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NEW

NEWS & INFORMATION

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

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</p>	<p>15 October 2008</p>

<p>University</p> <p>For more information please click on the Information Brochure.</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:</p> <p>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>Please note that the internal deadline is December 8, 2008. Please click on media release for the article.</p>	<p>8 December 2008</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

NHMRC 2008 Equipment Grants - Call for Applications	Internal Deadline
<p>The University is calling for applications for 2008 NHMRC Equipment grants. Equipment must be purchased and acquitted to the Research Branch before 31 May 2009.</p> <p>Applications will be considered only from University of Adelaide staff: (Clinical and Affiliate Title holders apply through their own institution)</p> <p>Individual items of equipment requested must cost in excess of \$10,000.</p> <p>Please see the Information form for more information. Application form is available for download.</p>	<p>29 October 2008</p>

Australia - China Council (ACC) General Funding Grants - Expression of Interest	Internal Deadline
<p>Australia-China Council ('ACC' or 'Council') grants are intended to provide seed funds for innovative proposals relevant to the mission and goals of the Council. This includes proposals which demonstrate the potential for the development of long-term links between individuals and institutions in Australia and counterparts in China.</p> <p>Preference will be given to projects in the fields of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intercultural communication • Sustainability and the environment • Health and safety • Cultural heritage <p>Further information, application forms and guidelines are available on their website: http://www.dfat.gov.au/acc/guidelines.html</p>	<p>13 October 2008</p>

Department of Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts - Call for Expressions of Interest (Green Precincts Fund)	Internal Deadline
<p>The <i>Green Precincts Fund</i> was announced to support at least 10 high-profile demonstration projects that deliver water and energy savings while educating the community about water and energy efficiency.</p> <p>More detailed information and application forms are available on their website: http://www.environment.gov.au/water/programs/green-precincts/index.html</p>	<p>15 November 2008</p>

Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF) - Australian Weeds Research Centre (Research & Development Funding)	Internal Deadline
<p>The Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry invite applications for funding for research and development projects on behalf of the Australian Weeds Research Centre.</p> <p>Projects that build on existing work to make findings and technology available for use are strongly encouraged. Innovative projects that investigate adaptive, integrated weed management strategies are also sought.</p> <p>For more information and to obtain a copy of funding guidelines and application, please visit their website: http://www.daff.gov.au/natural-resources/invasive/australian_weeds_research_centre/australian_weeds_research_centre_funding</p>	<p>17 October 2008</p>

Sir Ross and Sir Keith Smith Fund	Internal Deadline
<p>The Fund encourages scientific study, research and education in disciplines related to aeronautics and aerospace technology.</p>	<p>29 October 2008</p>

<p>Applications can be submitted for Research and Development Projects or Scholarships/Sponsorship.</p> <p>For further details, including information regarding the type of proposals the Fund gives preference to, visit http://www.smithfund.org.au/.</p> <p>If you have any queries, please email 'arcgrants@adelaide.edu.au'.</p>	
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The Australian Academy of Technological Sciences and Engineering (ATSE) - Expression of Interest Submission	External Deadline
<p>The Australian Academy of Technological Sciences and Engineering is pleased to offer Australian researchers an opportunity to submit expressions of interest for international Missions, Workshops and Delegations during the financial year 2009-2010.</p> <p>EOI forms and selection criteria are detailed on the ATSE website: http://www.atse.org.au</p>	<p>3 November 2008</p>

GRANT - INTERNATIONAL

The Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation - Individual Research Grants	Internal Deadline
<p>Individual Grants Program, the largest and most comprehensive of the Reeve Foundation research initiatives, supports investigator-initiated research on a variety of fronts, including axon growth and guidance, remyelination, cellular replacement, rehabilitation and neuroprotection.</p> <p>For additional information, guidelines and applications, please visit their website: http://www.christopherreeve.org/site/c.ddJFKRNofIG/b.4434995/k.C2EC/Individual_Research_Grants_SCI_investigatorinitiated_research.htm</p>	<p>8 December 2008</p>

