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**NEW**

**NEWS & INFORMATION**

<b>Important information regarding submission deadlines for applications to the Animal Ethics Committee</b>	<b>Internal Due Date</b>
<p>Submission deadlines for applications to the Animal Ethics Committee.</p> <p>Attention is drawn to the two remaining submission deadlines for animal ethics applications. Two further "rounds" only are to take place this year - closing on Friday's 26 September and 7 November for Sciences and 3 October and 14 November for Health/Medical. Please refer to the AEC website:  <a href="http://www.adelaide.edu.au/ethics/animal/deadlines/">http://www.adelaide.edu.au/ethics/animal/deadlines/</a></p>	N/A

<b>***Attention all Researchers***</b>	<b>Internal Due Date</b>
<p>All new grant applications must be submitted using the revised Application Coversheet and the Award Acceptance Form. The revised forms can be located here:  <a href="http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/reporting/">http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/reporting/</a></p>	N/A

<b>ARC Federation Fellowship Scheme Replaced</b>	<b>Internal Due Date</b>
<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 details from the ARC website:  <a href="http://www.arc.gov.au/ncgp/laureate/laureate_overview.htm">http://www.arc.gov.au/ncgp/laureate/laureate_overview.htm</a>                      suggest that the scheme will provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A salary loading of ~\$100k + on-costs per annum to a University-provided Level E salary</li> <li>2. Project funding of up to \$300k per annum</li> <li>3. Plus, additional funding for up to two post-docs + two postgrads</li> </ol> <p>Further details will be circulated as soon as they become available.</p>	<p><b>N/A</b></p>

<b>National Heart Foundation Funding - Information Session</b>	<b>Date Held</b>
<p><b>Heart Foundation research funding information session</b></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:  <b>Date:</b> 15 October 2008  <b>Time:</b> 12:30 p.m  <b>Venue:</b> Council Room (Level 7 Wills Building), Adelaide University</p> <p>For more information please click on the <a href="#">Information Brochure</a>.</p>	<p><b>15 October 2008</b></p>

<b>Cooperative Research Centres (CRCs) - UA Expression of Interest</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<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><a href="http://www.innovation.gov.au/innovationreview/Documents/CRCReviewReport.pdf">http://www.innovation.gov.au/innovationreview/Documents/CRCReviewReport.pdf</a></p> <p>Whilst final details for the next round of CRC submissions</p>	<p><b>24 October 2008</b></p>

<p>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 <b>*Friday 24 October 2008*</b>.</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:  <a href="http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/CRCs/">http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/CRCs/</a></p> <p>Please direct any queries to <a href="mailto:don.mcmaster@adelaide.edu.au">don.mcmaster@adelaide.edu.au</a> (#33347).</p>	
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<b>NHMRC New Partnership Scheme</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<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><b>Please note that the internal deadline is December 8, 2008.</b>                      Please click on <a href="#">media release</a> for the article.</p> <p>Research Branch NHMRC section:  <a href="http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/nhmrc/">http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/nhmrc/</a>                      Relevant Research Branch contact - <a href="#">Health</a></p>	<b>8 December 2008</b>

## GRANTS - NATIONAL

<b>Australian Lung Foundation - Slater and Gordon Asbestos Research Grant-in-Aid</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>This award is designed to assist a member of the TSANZ to further advance curative, palliative or preventative treatment options for those burdened with asbestos related diseases.</p> <p>Value of the award is \$30,000 for one year. It may be used to support technical staff and/or equipment, and/or consumables - involved in establishing or supporting a respiratory research</p>	<b>24 October 2008</b>

