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OUR HISTORY

FECCA was established in 1979 as a non-profit, voluntary organisation. Our early work focused on attaining equality for migrants in areas such as employment, education and social services. Over the years, FECCA has grown to be an established organisation, with a dedicated elected executive committee and professional national secretariat, bringing a unique voice to the multiculturalism discourse in Australia.

MEMBERSHIP AND COLLABORATIONS

FECCA's membership comprises various multicultural and ethnic communities' structures. Our policy and advocacy at the national level is underpinned by a leadership role which extends beyond the membership, to include a wide network of sector collaborators, academics, and advocates.

FECCA acknowledges the diversity of organisations and structures that represent and support migrant and refugee communities in Australia, and is committed to working with them in partnership in any areas of shared interest.

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Federation of Ethnic Communities' Councils of Australia



WHO WE ARE

The Federation of Ethnic Communities' Councils of Australia (FECCA) is the national peak body advocating and promoting issues on behalf of Australians from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds to government and the broader community.

At the heart of FECCA's work is promoting multiculturalism, embodied in equitable policies and non discriminatory practices for all Australians, regardless of their cultural, linguistic, ethnic or religious background.

STRATEGIC DIRECTIONS



POLICY AND ADVOCACY

- Exemplify leadership and purpose in promoting cultural diversity and social cohesion.
- Promote the meaningful recognition and reflection of the needs, contributions and aspirations of culturally and linguistically diverse communities in all areas of Australia's policy and practice.



AWARENESS RAISING

- Facilitate an informed debate on cultural diversity and social cohesion by raising awareness throughout the broader community on the experiences of culturally and linguistically diverse communities.



CAPACITY BUILDING: SUPPORTING THE MULTICULTURAL SECTOR

- Engage with sector organisations and structures to address identified needs and to enhance their capacity to advocate for their interests and support their communities.



LEADERSHIP AND REPRESENTATION

- Provide a unified national voice by maintaining and enhancing productive relationships with members and the broader diversity sector.



OUTREACH AND PARTNERSHIPS

- Complement State/Territory/Regional membership by building significant extended networks and collaborations to enhance FECCA's representation.
- Strengthen partnerships with the broader community and private sectors.



GOVERNANCE AND SUSTAINABILITY: BUILDING OUR INTERNAL STRENGTH

- Secure FECCA's position as a sustainable, professional, accountable and transparent organisation.



WHAT WE STAND FOR

FECCA acknowledges the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples as the First Peoples of Australia and is committed to promoting harmony and equity for all Australians.

We maintain a status of a non-party political organisation which seeks to ensure bipartisan and multiparty support for multiculturalism, to the benefit of all Australians.

FECCA opposes all forms of racism and discrimination and seeks to promote equality in all areas of our work. We support human rights, advocate for full access and equity, and encourage community harmony.