

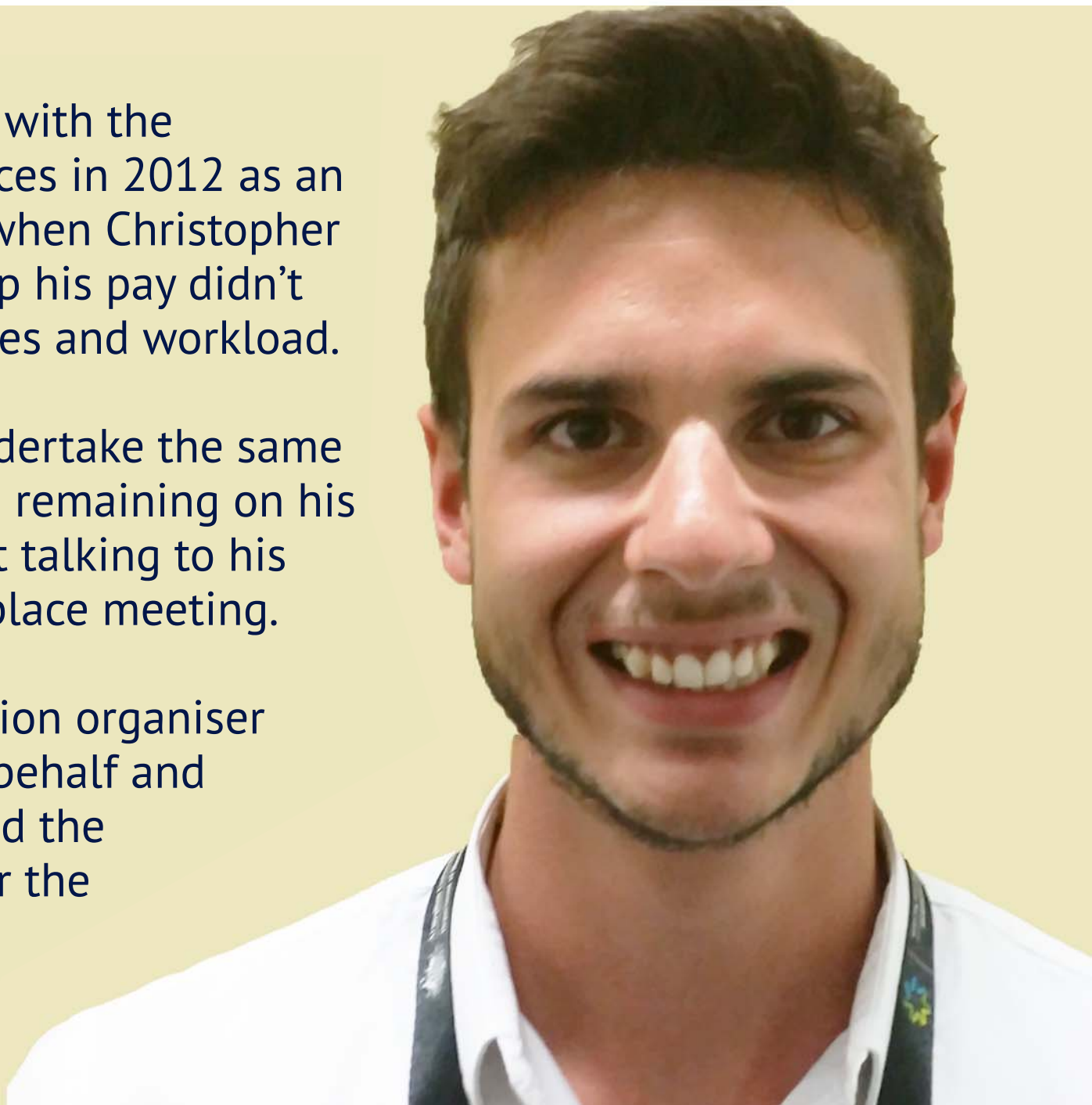
“I wasn’t getting paid properly and the CPSU stepped in and fixed it.”

CHRISTOPHER’S STORY

Christopher started working with the Department of Human Services in 2012 as an Indigenous Apprentice. But when Christopher completed his apprenticeship his pay didn’t reflect his new responsibilities and workload.

Christopher continued to undertake the same work as his colleagues while remaining on his apprentice wage until he got talking to his union delegate after a workplace meeting.

The CPSU delegate and a union organiser intervened on Christopher’s behalf and Christopher is now being paid the correct pay, was back paid for the time he wasn’t and has received his correct leave entitlements.



The CPSU does more than campaign for wage rises, improved working conditions and decent jobs - the CPSU also represents individuals in their workplace.



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