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[ARC Discovery Projects 2011 Open](#)

The ARC have now released the Discovery Projects 2011 Funding Rules, Instructions to Applicants and RMS proposal form at:

http://www.arc.gov.au/ncgp/dp/dp_default.htm or <http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/arc/DiscProj.html>.

- *Eligibility Exemption requests* (Fellowships) are due in the Branch by **11 January 2010**. This will be the first time these requests will be submitted via the ARC's RMS system, so please ensure that you notify us your Request is ready for review by emailing arcgrants@adelaide.edu.au, as we do not receive automatic notification of this.

The Eligibility Request form and the ARC's Instructions can be found at the webpage links above.

- *Proposal Submission*

The University tiered deadlines for submission of Discovery Project proposals to the Research Office for the desired level of checking will be:

- Full Check: by Monday 8th February
- Error Check: by Wednesday 17th February
- Submission "as is": after 17th February

Please note that the ARC have changed the way in which "Track Record" is to be presented within the proposal, including cross-referencing publications to ARC grants.

- A basic guide to getting started on RMS for DP2011 is now available on the RB webpage: <http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/arc/DiscProj.html>.
- A "section-by-section" guide to completing the proposal form is also available at: <http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/arc/DiscProj.html>.

[Cooperative Research Centres \(CRC\) Round 13 Announcement](#)

Senator Kim Carr, the Minister for Innovation, Industry, Science and Research, has announced that Round 13 of the CRC program will support research partnerships that deliver key economic, environmental and social benefits to Australia.

Two priority areas have been identified - manufacturing innovation and social innovation.

The Department of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research will conduct information sessions around the country in February/March (yet to be finalised). Further information on these sessions and the selection round will be available on the CRC Program website at: https://www.crc.gov.au/Information/ShowInformation.aspx?Doc=13th_Selection_rounds&key=bulletin-board-selection-rounds_13&

Heading=Selection%20Round

All application documentation for Round 13 is expected to be available in March 2010. As a guide to the requirements for the 13th selection round, please refer to the documentation from the 12th selection round. Applicants should consider this documentation as a guide and note that changes may be made to the final round 13 application pack.

Excellence in Research Australia (ERA) Journal List

The ARC has released Ranked Outlet lists for Journals and Conferences, in preparation for ERA submissions in 2010.

- The **Journal Title List** for ERA 2010 contains ERA ID, Journal Title and ISSNs. Journal Ranks and FoR codes are expected in February 2010.
- The final **Ranked Conference List** for ERA 2010 is only applicable to some disciplines. It contains ERA ID, Conference Title and acronym, FoR code/s and Rank.

The Ranked Outlet lists are accessible at the ARC's Ranked Outlets website: http://www.arc.gov.au/era/era_journal_list.htm.

Queries may be directed to the University's [Excellence in Research for Australia team](#).

NHMRC's RGMS (Research Grants Management System): Essential News for Researchers

NHMRC's new Research Grants Management System (RGMS) opened on Thursday 17 December 2009 for the following grant schemes:

- Project Grants
- Research & Practitioner Fellowships

with funding policies and guides to applicants available at www.nhmrc.gov.au.

Further information on this system is now available on our website:
<http://www.adelaide.edu.au/rb/nhmrc/RGMS.html>.

National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC): TRIP Fellowship Scheme

Translating Research Into Practice (TRIP) is a new early-to-mid career fellowship scheme to support the translation of research findings into clinical practice.

Applications opened on 18 December 2009 for funding commencing in October 2010. The funding policy, guide to applicants and application forms are available on the [NHMRC website](#).

For further information and application instructions, please visit:
<http://www.nhmrc.gov.au/fellows/apply/index.htm>.

Victorian Neurotrauma Initiative (VNI) Collaborates With NHMRC On 2010 Project Grant Funding Round

The Victorian Neurotrauma Initiative (VNI) is a \$63 million health research fund that supports research into Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) and Spinal Cord Injury (SCI) conducted by Victorian scientists in collaboration with national and international colleagues. Established in 2005 with funding from the Transport Accident Commission (TAC) and the Department of Innovation, Industry and Regional Development (DIIRD), the VNI was incorporated as a Pty Ltd in November 2006.

The VNI is now pleased to announce that it will be offering project funding in conjunction with the 2010 NHMRC Project Grant funding round. Researchers applying to NHMRC will be able to pre-select if they would like their application to be automatically considered by the VNI if they are unsuccessful in receiving funding from NHMRC.

