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NEWS & INFORMATION

ARC Federation Fellowship Scheme Replaced	Internal Due Date
<p>The DIISR Minister, Kim Carr, has announced that a new Australian Laureate Fellowship scheme will replace the ARC Federation Fellowship scheme.</p> <p>Further initial details from the ARC website: http://www.arc.gov.au/ncgp/laureate/laureate_overview.htm suggest that the scheme will provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * a <u>salary loading</u> of ~\$100k + on-costs per annum to a University-provided Level E salary * Project funding of up to \$300k per annum * plus additional funding for up to two post-docs + two postgrads <p>Further details will be circulated as soon as they become available.</p>	<p>N/A</p>

International Grant Opportunities Information Sessions	Dates Held
<p>This is a great opportunity to learn more about International grant opportunities, how to access them and some hints on how to make it easier. Speakers from faculties will present their experiences in obtaining funding from international sponsors and information about international sponsors will also be provided by Research Branch.</p> <p>Faculty sessions:</p> <p>Faculties of the Humanities and Social Sciences and the Professions (combined session): Date & time: Monday 15 September 2008 - 12.30 to 2.00pm Please click on the Information Flyer for further details.</p> <p>Faculty of Health Sciences: Date & time: Tuesday 16 September 2008 – 3.00 to 4.00pm Please click on the Information Flyer for further details.</p> <p>Faculty of Engineering, Computer and Mathematical Sciences: Date & time: Thursday 18 September 2008 – 12.00 to 1.00pm Please click on the Information Flyer for further details.</p> <p>Faculty of Sciences: Date & time: Friday 19 September 2008 – 12.30 to 2.00pm Please click on the Information Flyer for further details.</p> <p>For further details about venue and guest speakers please click here for flyers or contact Dr Don McMaster on X33347 (don.mcmaster@adelaide.edu.au)</p>	<p>See Body</p>

National Heart Foundation Funding - Information Session	Date Held
<p>Heart Foundation research funding information session</p> <p>Come and find out about how you can obtain funding for your research from the Heart Foundation.</p> <p>The following are the details about the information session: Date: 15 October 2008 Time: 12:30 p.m Venue: Council Room (Level 7 Wills Building), Adelaide University</p>	<p>15 October 2008</p>

<p>For more information please click on the Information Brochure.</p> <p>Please click on the following link for the north terrace campus map: http://www.adelaide.edu.au/campuses/pdf/nt_2004.pdf</p>	
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Cooperative Research Centres (CRCs) - UA Expression of Interest	Internal Deadline
<p>The CRC Program has recently been reviewed with a report provided to the Minister. A copy of the report can be downloaded from:</p> <p>http://www.innovation.gov.au/innovationreview/Documents/CRCReviewReport.pdf</p> <p>Whilst final details for the next round of CRC submissions are not yet available, it is currently believed that the guidelines may be released later this year (2008) with Stage 1 submissions due in early 2009.</p> <p>In anticipation of the above timelines, an internal Expression of Interest (EoI) to participate in a new or renewal/supplementary CRC bid for consideration by the DVCR is to be completed and submitted to Research Branch by *Friday 24 October 2008*.</p> <p>The EoI must be endorsed by the relevant Head(s) of School and Executive Dean(s). The EoI and further information can be found at: http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/CRCs/</p> <p>Please direct any queries to don.mcmaster@adelaide.edu.au (#33347).</p>	<p>24 October 2008</p>

NHMRC New Partnership Scheme	Internal Deadline
<p>Organisations and researchers now have access to over \$100m for research to improve health programs.</p> <p>Health providers and researchers will be able to form partnerships to apply for a grant from the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) for any research project that has the potential to improve the health of Australians.</p>	<p>8 December 2008</p>

<p>Please note that the internal deadline is December 8, 2008. Please click on media release for the article.</p> <p>Research Branch NHMRC section: http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/nhmrc/ Relevant Research Branch contact - Health</p>	
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GRANTS - NATIONAL