<p>American Tinnitus Association (ATA) - Research Program Grants</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>The American Tinnitus Association Research Grant Program financially supports scientific studies investigating tinnitus. Studies must be directly concerned with tinnitus and contribute to ATA's goal of finding a cure.</p> <p>For further details, guidelines and application forms regarding this opportunity, please visit their website: http://www.ata.org/research/research_faqs.php#q6</p>	<p>24 December 2008</p>

<p>US Department of Health and Human Services - Implementation Planning Grants for Educational, Behavioral, or Social Studies for Translation of Genetic Factors in Common Diseases (U34) - Letter of Intent</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>Grant applications are invited from institutions that propose to plan for multicenter research on a) educational and communication initiatives for health care providers and consumers regarding interpretation of and findings from genetic studies of common diseases and the results of their dissemination and b) behavioral or psychosocial aspects of clinical application of genetic findings.</p> <p>Areas of interest include, but are not limited to: research on patient or provider education regarding genetic findings or clinical outcomes of genetic testing; research on patient or provider perceptions of environmental or other risk factors that may have specific interactions with gene variants; and assessments of responses to use of personal genetic information in clinical care and disease prevention. The proposed research must focus on using findings from genetic studies of common diseases with complex genetic etiology in clinical settings.</p> <p>Detailed information regarding this opportunity and application procedure, please visit: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DK-08-003.html#PartI</p>	<p>17 October 2008</p>

FELLOWSHIP

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The Royal Academy of Engineering (RAEng) & Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC) - Research Fellowships	Internal Deadline
<p>The Royal Academy of Engineering (RAEng) and EPSRC are jointly offering up to ten Research Fellowships to outstanding researchers in engineering subject to quality.</p> <p>The RAEng/EPSRC Research Fellowships are designed to promote excellence in engineering by providing support for high-quality engineers to encourage them to develop their interests in academic research as a stepping stone to a successful research career.</p> <p>These are highly prestigious awards aimed at outstanding researchers from all branches of engineering who are about to finish their PhD, or have up to three (3) years postdoctoral research experience.</p> <p>For more information and application procedure, please visit their website: http://www.raeng.org.uk/research/researcher/postdoc/default.htm</p>	<p>21 October 2008</p>

Parliament of Australia - Australian Parliamentary Fellowship	Internal Deadline
<p>Australian Parliamentary Fellowship gives the opportunity to a broader range of issues and disciplines of interest to the Parliament. The purpose of the Fellowship is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • contribute to scholarship on the Parliament and its work; • promote knowledge and understanding of the Parliament; • raise awareness of the role of the Library's Research service; • provide a researcher with work experience in the parliamentary environment; and • support "early career" scholars. <p>For more information regarding this fellowship including application information, please visit their website: http://www.aph.gov.au/library/apf.htm</p>	<p>3 October 2008</p>

Royal Geographical Society - Thesiger-Oman Fellowships	Internal Deadline

<p>The Royal Geographical Society offers two annual fellowships of up to £8,000 for geographical research in the arid regions of the world, as a memorial to Sir Wilfred Thesiger.</p> <p>The fellowship funds two researchers with outstanding research proposals including periods of arid environment fieldwork. To reflect Thesiger's interests, research within the Middle East and other arid regions he visited will be given priority, but applications for work in the world's other arid regions is also welcomed.</p> <p>Further information, application form and guidelines are available on their website: http://www.rgs.org/OurWork/Grants/Research/Thesiger-Oman+Fellowships.htm</p>	<p>21 November 2008</p>
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<p>Grains Research & Development Corporation (GRDC) – Grains Industry Senior Fellowships</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>Grains Industry Senior Fellowships (SFs) are available to senior R&D personnel seeking to enhance their experience and potential to contribute to the work of the GRDC at an institution in Australia or overseas.</p> <p>Support will generally be up to a maximum of \$50,000, but can exceed this amount in special circumstances where the GRDC considers these to exist.</p> <p>Additional information and application procedure is available on their website: http://www.grdc.com.au/director/apply/Training%20Awards/Grains%20Industry%20Senior%20Fellowships%20(SF)</p>	<p>24 October 2008</p>

