western Australia for use in native title land claims
- Independently conducted qualitative fieldwork
- Built a business as a freelance writer

#### Skills

- Academic and journalistic writing
- Field based quantitative research
- Desktop academic research
- Spanish (fluent)
- Meeting deadlines and time management