For further information, including eligibility criteria, visit <http://www.vni.com.au/news/id/191>.

ARC Future Fellowships

Internal UA notification of intent due on: 1 Feb 2010.

In anticipation of the ARC's Funding Rules for Future Fellowships for funding commencing in 2010, interested applicants are asked to indicate their intent to apply using the Notification of Intent form. The completed form is to be countersigned by the appropriate Head of School and Faculty Executive Dean and returned to Research Branch by the due date.

NB: The ARC have postponed this scheme until 2010. Further details will be provided when they become available (expected February 2010).

About the Future Fellowship Scheme: The aim of Future Fellowships is to attract and retain the best and brightest

mid-career researchers from Australia and abroad, and encourages proposals from researchers working in areas of national priority that can demonstrate a capacity to build collaboration across industry, research institutions or with other disciplines.

More information on the scheme can be found at: www.arc.gov.au//ncgp/futurefel/future_default.htm.



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Faculty	Sponsor: Grant Title	Internal Due Dates
Health Sciences	<p><u>Cancer Australia: 2010 Priority-driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme</u></p> <p>Cancer Australia and their funding partners – <i>beyondblue</i>, CanTeen, Cancer Council New South Wales, Cancer Council Tasmania, Cure Cancer Australia Foundation, Leukaemia Foundation, Meat and Livestock Australia, the National Centre for Gynaecological Cancers, the National Breast Cancer Foundation, the National Lung Cancer Program, and the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia – are inviting applications for Priority-driven Collaborative Cancer Research Grants to commence in 2011.</p> <p>The Priority-driven Collaborative Cancer Research Scheme is an annual national research project grant scheme which funds cancer research in identified priority areas to help reduce the impact of cancer in the community and improve outcomes for people affected by cancer. The scheme brings together funders of cancer research to support cancer research project grants in identified project areas. Two types of priority-driven project grant are offered through the scheme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Priority-driven Standard Project Grant: Five categories of grant from one to five years in duration, and with total funding from \$50,000 - \$750,000 (GST exclusive). ■ Priority-driven Young Investigator Project Grant: one year grant of \$90,000 (GST exclusive). <p>Priority-driven Young Investigator Project Grants are being offered to give innovative, high-achieving early career researchers working in all areas of cancer, the support they need to pursue potential breakthrough research.</p> <p>Priority-driven Standard Project Grants are being offered to fund research that deals with practice and policy priorities nationally. These grants are intended to fund research which will improve outcomes for people affected by cancer and the priority driven nature of the research scheme complements investigator-initiated grant schemes.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.canceraustralia.gov.au/research-and-clinical-trials/priority-driven-research.aspx.</p>	10 Mar 2010
Health Sciences	<p><u>Multiple Sclerosis Research Australia (MSRA): Incubator Grants</u></p> <p>MSRA wishes to assist researchers towards gaining significant support for research proposals in all areas of research. Applications are invited for grants, of up to \$25,000 plus GST for one year only, to fund the earliest stages of a new research effort in order to validate a process or provide preliminary data. The results should, thus, enable the preparation of a proposal for an investigator initiated grant application.</p> <p>MSRA's Research Management Council will not consider applications without full or pending ethical approval (where applicable). Projects will not be able to commence without full ethics approval.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.msaustralia.org.au/msra/research/funding-process.php#incubators</p>	Ongoing