<p>project and/or contribute towards the applicant's salary.</p> <p>Applicants must be a financial member/associate member of the Thoracic Society of Australia &amp; New Zealand.</p> <p>For full details and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.lungnet.com.au/content/view/51/57/">http://www.lungnet.com.au/content/view/51/57/</a></p>	
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<b>The Bonnie Babes Foundation Inc. - Invitation for Grant Application</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>The Bonnie Babes Foundation Inc. was established to provide grief counselling for families who have experienced the loss of a baby through miscarriage, stillbirth or prematurity and to assist with vital medical research into the reasons more than 50,000 babies die in Australia each year.</p> <p>The Bonnie Babes Foundation is now accepting applications for 2008 Medical Grants. The Bonnie Babes Foundation will not fund conference travel or building funds. Grant applications will be accepted from Australian bodies only. Grant applications are usually provided in the range of \$2,000 to \$20,000. Applications in excess of this amount may be considered, as may partial funding of projects.</p> <p>For further information and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.bbf.org.au/MedicalResearch/tabid/55/Default.aspx">http://www.bbf.org.au/MedicalResearch/tabid/55/Default.aspx</a></p>	<b>27 October 2008</b>

<b>The Foundation for Children - Grants (Expression of Interest)</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>The Foundation for Children is a company whose purpose is the promotion of the health and welfare of children of Australia.</p> <p>As the full application requires detailed information that would be reasonably time consuming to collate and prepare, the Foundation introduced an <b>Expressions of Interest (EoI)</b> process whereby the participants can submit a two page summary.</p> <p>For further details, guidelines and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.foundationforchildren.com.au/scripts/runisa.dll?FFC.1114988:LANDING:1776855471:pc=L4">http://www.foundationforchildren.com.au/scripts/runisa.dll?FFC.1114988:LANDING:1776855471:pc=L4</a></p>	<b>24 October 2008</b>

<b>The Australian Psychological Society (APS) - Mental Health Postgraduate Scholarship Scheme (MHPSS)</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>The Australian Psychological Society (APS) is administering scholarships funded by the Department of Health and Ageing for part-time and full-time students undertaking an APAC-accredited Masters or Professional Doctorate in Clinical Psychology in 2009.</p> <p>To be eligible, applicants must meet one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• be from rural, regional or remote localities, be an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, have a culturally and linguistically diverse background,</li> <li>• have a demonstrated commitment to working in these locations or with one or more of these populations.</li> </ul> <p>For further information and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.psychology.org.au/academic/science/#postgrad">http://www.psychology.org.au/academic/science/#postgrad</a></p>	<p><b>24 October 2008</b></p>

<b>Foundation for Young Australians - Indigenous Small Grants</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>Indigenous Small Grants provides an opportunity for Indigenous organisations and organisations that work with young Indigenous people and communities to support new initiatives or expand existing successful initiatives.</p> <p>The initiative must enhance youth participation or create opportunities for the development of young people aged 12-25 years.</p> <p>Full details, guidelines and application forms are available on their website:  <a href="http://www.youngaustralians.org/fundingopp/list.shtml?folder=Indigenous%20Small%20Grants">http://www.youngaustralians.org/fundingopp/list.shtml?folder=Indigenous%20Small%20Grants</a></p>	<p><b>7 October 2008</b></p>

<b>The National Library of Australia (NAL) - Summer Scholarships</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>

<p>The National Library of Australia offers annual summer scholarships to tertiary students. These scholarships are made possible through the generosity of the family of the late Norman McCann (a former National Library Council Member), and of John and Heather Seymour.</p> <p>The summer scholarships were established to support younger scholars undertaking any research which can be supported by the Library's collections. Preference for Norman McCann Scholarships will be given to those working in the disciplines of history, literature, librarianship, archives administration or museum studies. Preference for Seymour Scholarships will be for those undertaking biographical research.</p> <p>More information and an application form is available on their website:  <a href="http://www.nla.gov.au/grants/summerscholars/">http://www.nla.gov.au/grants/summerscholars/</a></p>	<p><b>3 October 2008</b></p>
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<p><b>The National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER) - Youth Transitions Research Grants (Request for Proposals)</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>NCVER, on behalf of the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations, invites interested researchers to submit proposals under the LSAY Analysis Grants Program for funding in an open category.</p> <p>This open category offers researchers the opportunity to put forward proposals for research that will draw primarily on LSAY data, using its longitudinal nature, to inform policy on youth transitions. For information about LSAY, including technical papers, go to <a href="http://www.lsay.edu.au">http://www.lsay.edu.au</a></p> <p>Please visit their website for further information and application procedure:  <a href="http://www.ncver.edu.au/newsevents/tenders.html">http://www.ncver.edu.au/newsevents/tenders.html</a></p>	<p><b>1 October 2008</b></p>