GRDC Investment Plan 2009-10 Tenders	Internal Deadline
<p>The GRDC has released their Investment Plan 2009-10 (Open and Multi-stage Tenders).</p> <p>The purpose of the GRDC Investment Plan 2009-10 (Open and Multi-stage Tenders) is to inform potential research partners about some of the Corporation's new investment priorities for 2009-10. This document includes only those priorities with open tender and multi-stage tendering procurement methods. Other open tenders and multi-stage tenders may be advertised throughout the year.</p> <p>For more information and materials for download are available on their website (link).</p>	<p>23 September 2008</p>

The George Alexander Foundation Grants	Internal Deadline
<p>The George Alexander Foundation supports activities in Education and Environment & Conservation.</p> <p>Full details including grant conditions, how to apply and forms to download are available on their website: http://www.gafoundation.org.au/index.html</p>	<p>29 September 2008</p>

GWRDC funding for 2009–2010	Internal Deadline
<p>Applications for GWRDC funding for 2009–2010 are now OPEN</p> <p>The GWRDC will prioritise available research and extension resources toward proposals that will help the wine industry to</p>	<p>10 October 2008</p>

<p>adapt to changing environmental and industry conditions. Accordingly, applications addressing these objectives within all GWRDC research programs will be of high priority</p> <p>Please see the Information Flyer regarding this opportunity.</p> <p>For further information and application forms, please visit their website: http://www.gwrdc.com.au/</p>	
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Lirabenda Endowment Fund Research Grants	Internal Deadline
<p>The Lirabenda Endowment Fund was established by the Field Naturalists Society of South Australia Inc.(FNSSA) in August, 2005.</p> <p>One of the aims of the Fund is to encourage and promote research into the biota and natural environment of South Australia and it is offering research grants to further this aim.</p> <p>Applications are encouraged from research institutions for supervised project funding at the Honours Degree, Masters Degree and PhD levels and for projects conducted by researchers at South Australian Research Institutes.</p> <p>Further information, guidelines and application are available on their website: http://www.environment.sa.gov.au/parks/involved/field_naturalists.html</p>	<p>9 December 2008</p>

FELLOWSHIP

Cancer Council SA - W Bruce Hall Research Fellowship	Internal Deadline
<p>Cancer Council SA is the state's leading non-government cancer control organisation, dedicated to ensuring that South Australians are reducing their cancer risk and receiving the best cancer care.</p> <p>Applicants for the W Bruce Hall Research Fellow and invited. The successful applicant will be post doctoral, involved in cancer control research, have published in the scientific literature and be able to demonstrate support from the South Australian institution where the proposed research is to take place.</p>	<p>7 November 2008</p>

<p>Further Information including grant payment, selection criteria and instructions for applicants available on their website: http://www.cancersa.org.au/asp/W_Bruce_Hall_Cancer_Research_Fellowship.aspx</p>	
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Cancer Council SA - Research Fellowships	Internal Deadline
<p>CCSA Research Fellowships are for three years depending on annual reports of satisfactory progress and are awarded on a competitive basis, to scientists / practitioners working in SA. The merit of the research project, the researcher's track record and evidence of support from the relevant host institution form part of the selection criteria.</p> <p>Applications for a Research Fellowship are invited from researchers involved in any aspect of cancer control, however Cancer Council SA has identified the following priority areas of research: cancer prevention and early detection, supportive care, epidemiology and community education. Applications in these areas are particularly encouraged.</p> <p>For more information and application instructions regarding this opportunity, please visit their website: http://www.cancersa.org.au/asp/Research_Fellowships.aspx</p>	<p>7 November 2008</p>

2009 National Institute of Clinical Studies (NICS) Fellowships - Applications Open	Internal Deadline
<p>NICS is calling for applications from early-to-mid-career health professionals, committed to improving health care and developing a leadership role in the uptake of evidence into clinical practice.</p> <p>The two year, half-time Fellowships are co-sponsored by some of Australia's leading health organisations. Mentoring, training and practical support allows Fellows to address an important evidence-practice gap in their area of expertise.</p> <p>For detailed information regarding this opportunity including application forms, please visit their website: http://www.nhmrc.gov.au/nics/asp/index.asp?page=programs/programs_article&cid=5263&gid=237&id=739#Closing</p>	<p>20 October 2008</p>