Health Sciences	<p><u>Department of Health and Ageing: Anti-Doping Research Program 2009-10 and 2010-11 Funding Rounds</u></p> <p>The Australian Government's Anti-Doping Research Program offers funding for new research to improve the analytical capability for detecting banned substances and doping agents taken by athletes and to help lead to practical doping deterrence strategies.</p> <p>The Department of Health and Ageing is seeking research proposals for the 2009-10 and 2010-11 Anti-Doping Research Program funding rounds in the areas of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Detection of gene doping and gene manipulation. ■ Detection of novel doping threats. ■ Improving current detection methodologies. ■ Improving deterrence by understanding causes of doping behaviour and evaluating anti-doping interventions. <p>Proposals outside these priority areas are also invited if they demonstrate a very strong contribution to the aims of the Anti-Doping Research Program and excellent value for money.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/grantITA+1810910.</p>	27 Jan 2010
Health Sciences	<p><u>Sir Edward Dunlop Medical Research Foundation: Research Grants</u></p> <p>The objective of the Foundation is to support medical research of benefit to Veterans and their families, applications must be directed to the treatment of specific veteran groups or the military. Applications are called for the following areas of research:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Cardiovascular disease with an emphasis on prevention, early detection and clinical management. ■ Cancer with an emphasis on prevention and prostate cancer. ■ Clinical evaluation of post traumatic stress disorder. <p>Funding is available up to \$15,000 and preference given to early career researchers and postdoctoral applicants.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.siredwarddunlop.com.au/.</p>	25 Jan 2010
Sciences	<p><u>Grains Research & Development Corporation (GRDC): Industry Development Awards</u></p> <p>The GRDC Industry Development Awards (IDAs) are specifically targeted at groups of Australian graingrowers for study tours or other forms of training approved by the GRDC. The aim is to develop new skills, build relationships and acquire new information that will contribute to building a sustainable and profitable grains industry. GRDC places a high priority on the dissemination and communication of knowledge gained from the experience offered through the IDA.</p> <p>Support will be for up to six months and will not exceed \$15,000 ex GST per award.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.grdc.com.au/director/apply/travelandconferenceawards/Grains%20Industry%20Development%20Awards%20(IDA)</p>	19 Feb 2010
Sciences	<p><u>Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF): The Climate Change Research Program (CCRP)</u></p> <p>The Climate Change Research Program (CCRP) currently funds research into soil carbon, methane and nitrous oxide emissions and climate change adaptation technologies that improve productivity and increase the sustainability of the agricultural sector over the long term.</p> <p>Demonstration of research on farms or by food processors is important in encouraging the adoption of new practices. Projects submitted for funding under the CCRP should demonstrate the latest technology developments, backed by clear, reliable scientific research delivered from a trusted source.</p>	29 Jan 2010

	<p>Expressions of Interest for demonstration projects should focus on actions to lower farm and food processor greenhouse gas emissions and increase productivity. Projects should also incorporate actions to increase the ability to adapt to future climate change.</p> <p>Research demonstration sites should bring together the best farming or food processor management practices to illustrate the impacts on productivity and emissions across the whole enterprise.</p> <p>Collaborative projects involving farmers, food processors, agribusinesses, regional groups and scientists and with multiple activities are strongly encouraged</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.daff.gov.au/climatechange/australias-farming-future/climate-change-and-productivity-research/climate_change_research_program_funding.</p>	
Sciences	<p>Australian Antarctic Division: Australian Marine Mammal Research</p> <p>Marine mammals interact with humans in a diverse manner. To identify and effectively manage the interactions that might require some alteration to human activities the Australian Government requires:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ an understanding of the status of the marine mammal species (population structure, distribution, abundance and trend) ■ the nature and extent of the interaction, and ■ the options for, and likely effectiveness of, mitigation strategies <p>Proposals are sought that deliver the highest quality science outcomes to address the most pressing marine mammal management needs. Priority will be given to those proposals that address the research priorities. An AMMC Grant is for a project's special requirements and in addition to the basic facilities provided by the researcher's own organisation. This may include financial support for auxiliary staff, equipment, running expenses, consumables and travel. Please consult the Application Guidelines for eligibility.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.marinemammals.gov.au/ammc-grants-scheme.</p>	22 Jan 2010
Multidisciplinary	<p>Queensland Government: Responsible Gambling Research Grants</p> <p>The Queensland government invites researchers and organisations to submit research proposals in the following responsible gambling areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ prevent individuals from developing gambling problems ■ Minimize gambling related harm ■ provide effective treatment and support services for those affected by problem gambling <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.olgr.qld.gov.au/responsibleGambling/index.shtml</p>	23 Apr 2010



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Faculty	Sponsor: Grant Title	Internal Due Dates
Health Sciences	<p>National Alliance for Research on Schizophrenia and Depression (NARSAD): Independent Investigator Award</p> <p>NARSAD's Independent Investigator Award Program provides support for investigators during the critical period between the initiation of research and the receipt of sustained funding.</p> <p>Basic and/or clinical investigators are supported, but research must be relevant to schizophrenia, major affective disorders, or other serious mental illnesses. The program is intended to facilitate innovative research</p>	26 Feb 2010

