

## **DR TONY PUSEY**

### **Senior Zoologist and Veterinarian**

Tony has thirty years experience in clinical medicine and surgery of small animals, horses and cattle. He has a sound understanding of business practices, having owned, designed and built veterinary practices in both metropolitan and rural environments. Tony has a keen interest in aquaculture, having designed, constructed and managed a 24-pond marron farm in the southwest. Tony has a strong academic background having recently undertaken further tertiary studies at an award winning level in history, philosophy and archaeology. Tony has a lifelong interest in Australian fauna and has been involved in field work and in native animal rehabilitation. Tony has participated in Level 1 and 2 fauna assessments in the Pilbara, Goldfields and Swan Coastal Plain and in riverine fish surveys in Northern Queensland, Northern Territory and Brazil.

### **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

- Terrestrial fauna surveys and assessments
- Fauna monitoring programs
- Fauna relocation and welfare
- Small animal medicine and surgery
- Fauna health and rehabilitation

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- Bachelor of Science (Veterinary Biology), Murdoch University, W.A., 1979
- Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine and Surgery, Murdoch University, W.A., 1981
- Bachelor of Arts (Philosophy and History), Notre Dame University, W.A., 2010

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Veterinary Surgeon's Board of W.A., No. VO242

### **AWARDS**

- Dean's Prize for Ethics, Notre Dame University, Fremantle, 2008.
- Vice Chancellor's Award for Excellence, Notre Dame University, Fremantle, 2008.
- Second Prize in History Notre Dame University, Fremantle, 2009.
- First prize in Archaeology, Notre Dame University, Fremantle, 2009.
- First Prize in History, Notre Dame University, Fremantle, 2010.

### **PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

- Operate Ride-on Vehicles (Quad bikes) – RTE2308A (May 2011)
- White Card #465324
- RAC Defensive driving on gravel

## CAREER SUMMARY

2011 – current	Senior Zoologist and Veterinarian, Terrestrial Ecosystems and Veterinary locum tenens
2011	Field Scientist, Daly River Fish and Flows Project, Northern Territory
2011	Field Scientist, Rio Negro, Brazil fish survey
2010	Small animal veterinarian, Hilton Veterinary Clinic, Beaconsfield
2008 – 2010	Locum tenens veterinarian, Kalgoorlie Veterinary Hospital and Marmion Veterinary Centre
1999 – 2007	Practice principal and owner, Margaret River Veterinary Clinic
1998 – 2003	Owner-manager, Tenuiman Marron Farms, Metricup
1990	Field Scientist, Mulgrave River, Qld
1988	Practice principal and co-owner, Belmont Avenue Veterinary Hospital
1986 – 1988	Principal surgeon, St Francis Veterinary Clinic, Osborne Park
1986	Veterinary locum tenens, United Kingdom
1982 – 1986	Small animal physician and surgeon, St Francis Veterinary Clinic
1982	Locum tenens, Bridgetown Veterinary Clinic.

## RECENT FAUNA ASSESSMENTS

- Fauna relocation and management, Wheatstone project – Bechtel, Chevron
- Fauna relocation Florida Estate – Florida Partnership
- Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo and Major Mitchell's Cockatoo nesting and tree hollow assessment, Marda, King Brown, Golden Orb and Battler sites, Goldfields
- Northern Quoll and conservation significant bat survey, Pilbara
- Fish Community Structure, GRU 10, Land and Waters Australia, Griffith University
- Graceful Sun-moth survey – Stage 13 Florida Estate
- Graceful Sun-moth survey – Lot 100 Mandurah Road
- Level 1 fauna assessment – Marda – Southern Cross Goldfields
- Level 1 fauna assessment – Battler – Southern Cross Goldfields
- Level 1 fauna assessment – King Brown – Southern Cross Goldfields
- Rio Negro, Brazil Fishes Survey
- Level 2 fauna assessment – Roy Hill Infrastructure rail corridor
- Northern Quoll survey – Roy Hill Infrastructure rail corridor
- Terrestrial fauna relocation - Eglinton Estates
- Daly River Fish and Flows Project, Tropical Rivers and Coastal Knowledge (TRaCK), Charles Darwin University