Hereditary Disease Foundation - John J. Wasmuth Postdoctoral Fellowships Letters of Intent	Internal Deadline
<p>The Hereditary Disease Foundation offers support for research projects that will contribute to identifying and understanding the basic defect of Huntington's disease. Areas of interest include trinucleotide expansions, animal models, gene therapy, neurobiology and development of the basal ganglia, cell survival and death, and intercellular signalling in striatal neurons.</p> <p>Fellowship stipends range from US\$40,500 - US\$56,000. The sponsor will not provide funding to meet the University's indirect costs (overheads). The application's budget should not include requests for this purpose.</p> <p>Please see the website for full details and application guidelines: http://www.hdfoundation.org/funding/grants.php</p>	<p>8 October 2008</p>

National Breast Cancer Foundation (NBCF) Early Career Fellowship - Call for Applications	Internal Deadline
<p>The National Breast Cancer Foundation (NBCF) is pleased to announce the new NBCF Early Career Fellowship award for experienced researchers, 3-8 years postdoctoral, to begin in 2009.</p> <p>The NBCF Early Career Fellowship award aims to attract and retain leading researchers. This award will enable individuals across all research disciplines, with a doctorate degree or equivalent, with at least 3 but no more than 8 years of research or professional experience, and can demonstrate substantial ability and potential as a future breast cancer research leader, are encouraged to apply.</p> <p>Applicants will be expected to demonstrate their potential to develop high performing teams that will produce high quality research outcomes. The NBCF Early Career Fellowship is an award to support the salary and research of outstanding researchers with a vision to expand the scale and scope of breast cancer research. The maximum funding available for each Early Career Fellowship is up to \$200 000 per annum over four years</p> <p>For detailed information, guidelines and application form, please visit their website: http://www.nbcf.org.au/page.asp?subcategory_id=38&page_id=340&category_id=3.</p>	<p>22 September 2008</p>

GRANT - INTERNATIONAL

Metanexus Global Network Initiative (MGNI) Catalyst Grants Program - Request for Proposals	Internal Deadline
<p>The Metanexus Institute announces grants in support of transdisciplinary exploration of fundamental questions of life, the cosmos, and humanity. Metanexus invites proposals from networked teams of five or more investigators who:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Intend to examine questions that range beyond those normally studied within established academic disciplines; 2. Span an adventurous diversity of such disciplines; 3. May engage religious and spiritual points of view; 4. Seek to forge new and enduring links among different fields of study; and 5. Aspire to have a transformational impact upon human knowledge and education. <p>Eligibility:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Interdisciplinary group or give or more university-affiliated scholars with a demonstrated well-balanced diversity of disciplinary expertise in areas of scientific, philosophical and religious concerns. 2. An eagerness to transcend disciplinary boundaries. 3. Group chair holds PhD or equivalent 4. Expectation of regular group meetings 5. Pursuit of collaborative opportunities 6. Program novelty <p>Please see the website for full details and application guidelines:</p>	<p>8 February 2009</p>

Hereditary Disease Foundation - Research Grants	Internal Deadline
<p>The focus of the Hereditary Disease Foundation is on Huntington's disease. Support will be for research projects that will contribute to identifying and understanding the basic defect in Huntington's disease. Areas of interest include trinucleotide expansions, animal models, gene therapy, neurobiology and development of the basal ganglia, cell survival and death, and intercellular signalling in striatal neurons.</p> <p>The maximum award for research grants is \$50,000. Grants are usually for one year with a possibility of renewal. Grants are considered seed money.</p> <p>Please see the website for full details and application guidelines:</p>	<p>8 October 2008</p>

Roche Organ Transplantation Research Foundation - Grant Award Letters of Intent	Internal Deadline
<p>The ROTRF supports important and innovative research projects relevant to solid organ transplantation, particularly where there is an unmet medical need.</p> <p>Priority is to support research which uses either human organ transplant material and/or experimental models which simulate pathological states and mechanisms operating in human organ transplantation. To be considered for a grant award, applications should have demonstrable applicability to human organ transplantation.</p> <p>The ROTRF provides funding for established faculty members of academic staff at universities, transplant centres and research institutes. The maximum amount awarded per grant is 300,000 Swiss Francs distributed over 3 years. Budgets must be submitted in Swiss Francs.</p> <p>Please see the website for full details and application guidelines: http://www.rotrf.org/grantprogramme/rotrf/index.html</p>	<p>24 September 2008</p>

