

RESEARCH STATEMENT

Original Creative Work

Citation: Dujon Nuie *Ngai Bubu Ya* 2006 Television Series *Remote Area Nurse* (Penny Chapman) Soundtrack (Karl Neuenfeldt: Song Co-Producer and Instrumentalist)

1. Research Background

- Field – Indigenous Music
- Context – Torres Strait Islander Music
- Research Question – Can Torres Strait Islander music be used in diverse media contexts?

2. Research Contribution

- Innovation – The television series uses this Torres Strait Islander song in episodes about life in the Outer Islands of Torres Strait.
- New Knowledge – Australian Indigenous music can be used effectively in diverse contexts.

3. Research Significance

- Evidence of Excellence – The television movie was broadcast twice in Australia. A sampler CD of music from *Remote Area Nurse* was distributed nationally by *The Weekend Australian* newspaper, 4 January 2006 and it included this song.

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