<p><b>Sir Mark Mitchell Foundation Grants</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>The object of the Foundation is to assist in the promotion of research in Natural History, centred in the state of South Australia.</p> <p>The disciplines of Natural History to which the Foundation will give highest priority are (not in order of merit):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Zoology and all its branches</li> </ol>	<p><b>24 October 2008</b></p>

<p>2. Earth Sciences 3. Anthropology 4. Archaeology</p>	
<p>For more information and application procedure please see their <a href="#">Information Document</a>.</p>	

## GRANT - INTERNATIONAL

<b>The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) - Grants (multiple) and Fellowship</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) is the leading not-for-profit organization exclusively dedicated to understanding and preventing suicide through research and education, and to reaching out to people with mood disorders and those impacted by suicide.</p> <p>The AFSP Scientific Council is seeking to make the Foundation's research grant program more responsive to time-sensitive topics with high relevance for suicide research, lessen the waiting time required for applicants to resubmit promising applications, and streamline the administrative processes related to grants review.</p> <p>For more information about grants and fellowship categories, guidelines and application forms, please visit their website: <a href="http://www.afsp.org/index.cfm?page_id=0535FDA2-FA7D-AAE8-D7A9A6BCFFE3574B">http://www.afsp.org/index.cfm?page_id=0535FDA2-FA7D-AAE8-D7A9A6BCFFE3574B</a></p>	<p><b>24 November 2008</b></p>

<b>Universities Federation for Animal Welfare - Research and Project Awards</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>Through its Research awards, UFAW aims to encourage high quality research that is likely to lead to substantial improvements in animal welfare. UFAW seeks to promote both fundamental research aimed at providing new insight into the subjective mental experiences of animals relevant to their welfare and at understanding their needs and preferences, and also to promote applied research aimed at developing practical solutions to animal welfare problems. UFAW is concerned with the welfare of farm, companion, laboratory, and captive wild animals and with free-living wild animals whose welfare is compromised by humans.</p>	<p><b>Ongoing</b></p>

<p>For more information regarding this opportunity and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.ufaw.org.uk/ResearchandProjectawards.php">http://www.ufaw.org.uk/ResearchandProjectawards.php</a></p>	
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<p><b>Universities Federation for Animal Welfare - Small Project and Travel Awards</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>Through its Small Projects and Travel awards (up to £3,500), UFAW supports a variety of activities for the benefit of animal welfare. Applications may be made for the purchase of equipment, for the organisation of (and, sometimes, to support attendance at) educational meetings, lectures and courses, and for publication, translation or transmission of information on animal welfare and for other small projects in support of UFAW's objectives.</p> <p>Further information, guidelines and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.ufaw.org.uk/UFAWSmallProjectsandtravelAwards.php">http://www.ufaw.org.uk/UFAWSmallProjectsandtravelAwards.php</a></p>	<p><b>Ongoing</b></p>

<p><b>The International Institute for Research in Paraplegia (IRP) - Research Grants</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>The <b>IFP</b> (1991 in Zurich) and the <b>IRP</b> (1996 in Geneva) were founded by private initiative of paraplegics, physicians and scientists. The foundations will promote and support</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Medical research in the field of paraplegia</li> <li>2. Basic and clinical research in the field of nerve growths</li> <li>3. Research programs designed to make life easier for paraplegics</li> <li>4. Promotion of international information exchange in the field of paraplegia</li> </ol> <p>Research projects may address all aspects of CNS and spinal cord lesions, nerve regeneration, trophic support of lesioned neurons, and functional changes induced by lesions preferentially in mammals. Clinical research projects can be situated in the fields of diagnosis, acute lesion management including surgery, neurology, urology, rehabilitation, and other areas related to paraplegia.</p> <p>For further information and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.irp.ch/attribution_de_fonds/projets_de_recherche/dossier_de_candidature.php">http://www.irp.ch/attribution_de_fonds/projets_de_recherche/dossier_de_candidature.php</a></p>	<p><b>10 October 2008</b></p>