<p>Grains Research & Development Corporation (GRDC) – Grains Industry Visiting Fellowships</p>	<p>Internal Deadline</p>
<p>Grains Industry Visiting Fellowships (VFs) are available to overseas R&D personnel who are able to enhance programs supported by the GRDC with their specific skills.</p>	<p>24 October 2008</p>

<p>Activity should occur at one or more Australian host institutions or companies. Preference will be given to candidates that will be collaborating with other institutions in addition to their host.</p> <p>The total value of the award shall not be greater than \$17,500 per visitor. Applicants who have supplementary funding from other institutions will be regarded favourably. Support will be for a minimum of 2 months and a maximum of 12 months.</p> <p>Additional information and application procedure is available on their website: http://www.grdc.com.au/director/apply/Training%20Awards/Grains%20Industry%20Visiting%20Fellowships%20(VF)</p>	
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PRIZE

<p>The Harvey Prize - Technion-Israel Institute of Technology</p>	<p>External Deadline</p>
<p>The Harvey Prize is awarded annually in a variety of disciplines within the categories of Science & Technology and Human Health.</p> <p>There are no restrictions as to nationality, age and sex. Nominators may propose candidates from all over the world, not restricted to their own countries. Technion Honorary Doctorate recipients will be considered only after a lapse of 5 years since receiving the Honorary Doctorate.</p> <p>Full information about this award and application procedure is available on their website: http://www.admin.technion.ac.il/harvey/</p>	<p>1 November 2008 (Ext.)</p>

<p>Royal Geographical Society - Ralph Brown Expedition Award</p>	<p>External Deadline</p>
<p>The grant is a single annual award worth £15,000, offered to the leader of an expedition working in a marine environment. This includes the study of coral reefs, rivers, lakes and shallow seas. The project should be of value to the host country and, where possible, to the local community.</p>	<p>28 November 2008 (Ext.)</p>

<p>Applicants must be fellows or members of the Society. The grant is open to applicants from any nation</p> <p>Further information, application form and guidelines are available on their website: http://www.rgs.org/OurWork/Grants/Research/Ralph+Brown+Expedition+Award.htm</p>	
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Department of Agriculture, Fisheries & Forestry - McKell Medal	External Deadline
<p>The McKell Medal is the most prestigious Australian award for excellence and achievement in natural resource management.</p> <p>The McKell Medal is an annual award recognising outstanding achievements in shaping community attitudes and practices in natural resource management through promotion, education, research or other development activities.</p> <p>Further information and nomination procedure is available on their website: http://www.daff.gov.au/natural-resources/landcare/mckell</p>	14 November 2008 (Ext.)

OTHER REMINDERS

Department of Health & Ageing - Rural Pharmacy Workforce Program (Small Projects Funding Scheme) - Call for Applications	Internal Deadline
<p>The Rural Pharmacy Workforce Program aims to maintain and improve access to quality community pharmacy services for rural and remote communities. The Small Project Funding Scheme is intended to support the role of community pharmacists in rural and remote communities so that innovative ideas and services can be developed and implemented.</p> <p>Projects are required to follow the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • demonstrate a capacity for ongoing benefits to the community after completion, • demonstrate involvement of a pharmacist or pharmacy related organisation in the development of the proposal; and • the applicant must be an Australian citizen. 	6 October 2008

<p>For more information, guidelines and application form, please visit their website: http://www.guild.org.au/rural/content.asp?id=1747</p>	
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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>	3 October 2008

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation - Beta Cell Replacement Initiative Expressions of Interest	Internal Deadline
<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: Restoring euglycemia and insulin independence by transplanting a replenishable source of glucose-responsive, insulin-secreting cells in the absence of chronic immunosuppression.</p>	8 October 2008

For more information please click [here](#) (link) for guidelines regarding this opportunity.