	<p>opportunities.</p> <p>Applicants must have a doctoral degree and be an Associate Professor or equivalent who has won national competitive support as a principal investigator. Full Professors will not be considered under this scheme to prevent overlap with NARSAD's Distinguished Investigator Award. Current holders of NARSAD Young Investigator Awards are also excluded from consideration. A two-year award up to \$50,000 per year (maximum of \$100,000 for two years) is provided to scientists at the associate professor level or equivalent, who are clearly independent and have won national competitive support as a principal investigator).</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.narsad.org/?q=node/125/apply_for_grants/125</p>	
Health Sciences	<p><u>The Prostate Cancer Foundation (PCF): Creativity Awards</u></p> <p>The Prostate Cancer Foundation (PCF) is pleased to announce a funding mechanism for supporting transformational prostate cancer research through the development of high-potential creative research ideas that are not funded by other mechanisms. This round of awards will focus on funding treatment science: investigations of new ideas in man or laboratory support of a high impact clinical investigation. We seek applications from individuals proposing high-risk/highreward concepts that, if successful, could be the basis for a new treatment for advanced prostate cancer. The awards are intended to bridge the gap between existing research ideas and results that will justify more significant, multi-year funding.</p> <p>Investigators representing non-profit academic research centers worldwide are eligible to apply. Investigators from for-profit companies and government sponsored institutions, i.e. NIH, are ineligible. These awards will cover direct research costs only, will be two years in duration, and will provide \$150,000 per year in support.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.prostatecancerfoundation.org/site/c.itlWK2OSG/b.4426035/k.AB76/Creativity_Awards.htm</p>	22 Jan 2010
Health Sciences	<p><u>National Institutes of Health (NIH): Gut-Liver-Brain Interactions in Alcohol-Induced Pathogenesis (R21) Grant (Letter of Intent)</u></p> <p>The goal of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), issued by the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA), is to stimulate innovative research that will determine:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ how alcohol disrupts gut-liver-brain physiological communications, and ■ how these alterations contribute to the development and exacerbation of alcohol-associated diseases. <p>These investigations are expected to provide a more comprehensive understanding of cellular and molecular mechanisms by which alcohol impairs homeostatic functions at both organ and systemic levels and initiates/promotes tissue injury.</p> <p>This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) will utilize the NIH Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant (R21) mechanism and runs in parallel with a FOA of identical scientific scope, RFA-AA-10-007, that solicits applications under the Research Project Grant R01 mechanism. Funds Available and Anticipated Number of Awards. The NIAAA intends to commit a total of approximately \$2,000,000 to this FOA and the companion RFA-AA-10-007 in fiscal year 2010 to award up to 8 applications. Awards issued under this FOA are contingent upon the availability of funds and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AA-10-008.html</p>	13 Apr 2010
Health Sciences	<p><u>Leukemia Research Foundation: Hollis Brownstein Research Grants Program - New Investigator Research Grants</u></p> <p>The Leukemia Research Foundation dedicates funds to support research related to leukemia, lymphoma, and myelodysplastic syndromes. The goal of the Hollis Brownstein Research Grants Program is to support new investigators; preference will be given to applicants demonstrating new lines of investigation.</p>	8 Feb 2010