<b>Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance - Innovator Awards Letter of Intent</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>TSC Innovator Grant Awards are designed to provide funding for established researchers with a PhD and/or MD degree for research focused on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Research that is essential to develop and test new therapies, treatments, educational and/or neuropsychological programs for individuals with TSC and/or LAM; and/or</li> <li>2. Resources necessary to answer these essential questions (animal models, new imaging modalities, databases, etc.).</li> </ol> <p>For additional information regarding this opportunity and for application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.tsalliance.org/pages.aspx?content=23">http://www.tsalliance.org/pages.aspx?content=23</a></p>	<p><b>25 October 2008</b></p>

<b>Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance - Supplemental Grant Awards</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>TSC Supplemental Grant Awards are designed to provide supplemental funding for established researchers with a PhD and/or MD degree who have received funding from another funding source (NIH, DOD, etc.), but who need additional funding to carry out the proposed research. This research should be focused on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Research that is essential to develop and test new therapies, treatments, educational and/or neuropsychological programs for individuals with TSC and/or LAM; and/or</li> <li>2. Resources necessary to answer these essential questions (animal models, new imaging modalities, databases, etc.)</li> </ol> <p>For more information and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.tsalliance.org/pages.aspx?content=23">http://www.tsalliance.org/pages.aspx?content=23</a></p>	<p><b>25 October 2008</b></p>

<b>World Cancer Research Fund International (WCRF)- Investigator Initiated Grants (Outline Applications)</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>World Cancer Research Fund (WCRF) International is now inviting applications for grants worldwide to fund research into</p>	<p><b>6 October 2008</b></p>

<p>the effects of food, nutrition and physical activity on cancer. Preference will be given to applications that have direct relevance to human cancer - consider diets or foods as a whole and/or use whole body systems, and use foods or dietary constituents in physiological amounts.</p> <p>Investigator Initiated grants may be awarded to investigators from anywhere in the world. Such grants are for a maximum of £150,000 for up to four years, with a limit of £50,000 for any one year.</p> <p>Further information and an application package is available on their website:  <a href="http://www.wcrf.org/research/research_grant_programme.lasso">http://www.wcrf.org/research/research_grant_programme.lasso</a></p>	
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**FELLOWSHIP**

<p><b>Australian Lung Foundation - Boehringer Ingelheim Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Research Fellowship</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>The Australian Lung Foundation (ALF) invites applications from medical and scientific graduates who will be resident in Australia throughout the period of the research programme. Applications are sought from disciplines as diverse as physiology, genetics, epidemiology, health economics or management in General Practice/primary health care settings. Applicants should be graduates who have completed, or are currently completing, advanced training or higher degree by thesis.</p> <p>The research must relate to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD). Relevant domains of research inquiry range from a focus on basic science through issues of management in the context of a clinician-patient interaction to system level issues to do with the organisation, financing and performance of the health system. All inquiry is aimed at developing and/or delivering optimal care to people with COPD.</p> <p>The Fellowship is available as either a one or two year award, with a value of Aus \$75,000 per annum.</p> <p>For more information and application guidelines, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.lungnet.com.au/content/view/58/64/">http://www.lungnet.com.au/content/view/58/64/</a></p>	<p><b>24 October 2008</b></p>

<p><b>Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance - Clinical &amp; Postdoctoral Fellowship Letters of Intent</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
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<p>Predocctoral, Post Doctoral &amp; Clinical Fellowship Awards are designed to provide funding for a Principal Investigator working closely with a Sponsor to do research on TSC focused on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research that is essential to develop and test new therapies, treatments, educational and/or neuropsychological programs for individuals with TSC and/or LAM; and/or</li> <li>• Resources necessary to answer these essential questions (animal models, new imaging modalities, databases, etc.).</li> </ul> <p>The value of the award is up to US\$60,000 per year for three-year awards; total not to exceed \$180,000.</p> <p>For more information and application guidelines, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.tsalliance.org/pages.aspx?content=23">http://www.tsalliance.org/pages.aspx?content=23</a></p>	<p><b>25 October 2008</b></p>
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<p><b>The Stapledon Memorial Trust - Travelling Fellowship</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>The Stapledon Memorial Trust was established in 1962 and It seeks to promote agricultural research and education, principally through the award of Travelling Fellowships.</p> <p>The fellowships are normally awarded for periods of 1 to 6 months and Applicants should normally be from the post-doctoral level through to mid-career and must be either (a) individuals from any country in the world applying to undertake a study period in the UK or (b) individuals resident in or employed in the UK applying to undertake a study period in any other country. It is expected that applicants from developing countries will normally spend periods approaching 6 months in the UK.</p> <p>For further information and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.iger.bbsrc.ac.uk/SMT/Fellowship.htm">http://www.iger.bbsrc.ac.uk/SMT/Fellowship.htm</a></p>	<p><b>24 October 2008</b></p>