Joint Roche Organ Transplantation Research Foundation (ROTRF) / Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International (JDRF) Initiative Funding - Letters of Intent	Internal Deadline
<p>The Joint ROTRF/JDRF Initiative to support projects in immunology and biology research relevant to pancreatic islet transplantation, and transplantation solutions for human type 1 diabetes. Investigators working in the fields of immunology and cell biology, gene therapy, cellular engineering, stem cell research (e.g. generation of islet/beta cell source from stem cells or other cell sources, novel interventions leading to immune tolerance) and other approaches that are relevant to both type 1 diabetes and transplantation, are strongly encouraged to apply.</p> <p>Established faculty members of academic staff at universities, transplant and diabetes centres, and research institutes are eligible for this Joint ROTRF/JDRF Initiative. The maximum amount awarded per grant is 300,000 Swiss Francs distributed over 3 years. Budgets must be submitted in Swiss Francs.</p> <p>Please see the website for full details and application guidelines: http://www.rotrf.org/grantprogramme/rotrfjdrf/index.html</p>	<p>24 September 2008</p>

The Oxalosis and Hyperoxaluria Foundation (OHF) - Research Grants	Internal Deadline
<p>The Research Grant program assists investigators, new or established, who have research projects for which they need support. While the OHF primarily seeks to fund grants which will increase the understanding of Primary Hyperoxaluria and oxalosis and improve the clinical management and treatment of the genetic diseases, applications focused on hyperoxaluria and oxalosis associated with other conditions and diseases will also be considered.</p> <p>Requests may not exceed \$US160,000. This grant scheme places a limit on the amount of funding that may be sought to cover the University's indirect cost recovery for overheads. You need to include a request for 10% (excluding equipment) in your budget.</p> <p>Please see the website for full details and application guidelines: http://www.ohf.org/grants.html</p>	<p>8 October 2008</p>

UNESCO MAB Young Scientists Awards	Internal Deadline
<p>The MAB Young Scientists Awards targets young researchers carrying-out interdisciplinary research in line with UNESCO's Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme. Priority is given to projects carried-out in biosphere reserves, on the theme of ecosystems and water.</p> <p>Objectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to assist exchange of information and experience among a new generation of scientists. • to encourage young scientists, in particular those from developing countries, to use UNESCO Man and the Biosphere research, project sites and biosphere reserves in their research. • to encourage young scientists to undertake comparative studies with other sites, in or outside their country. <p>Detailed information regarding this opportunity including application forms are available on their website: http://www.unesco.org/mab/bursaries/mys.shtml</p>	<p>23 September 2008</p>

Building Links with US Universities - The Fulbright Senior Specialist Program	Internal Deadline
<p>The U.S. Senior Specialist Scholarships support Australian educational institutions to bring U.S. Senior Specialists to Australia for two to six week periods.</p> <p>The aim of the Fulbright U.S. Senior Specialist program is to support Australian educational institutions to exchange expertise and build collaboration linkages with United States faculty and professionals on curriculum and faculty development, institutional planning and a variety of other activities. For example, the recipient may:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Take part in specialised academic programs and conferences 2. Consult with administrators and instructors of post-secondary institutions on faculty development 3. Present lectures at graduate and undergraduate levels 4. Participate in or lead seminars or workshops 5. Develop and/or assess academic curricula or educational materials 6. Conduct needs assessments, surveys, institutional or programmatic research <p>Detailed information about this opportunity including application forms are available on their website which can be accessed by clicking here (link).</p>	<p>3 October 2008</p>

GRANT - TRAVEL

The Australian Society for Medical Research - Research Awards	Internal Deadline
<p>The Australian Society for Medical Research (ASMR) is the peak professional society representing Australian health and medical research.</p> <p>ASMR offers two Research Awards annually. These awards support a postgraduate student member of the ASMR nearing completion of their studies or a recently graduated postdoctoral member to undertake a short period of research in a laboratory outside of Australia (\$5,000) or in a distal laboratory (\$2,000) within Australia.</p> <p>For application forms and further information please visit their website: http://www.asmr.org.au/Researchfund.html</p>	<p>23 September 2008</p>