	<p>The Leukemia Research Foundation is currently funding New Investigators only. New Investigator research grants are for a period of one year for up to \$100,000. New Investigators are considered to be within seven (7) years of their first independent position. Years as a resident physician, fellow physician, or post-doctoral fellow are considered to be training years. Applicants are not required to be U.S. citizens. Research projects undertaken outside the U.S. will be considered.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.leukemia-research.org/Page.aspx?pid=215.</p>	
Health Sciences	<p><u>The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation: Grand Challenges in Global Health Point-of-Care Diagnostics</u></p> <p>The Grand Challenges in Global Health initiative is seeking innovative ideas for diagnostics in the developing world. \$30 million in funding is available for Phase I of a new grant program to create technologies and components that can be used to assess multiple conditions and pathogens at the point of care in a variety of settings.</p> <p>Specifically, we seek to create a new class of point-of-care (POC) diagnostics that will be easy to use, low cost and otherwise appropriate so that these new tools achieve significant impact and rapid uptake in resource-poor settings.</p> <p>Note: The call for letters of enquiry is now open.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.grandchallenges.org/diagnostics/Pages/Introduction.aspx.</p>	9 Feb 2010
Health Sciences	<p><u>National Institutes of Health (NIH): Cognitive Remediation Approaches to Improve Drug Abuse Treatment Outcomes (Letter of Intent)</u></p> <p>There is a significant public health need to improve the outcome of treatments of substance use disorders (SUDs). SUDs are often associated with cognitive changes that may negatively impact drug abuse treatment outcomes. The purpose of this FOA is to solicit clinical research project applications that design and/or develop cognitive remediation strategies that enhance the outcome of SUD treatments.</p> <p>The National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) intends to commit approximately \$3,000,000 in total costs (Direct plus Facilities and Administrative (F&A) costs) in Fiscal Year 2010 to fund 5 to 6 new grants in response to this FOA and the parallel FOA RFA-DA-10-007. An applicant may request a project period of up to 5 years with direct costs of less than \$500,000 per year.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DA-10-006.html.</p>	26 Feb 2010
Multidisciplinary	<p><u>The Australian Academy of Science: Scientific Visits to the USA, Canada and Mexico in 2010/11 (round 2)</u></p> <p>Applications are now being received for visits to the United States of America, Canada and Mexico beginning between 1 July 2010 and 31 March 2011.</p> <p>The Australian Academy of Science invites applications from Australian professional scientists, including early career researchers, to visit the United States of America, Canada and Mexico between 1 July 2010 and 31 March 2011 to collaborate with researchers in those countries. Proposals in any field of natural science, basic and applied, including mathematics and engineering science, will be considered. Applicants must be Australian citizens or an Australian permanent resident, living in Australia at the time of submitting the grant application. Support will not be given when the primary purpose of the visit is to attend a conference.</p> <p>Applicants must hold a PhD degree or equivalent at the time of application. They should propose a collaborative research project, or a specific activity, which has been developed in consultation with host scientists in those countries. Under this scheme, applicants can request travel support to access international leading-edge small to medium research facilities and equipment. Support will not be provided for costs associated with the use of these facilities.</p> <p>Note: The program does not provide assistance to access research facilities</p>	19 Feb 2010

	<p>already supported under the <i>Access to Major Research Facilities Program (AMRFP)</i> administered by the Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation (ANSTO). For details on the <i>AMRFP</i> please go to: http://www.ansto.gov.au/research/user_access/amrpf</p> <p>Applications with grant application coversheet should be forwarded to Dr Don McMaster (Ext: 33347) in Research Branch. For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.science.org.au/internat/usa.htm</p>	
Multidisciplinary	<p><u>The Australian Academy of Science: International Science Linkages</u></p> <p>The Australian Academy of Science invites applications from Australian professional scientists, including early career researchers, to visit Europe between 1 July 2010 and 31 March 2011 to collaborate with European researchers. Proposals in any field of natural science, basic and applied, including mathematics and engineering science, will be considered. The applicant must be an Australian citizen or an Australian permanent resident, living in Australia at the time of submitting the grant application. Support will not be given when the primary purpose of the visit is to attend a conference.</p> <p>Preference will be given to visits which are short-term and highly-focused. The grant scheme is not to supplement or extend either study or sabbatical leave that is being conducted overseas.</p> <p>Successful applicants may receive from the Academy a grant-in-aid of up to \$10,500. This is based on a contribution towards travel between Australia and the host institution(s) up to a maximum of \$2,500, and a living allowance of up to a maximum of \$200 per day for a period between 14 days and 40 days (maximum of \$8,000). Please note that the full amount applied for may not always be awarded.</p> <p>The duration of the visit must be for a minimum of 14 days and a maximum of 40 days. The program does not provide funds for bench fees, managerial, insurance or visa costs.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.science.org.au/internat/europe.htm.</p>	19 Feb 2010



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Health Sciences	<p><u>International Union Against Cancer (UICC): International Cancer Technology Transfer Fellowships (ICRETT)</u></p> <p>The Fellowship aims to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Facilitate rapid international transfer of cancer research and clinical technology; ■ Exchange knowledge and enhance skills in basic, clinical, behavioural, and epidemiological areas of cancer research, and in cancer control and prevention; ■ Acquire up-to-date clinical management, diagnostic and therapeutic expertise. <p>Applications are encouraged in the fields of cancer control and prevention, epidemiology and cancer registration, public education, and behavioural sciences. The short-term Fellowships permit successful candidates to spend up to 3 months at a suitable host institute abroad. They are particularly aimed at investigators and clinicians working in places where such teaching is not yet available and where the necessary facilities exist to apply and disseminate the new skills upon return.</p> <p>About 120 - 150 awards are available per year with an average award value for one month stipend and travel of US\$3,400. Qualified cancer investigators should be in the early stages in their careers whilst clinicians should be well</p>	Ongoing

