Position	
Position Title:	Consultant- Science Outreach
Location:	Flexible
Reports to:	CEO, HRA

Position Purpose

The primary purpose of this role is liaison with relevant stakeholders to progress the uptake of humane, scientifically valid non-animal methods of research in science and teaching.

Primary Responsibilities

- Develop, maintain and strengthen relationships within the biomedical research industry
- Develop an outreach program for university students
- Present at relevant forums and conferences
- Coordinate events such as seminars, speaker tours and/or TED talks
- Distribute HRA resources and reports to relevant audiences
- Contribute to other projects, such as research, case studies and drafting of bulletins or briefings

Essential Expertise (knowledge, skills and attributes)

- A science degree is the minimal requirement (post-graduate qualification preferred)
- Minimum of 3 years biomedical research experience in Australia
- An in-depth understanding of the scientific arguments against animal experimentation
- An in-depth understanding of animal and non-animal research methods
- Articulate and well presented
- Self-motivated and able to take initiative and work independently
- Ability to engage with differing perspectives in a calm and considered manner

Desirable Expertise and Previous Experience

- Established contacts in the research community
- Knowledge of the legislative framework regulating animal experimentation in Australia
- Facilitation or training experience
- Event management experience
- Author of peer-reviewed published papers

Salary and conditions

- This is a part-time position based on 3 days per week
- Salary to be negotiated
- This is a 6-month contract with the possibility of extension (July to December 2021)
- This is a remote working consultancy role
- Location is flexible within Australia although there will be a requirement to travel to Melbourne occasionally where the HRA team is based
- There will be a requirement to travel within Australia for meetings and events