PRIZE

State Library of NSW - Blake Dawson Prize for Business Literature	External Deadline
<p>The annual Blake Dawson Prize for Business Literature was established to encourage the highest standards of commentary in the fields of business and finance. As such, the Prize is calculated to enable the general reader to be better informed about Australia's commercial life and participants in that life. The range of subjects covered by the Prize includes Australian corporate and commercial literature, histories, accounts and analyses of corporate affairs as well as biographies of business men and women.</p> <p>For further information, conditions of entry and application form are available on their website: http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/about/awards/dawson.html</p>	<p>26 September 2008 (Ext)</p>

CONFERENCE

2008 Vario Health Conference Physical and Mental Wellness: Integrative approaches to Health	Dates Held
<p>Physical and Mental Wellness - Integrative Approaches to Health 1st and 2nd December 2008, Perth, Western Australia.</p> <p>For additional information regarding this conference and information flyer, please visit their website: http://www.varioinstitute.com/conference/2008/</p>	<p>1-2 December 2008</p>

OTHER REMINDERS

Foundation for High Blood Pressure - 2009 Postdoctoral Research Fellowship	Internal Deadline
<p>The Foundation is offering a two-year postdoctoral fellowship for a research project in hypertension or related fields in basic, clinical or public health areas at an Australian institution.</p> <p>In 2009 the amount paid to the employing institution will be \$105,000. This amount is based on a salary of around \$70,000 per annum, 34.5% on-costs and a further \$10,000 for research support. The actual salary level to be paid will depend on the scale used at the employing institution.</p>	<p>12 September 2008</p>

<p>Applications are open to Australian citizens or permanent residents. Applicants must have had not less than five years and nor more than ten years post-PhD research experience (excluding time out for, for example, family reasons).</p>	
<p>For more information and application procedure please visit: http://www.hbprca.com.au/hbp-foundation</p>	

<p>Australian Geographic Society Sponsorship Grants</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>Each year, a portion of the Australian Geographic journal's profits are dedicated to the Australian Geographic Society, which is committed to supporting scientific research, protecting and fostering a love for our environment and natural heritage, encouraging the spirit of discovery and adventure and spreading knowledge of Australia to Australians and the world.</p> <p>The Society's Sponsorship Committee meets four times a year: January, April, July and October. Typically, sponsorships range from between \$1000 and \$5000, though sometimes more. Please include a budget breakdown when submitting your application.</p> <p>Please visit their website for further information and an application form: http://editorial.australiangeographic.com.au/society/index_society.aspx</p> <p>Please click here for relevant Research Branch contacts.</p>	<p>16 September 2008</p>

<p>Susan G. Komen for the Cure - Promise Grants (PG)</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>Susan G. Komen for the Cure is excited to announce the release of Promise Grants for the 2008-2009 Research Program. The Request for Applications (RFA) is now available at www.komen.org/grants or www.komengrantsaccess.org.</p> <p>Promise Grants – Promise Grants provide up to \$1.5M annually over five years to support programs with collaborative and cross-disciplinary research projects that provide integrated approaches to solving critical challenges to the rapid translation of scientific discoveries into new or enhanced clinical tools and applications that have the greatest potential to significantly reduce breast cancer incidence and/or mortality within the next decade. Integrated programs of research projects addressing critical challenges in population disparities in breast cancer</p>	<p>See Body</p>

outcomes and triple negative breast cancer are of special interest and may receive funding priority. Pre-applications are required prior to starting a full application.

Pre-Application Due – September 18, 2008 (Internal).

Full Application Due – November 27, 2008 (Internal).

Information about Komen’s Research Program and details about funding opportunities are available from Susan G. Komen for the Cure at: <http://www.komen.org/grants>.

