

Youth Male Engagement Coordinator

Wandana Youth Connect Program | Al Salam Wandana Centre | Part-Time

POSITION OVERVIEW

ISSA is seeking a dedicated and community-minded Youth Male Engagement Coordinator to lead the Wandana Youth Connect program at the Al Salam Wandana Centre. This part-time role is central to strengthening the connection young Muslim men have with their faith, mosque and community. You will plan and deliver a weekly Friday youth program, build genuine mentoring relationships, and create a safe, welcoming space where young men can grow in confidence, character and belonging.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Plan, organise and deliver a weekly Friday youth engagement session at the Al Salam Wandana Centre.
- Design fun, meaningful and educational activities that build brotherhood, character and Islamic identity.
- Create a welcoming, safe and inclusive environment where participants feel respected and connected to the mosque.
- Recruit, support and coordinate male volunteers to assist with program delivery.
- Liaise with the Community Liaison Officer on program planning, budgeting and resourcing.
- Coordinate scheduling, logistics and venue requirements with mosque management and volunteers.
- Communicate regularly with participants, parents and volunteers about upcoming activities.
- Maintain attendance records and provide brief monthly reports on participation and outcomes.

ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA

- A practising Muslim male, aged between 25 to 40, with strong Islamic values, integrity and excellent character.
- A genuine passion for mentoring, guiding and engaging young Muslim men.
- Demonstrated ability to organise fun, meaningful and educational youth activities.
- Strong communication, leadership and organisational skills.
- Proven ability to build positive relationships with youth, parents, volunteers and the wider community.
- Reliable, proactive and professional, with the ability to work independently.
- Sound understanding of Islamic values and the ability to represent ISSA appropriately in a mosque setting.
- Current Working with Children Check (or willingness to obtain one before commencing).
- National Police Check (or willingness to obtain one).
- Current Australian driver's licence and access to reliable transport.

DESIRABLE CRITERIA

- Previous experience in youth work, mentoring, education or community program delivery.
- Familiarity with the South Australian Muslim community and local youth landscape.
- Current First Aid certificate (or willingness to obtain).
- Experience recruiting, training or supervising volunteers.
- Event or program coordination experience within a not-for-profit or faith-based organisation.

EMPLOYMENT DETAILS

- Part-time, paid position.
- Minimum 10 hours per week.
- Based at the Al Salam Wandana Centre.
- Weekly Friday youth program, plus flexible planning and coordination hours.

HOW TO APPLY

To apply, please email your resume and a brief cover letter outlining your suitability for the role to youth@islamicsocietyysa.org.au

Applications close **28 August 2027**. Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.

Appointment is subject to a satisfactory Working with Children Check and National Police Check.