



Non-Executive Director Opportunities

ChemCentre Board (Including Potential Chair Appointment)

Help Shape the Future of Science, Safety and Innovation in Western Australia

ChemCentre is seeking to appoint two outstanding Non-Executive Directors, including a potential future Chair, to join its Board and help guide one of Western Australia's most unique and strategically important scientific organisations.

This is an opportunity to contribute to an organisation whose work touches the lives of Western Australians every day, from supporting forensic investigations and road safety programs, to protecting our environment, responding to hazardous chemical incidents, advancing scientific research and enabling innovation across industry.

As a Board Director, you will provide strategic oversight, governance and leadership to an organisation at the intersection of science, public policy, community safety and economic development

About The Organisation

ChemCentre is Western Australia's leading chemical and forensic science organisation and a statutory authority of the State Government.

Our scientists, analysts and specialists provide critical services that support:

- Community safety and law enforcement
- Drug and alcohol testing programs
- Environmental monitoring and protection
- Emergency response to chemical incidents
- Public health investigations
- Mining, energy and industrial sectors
- Research, innovation and scientific advancement

Operating across government and commercial sectors, ChemCentre combines scientific excellence with practical impact, delivering trusted analytical services that help keep Western Australians safe and support the State's economic prosperity.

Our Emergency Response Team provides specialist chemical incident support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in collaboration with emergency services across Western Australia.

The Opportunity

The Board is seeking experienced and strategic leaders who can contribute to the governance and future direction of a highly respected scientific organisation.

Applications are particularly encouraged from candidates with expertise in one or more of the following areas:

- Innovation, research translation and commercialisation
- Developing and implementing commercial strategy
- Science, technology, engineering or mathematics (STEM)
- Industry sectors aligned with ChemCentre's activities
- Government, regulatory or community leadership



All applicants are expected to have Board governance experience that may include experience in public sector leadership, finance, audit and risk.

The Board values diversity of thought, background and experience, and welcomes applications from candidates who can bring fresh perspectives and contribute to robust decision-making in a complex operating environment.

Previous Board experience is highly desirable. Consideration will also be given to emerging directors with exceptional leadership credentials and relevant expertise.

Graduates of the Australian Institute of Company Directors (AICD) and Western Australian residents are encouraged to apply.

Why Join the ChemCentre Board?

As a Director, you will help shape decisions that influence:

- Scientific capability and innovation in Western Australia
- Community and public safety outcomes
- Environmental stewardship and sustainability
- Emerging technologies and future laboratory infrastructure
- Strategic partnerships across government, industry and research sectors
- The long-term growth and impact of a trusted State institution

This is a rewarding opportunity to contribute to an organisation with a strong reputation for scientific excellence, integrity and service to the Western Australian community.

Website: www.chemcentre.wa.gov.au

Important information:

Duration of Appointment: 3 years, with additional options to a maximum of a nine year term.

Remuneration: Director fees as set by the Government.

How To Apply

Applications including CV should be addressed to:

Chair, ChemCentre: applications@chemcentre.wa.gov.au

Closing Date: Friday 16 October 2026

Advertisement to be posted on the following:

- AICD Directorship Opportunities
- ChemCentre Website