Applications are submitted online. Please forward a copy of the application along with a completed Grants Application Coversheet to Don McMaster:

don.mcmaster@adelaide.edu.au

Department of Innovation Industry, Science and Research - Australia-India Strategic Research Fund (Round 3)	Internal Deadline
<p>The Australia-India Strategic Research Fund (AISRF) facilitates and supports science and technology research cooperation between Australia and India. The AISRF assists Australian researchers to increase their participation in leading edge scientific research with Indian counterparts, raises the profile of Australian research, and supports the development of strategic alliances between Australian and Indian researchers.</p> <p>Competitive funding support is available for collaborative projects and workshops covering a range of mutually agreed priority areas. Priority areas for the Indo-Australian Science and Technology Fund are: agricultural research; environment sciences; astronomy and astrophysics; microelectronic devices and materials; nanotechnology; renewable energy; marine science; and earth systems science.</p> <p>Further information, guidelines and application procedure are available on their website at: https://grants.innovation.gov.au/AISRF/Pages/STFund.aspx</p>	<p>19 September 2008</p>

Department of Innovation Industry, Science and Research - Indo-Australian Biotechnology Fund (Round 3)	Internal Deadline
<p>The Australia-India Strategic Research Fund (AISRF) facilitates and supports science and technology research cooperation between Australia and India. The AISRF assists Australian researchers to</p>	<p>19 September 2008</p>

<p>increase their participation in leading edge scientific research with Indian counterparts, raises the profile of Australian research, and supports the development of strategic alliances between Australian and Indian researchers.</p> <p>Competitive funding support is available for collaborative projects and workshops covering a range of mutually agreed priority areas. Under the Indo-Australian Biotechnology Fund, these areas are: vaccines and medical diagnostics; biomedical devices and implants; nutraceuticals and functional foods; transgenic crops; stem cells; and bioremediation.</p> <p>Further information, guidelines and application procedure are available on their website at: https://grants.innovation.gov.au/AISRF/Pages/BiotechnologyFund.aspx</p>	
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Australian Academy of the Humanities- Special Joint Project Funding: Australia and Britain - Travel Grant	Internal Deadline
<p>The Australian Academy of the Humanities, the Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia, and the British Academy will provide support of joint projects between Australian and British scholars.</p> <p>Funding is generally provided to cover travel and maintenance costs. Projects are expected to be of one year's duration, with a possible extension of one year on reapplication. Reapplication for a further year is permissible however applicants must provide evidence of clear development of the project and understand that they are in competition with new applications. Funding is not intended to cover major research expenses.</p> <p>One award of up to 8,000 pounds for a project which covers both humanities and social sciences disciplines or two awards of up to 4,000 pounds per project will be available each year to cover travel and maintenance expenses. The award will be for one year with possible extension upon re-application.</p> <p>Further information regarding application is available at: http://www.humanities.org.au/Grants/International/Britain/Britain.htm</p> <p>Relevant Research Branch contact - Don McMaster (#33347) don.mcmaster@adelaide.edu.au</p>	<p>19 September 2008</p>

Grape and Wine Research Development Corporation (GWRDC) Regional Development Initiatives	Internal Deadline
<p>The Regional Development Initiative has been developed by the</p>	<p>19 September</p>

<p>GWRDC to ensure that provision is made within the GWRDC’s research portfolio for the support of regionally important and adoptable research. It is anticipated that the program will address regionally specific R&D issues that fall outside the ‘national’ focus of typical GWRDC investments. It aims to further R&D which is deemed to be essential to improving the efficiency and quality of winegrape and wine production in a particular region.</p> <p>Projects will;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide research outcomes addressing regionally specific R&D issues; • Facilitate the adoption of regionally specific research outcomes; • Facilitate the cooperation between regional organisations and R&D providers in addressing regional R&D needs; and • Support the development of regional leadership, vision and skills in identifying and promoting R&D outcomes that are important for a region. <p>Projects should have clear, demonstrable regionally specific benefits and a high likelihood that the results will be adopted. Projects can attract a maximum investment of \$50,000 per project per annum with a 3 year maximum life, available to address specific regional issues on a competitive basis.</p> <p>Please visit their website for further details and application forms: http://www.gwrdc.com.au/applyingforfunding.asp</p> <p>Please click here for relevant Research Branch contacts.</p>	<p>2008</p>
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<p>Australian Pork - Travel Awards</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>Travel funds are limited and thus APL is unlikely to provide support for simply presenting a paper at a conference. APL expects those travelling to critically review papers presented and provide a report to APL that includes recommendations for industry.</p> <p>Please visit their website below for an application form or click here (link). Website: http://www.australianpork.com.au/pages/page41.asp</p>	<p>24 September 2008</p>