<p><b>Harvard Club of Australia Foundation- Australia-Harvard Fellowships</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>Australia-Harvard Fellowships are tenable at Australian research institutions. Scientists and technologists who are normally based at Harvard University or one of its closely affiliated institutions and who were awarded a PhD before 2005 are eligible to apply.</p>	<p><b>6 October 2008</b></p>

<p>The Fellowship covers travel, living expenses in Australia and perhaps purchases of research-specific materials, instruments or equipment. The Fellowships of up to \$A40,000 (~ \$US32,000).</p>	
<p>For more information and application procedure, please refer to their website:  <a href="http://www.harvard.org.au/Australia-Harvard_Fellowship.html">http://www.harvard.org.au/Australia-Harvard_Fellowship.html</a></p>	

**GRANT - TRAVEL**

<p><b>Marten Bequest Travelling Scholarships</b></p>	<p><b>External Deadline</b></p>
<p>The Marten Bequest Travelling Scholarships provide support for students in a variety of categories to help them further their cultural education and achieve their dreams. They are awarded each year for study, maintenance and travel either in Australia or overseas.</p>	<p><b>24 October 2008</b></p>
<p><b>Funding Categories:</b></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Architecture</li> <li>• Ballet</li> <li>• Instrumental Music</li> <li>• Painting</li> <li>• Sculpture</li> <li>• Singing</li> </ul>	
<p>Two scholarships of \$25,000 are offered in each funding category and to be eligible for this award, you must be a native-born Australian aged 21-35 (17-35 for ballet) at the closing date of entries.</p>	
<p>Detailed information and application forms are available on their website:  <a href="http://www.trust.com.au/philanthropy/awards/marten_bequest/">http://www.trust.com.au/philanthropy/awards/marten_bequest/</a></p>	

**OTHER REMINDERS**

<p><b>Forest and Wood Products Australia (FWPA) - Call for preliminary research proposals against identified project areas</b></p>	<p><b>Internal Deadline</b></p>
<p>Forest and Wood Products Australia seeks to expand its project portfolio in a number of key areas of importance to the</p>	<p><b>26 September 2008</b></p>

<p>Australian forest and wood products industry as identified through advice from the Company's Industry Advisory Groups.</p> <p>Please see the <a href="#">Information brochure and Project areas of interest</a>.</p> <p>For further information and an application form please visit:  <a href="http://www.fwprdc.org.au/news.asp?id=273">http://www.fwprdc.org.au/news.asp?id=273</a></p>	
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<b>Myer Foundation - G4: Small Grants Program</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>The G4 Small Grants Program aims to be responsive to community needs and to support youth focussed and driven strategies across a range of areas.</p> <p>The G4 Small Grants Program will support youth focussed initiatives that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Benefit the Australian community and are conducted within Australia;</li> <li>• Target the needs of young people from the ages of 12-25 years;</li> <li>• Have young men and women as participants, drivers or targets of the initiative;</li> <li>• Are small, discrete projects that meet the needs of a community;</li> <li>• A small project will be considered to have a total budget of up to \$30,000.</li> </ul> <p>The current priority areas for the G4 Small Grants Program include but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Capacity building for youth organisations;</li> <li>• Environmental education targeting and involving young people aged 12-25 years;</li> <li>• Youth-driven events;</li> <li>• Activities and initiatives addressing the health and wellbeing needs of young people.</li> </ul> <p>Grants are capped at \$5,000. The requested amount may be part of a larger budget of up to \$30,000. 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>For more information and application procedure please visit their website at  <a href="http://www.myerfoundation.org.au/_110.asp">http://www.myerfoundation.org.au/_110.asp</a></p>	<p><b>1 October 2008</b></p>

