

Danielle Francis, Liveable Communities Manager

The Liveable Communities Manager leads WSAA's program on water's role in next generation cities, working with senior representatives from across the water sector to shape and influence national policies and strategies for the industry. Their focus is on the areas of water for health, water for placemaking, and water for growth. This role includes the 'all options on the table' portfolio, enhancing awareness of Indigenous values for water, and leadership of climate change adaptation and mitigation including support for renewable energy and the emerging circular economy.

Danielle spent years in the water industry in communications, regulatory, strategy and stakeholder roles. Areas of expertise include purified recycled water for drinking around the world – she is on the Project Advisory Committee of a global study by the Water Research Foundation (USA) on purified recycled water education and demonstration facility design. Delighted to be part of the WSAA team and focus on bringing opportunities for circular economy to life.