Pilot & Feasibility Studies: budgets may not exceed AUS\$150,000 per year total costs, including 10% indirect costs for two years.

Collaborative Research Grants: involving multi-group collaborations may budget up to \$300,000 per year including 10% indirect costs for two years.

Applicants must hold an MD, DMD, DVM, PhD or equivalent and have a faculty position or equivalent.

Please visit their website for additional information:
<http://www.jdrf.org.au/default.asp>

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 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>	<p>10 October 2008</p>

Horticultural Australia Limited (HAL) Macademia Breeding Program	Internal Deadline
<p>Horticulture Australia Ltd (HAL) is responsible for the national management and coordination of industry and publicly funded research and development for Australia's horticultural industries; these include macadamia nuts and other nuts, fruit, vegetables, turf, cut flowers, nursery and extractive crops. HAL</p>	<p>10 October 2008</p>

<p>is calling for submission for the Conduct of the Australian macadamia breeding program.</p> <p>Please see Macadamia Breeding Program Brief August 2008</p> <p>For full details and application guidelines, please visit their website: http://www.horticulture.com.au/industry/macadamia.asp</p>	
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The Australian Egg Corporation Limited (AECL) - Invitation for Preliminary Research Proposals	Internal Deadline
<p>The Australian Egg Corporation Limited (AECL) is now inviting the submission of preliminary research proposals (PRPs) for funding to commence in the 2009-10 financial year. This research must address AECL’s key long term and immediate research priorities.</p> <p>For further details, guidelines and application form, please visit their website: http://www.aecl.org/index.asp?pageid=379</p>	<p>10 October 2008</p>

Department of Immigration and Citizenship - Settlement Grants Program Funding	Internal Deadline
<p>The 2009-10 Settlement Grants Program (SGP) application round is now open. The aim of the SGP is to deliver services which assist eligible clients to become self-reliant and participate equitably in Australian society as soon as possible after arrival. The SGP service types include a wide range of assistance to facilitate a more practical approach to service delivery.</p> <p>The SGP will fund the following service types:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Orientation to Australia – Practical Assistance to Promote Self-reliance 2. Developing Communities 3. Integration – Inclusion and Participation <p>For more information and application guidelines, please visit their website: http://www.immi.gov.au/living-in-australia/delivering-</p>	<p>15 October 2008</p>

assistance/settlement-grants/applyingforsettlementgrants.htm

The Australian Society for Microbiology Research Trust Fellowship	Internal Deadline
<p>In awarding this Fellowship, the Society aims to promote excellence in microbiology through support to younger microbiologists for specified research projects leading to career advancement; or to Australian microbiologists returning from overseas studies to assist them to re-establish their careers in Australia.</p> <p>For more information and application guidelines, please visit their website: http://www.theasm.com.au/research_trust</p>	<p>23 October 2008</p>

The Spitfire Memorial Defence Fellowship 2009	Internal Deadline
<p>Applications are invited for the 2009 award of the Spitfire Memorial Defence Fellowship valued at up to \$15,000 to support Australian defence-related studies or research at the University of New South Wales or other appropriate institution.</p> <p>For additional information and application guidelines, please visit their website: http://www.unsw.adfa.edu.au/units/research/spitfire/index.html</p>	<p>24 October 2008</p>

Case IH Biodiesel Research Grant	Internal Deadline
<p>Case IH is committed to the future of the agricultural industry, and this extends to supporting the use of biodiesels. Their research grant has been created to help foster research, development and practical trials in this developing field. They want to explore better ways to create and use environmentally-friendly biodiesels made from renewable raw materials.</p>	<p>24 October 2008</p>

For further information, guidelines and an application form,
please visit their website:

[http://www.caseih.com/highlights/highlights.aspx?
navid=232&RL=ENAN](http://www.caseih.com/highlights/highlights.aspx?navid=232&RL=ENAN)