<b>Attorney-General's Department - Research funding for chemical, biological, radiological and health sector projects</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>Australian Government co-funding is now available for research projects which will help the nation prepare, prevent, respond to, or recover from chemical, biological or radiological (CBR) threats.</p> <p>Grants are available for up to 50% of the cost of supported projects, with the remainder of costs to be met by the research organisation, interested government agencies and/or other sponsors. Funding is dependent on available program resources but there is otherwise no maximum limit on funding per Project. Funding is provided subject to the terms and conditions set out in the guidelines and in accordance with a deed, which must be signed by the recipient prior to the commencement of funding.</p> <p>Projects are competitively selected for support following assessment of proposals by independent expert panels. Proposals may be put forward by universities, private companies, government agencies, or collaborative research networks or organisations.</p> <p>In 2008-09, proposals are sought for projects which specifically address the following areas:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Risk-based decision making for skin decontamination</li> <li>2. Health sector supply chain risk assessment modelling</li> <li>3. CBR respiratory protection</li> <li>4. Detection and identification of CBR agents</li> <li>5. CBR recovery and restoration</li> </ol> <p>Please click on the following for <a href="#">application guidelines</a>, <a href="#">sample funding deed</a> &amp; <a href="#">application form</a>.</p> <p>Please visit their website for further information, which can be found at:  <a href="http://www.pmc.gov.au/nsst/cofunding.cfm">http://www.pmc.gov.au/nsst/cofunding.cfm</a></p>	<p><b>3 October 2008</b></p>

<b>Building Links with US Universities - The Fulbright Senior Specialist Program</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<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><b>3 October 2008</b></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"> <li>1. Take part in specialised academic programs and conferences</li> <li>2. Consult with administrators and instructors of post-secondary institutions on faculty development</li> <li>3. Present lectures at graduate and undergraduate levels</li> <li>4. Participate in or lead seminars or workshops</li> <li>5. Develop and/or assess academic curricula or educational materials</li> <li>6. Conduct needs assessments, surveys, institutional or programmatic research</li> </ol> <p>Detailed information about this opportunity including application forms are available on their website which can be accessed by clicking <a href="#">here</a> (link).</p>	
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<b>Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation - Beta Cell Replacement Initiative Expressions of Interest</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<p>JDRF's role is to facilitate the scientific community in addressing the remaining challenges in beta cell replacement with the ultimate goal of developing safe and effective transplantatiofkemian approaches available to large numbers of individuals with type 1 diabetes. To achieve this, JDRF is soliciting pre-clinical proposals addressing: <b>Restoring euglycemia and insulin independence by transplanting a replenishable source of glucose-responsive, insulin-secreting cells in the absence of chronic immunosuppression.</b></p> <p>For more information please click <a href="#">here</a> (link) for guidelines regarding this opportunity.</p> <p><b>Pilot &amp; Feasibility Studies:</b> budgets may not exceed AUS\$150,000 per year total costs, including 10% indirect costs for two years.</p> <p><b>Collaborative Research Grants:</b> involving multi-group collaborations may budget up to \$300,000 per year including 10% indirect costs for two years.</p> <p>Applicants must hold an MD, DMD, DVM, PhD or equivalent and have a faculty position or equivalent.</p> <p>Please visit their website for additional information:  <a href="http://www.jdrf.org.au/default.asp">http://www.jdrf.org.au/default.asp</a></p>	<p><b>8 October 2008</b></p>

<b>GWRDC funding for 2009–2010</b>	<b>Internal Deadline</b>
<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 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 <a href="#">Information Flyer</a> regarding this opportunity.</p> <p>For further information and application forms, please visit their website:  <a href="http://www.gwrdc.com.au/">http://www.gwrdc.com.au/</a></p>	<p><b>10 October 2008</b></p>