

Joe De Luca

NAME	Joe De Luca
QUALIFICATIONS	Bachelor of Business, Graduate Diploma in Management. FCPA - Australian Society of Certified Practicing Accountants, Justice of the Peace NT.
GROUPS YOU BELONG TO	Settlement Council of Australia, National Ethnic and Multilingual Broadcasters Council, Federation of Ethnic Communities Council, Australasian Justice of the Peace Association, Community Media Training Organisation, Multilingual Broadcasting Council NT. Italian Club Darwin, Italian School NT, Italian Festival Association NT, Council of the Ageing NT.
COUNTRY OF BIRTH	Italy
OVERVIEW	<div data-bbox="189 577 450 797" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Joe is currently the Chief Executive Officer of the Multicultural Council of the NT Inc (MCNT). As a Certified Practicing Accountant (FCPA) Joe has worked in both the NT Government and Commonwealth Government in a range of senior management positions for over 36 years in the NT. Whilst with the NT Government, Joe worked in the internal and external audit areas as well as serving with the Office of the Auditor-General NT. With the Commonwealth Government Joe devoted some 18 years in Indigenous Affairs, including with the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission and subsequently with Indigenous Health helping to establish and monitor Aboriginal Community Controlled health services throughout the NT. Joe also spent about 4 years with program delivery of Indigenous Art, Broadcasting, Language, Culture and Sports programs. Joe is passionate about promoting, preserving and maintaining cultural identity, language and heritage, having been a community radio broadcaster and an in-house trainer for over 25 years. Joe is also a strong advocate for the Ethnic Community and promotes Territory issues on a national level at both the Federation of Ethnic Council of Australia (FECCA) and the National Ethnic Multicultural Broadcasters' Council (NEMBC). Joe is currently the Treasurer of the NEMBC, and the Registrar of the NT Justices' of the Peace Association. Joe is also on the Board of several community organisations as well as the Community Media Training Organisation, the Settlement Council of Australia, the Council of the Ageing and several Italian Community organisations. Joe has assisted a variety of migrant and refugee families either as a volunteer or in official roles whilst serving in ethnic organisations for some 40 years in the NT. More recently as the CEO of the MCNT, Joe has supervised a range of programs that include persons in detention as well as refugee and migrant families settling in Australia.</p>