	<p>established in their oncology practice. Experts from any country, who have been invited to teach these specialised skills at institutes abroad, are also eligible to apply.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.uicc.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=14262&Itemid=185</p>	
Health Sciences	<p><u>Australian Orthopaedic Association: Research Fellowship</u></p> <p>The purpose of the Australian Orthopaedic Research Fellowship is to promote research into clinical orthopaedics and basic science relevant to the practice of orthopaedics. Applicants will be required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ to have shown ability or promise of ability in research ■ to have made suitable arrangements with an established investigator under whose supervision the work is to be conducted, and ■ to show that the proposed topic of research is acceptable to the institution concerned. <p>The Fellowship is for 12 months and is normally tenable only within Australia. Application for this Fellowship may be made by Orthopaedic Fellows and registered advanced orthopaedic trainees. For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.aoa.org.au/Content/NavigationMenu/Fellowships/AOAFellowships/default.htm.</p>	23 Jun 2010
Multidisciplinary	<p><u>Royal Commission for the Exhibition of 1851: Research Fellowships</u></p> <p>The scheme of 1851 Research Fellowships is intended to give a few PhD level scientists or engineers of outstanding promise the opportunity for conducting research for a further period. Awarded for three years, they provide an exceptional opportunity for PhD graduates to pursue further research at the highest level. Approximately eight awards are made each year.</p> <p>The Fellowships are open to candidates in any of the physical or biological sciences, in mathematics, in applied science, or in any branch of engineering. Candidates in science subjects should normally have recently obtained their PhD degree, or be in the final stages of their PhD studies. Those offering engineering do not have to be in possession of a PhD, but must be of at least PhD standard.</p> <p>Applications from qualified engineering researchers are particularly encouraged. A candidate must be a citizen of the United Kingdom or the Commonwealth, or of the Republics of Ireland or Pakistan. He or she should <i>either</i> have spent at least two out of the past three years at a UK Institution, <i>or</i> be intending to hold the Fellowship at a UK Institution, <i>or both</i>.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.royalcommission1851.org.uk/res_fellow.html.</p>	18 Feb 2010
Multidisciplinary	<p><u>The British Academy, The Royal Academy of Engineering, & The Royal Society: Newton International Fellowships Scheme</u></p> <p>The Scheme has been established to select the very best early stage post-doctoral researchers from all over the world and enable them to work at UK research institutions for a period of two years. The Scheme covers researchers in all disciplines covered by the three academies – natural and social sciences, engineering and humanities. The Newton International Fellowship scheme will select the very best early stage postdoctoral researchers from all over the world, and offer support for two years at UK research institutions. The long-term aim of the scheme is to build a global pool of research leaders and encourage long-term international collaboration with the UK.</p> <p>Fellowships are tenable for a period of two years. Funding will consist of £24,000 per annum for subsistence costs, and up to £8,000 per annum research expenses, as well as a one-off payment of up to £2,000 for relocation expenses.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.newtonfellowships.org/the-fellowships.html.</p>	25 Jan 2010

Multidisciplinary	<p><u>American Australian Association: Australia to US Fellowships 2010</u></p> <p>The Association offers Fellowships of up to US\$25,000 to Australian researchers wishing to undertake advanced research (graduate or postgraduate) in the U.S.</p> <p>Through these Fellowships, the Association encourages intellectual collaboration and innovation, building on the strong economic and social partnerships between Australia and the United States. Fields of research supported by the Fellowships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Biology (biopharmaceuticals) ■ Business ■ Engineering ■ Geology/Geophysics ■ Medicine ■ Paediatrics ■ Science ■ Technology <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.americanaustralian.org/australian_to_usa_apps/.</p>	8 Apr 2010
Multidisciplinary	<p><u>Department of Education, Employment & Workplace Relations (DEEWR): Endeavour Research Fellowships for Indigenous Australians</u></p> <p>The Endeavour Research Fellowships for Indigenous Australians provide financial support for Indigenous postgraduate students and postdoctoral fellows to undertake short-term research (4-6 months), in any field of study. The research must be undertaken in participating countries in the Asia-Pacific and Middle East. The Endeavour Research Fellowships for Indigenous Australians aim to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ enable high achieving indigenous Australian scholars to undertake research in participating countries in the Asia-Pacific and Middle East ■ further develop Award Holders' knowledge and skills in their field of research ■ strengthen bilateral ties between Australia and the participating countries ■ showcase Australia's education sector ■ strengthen mutual understanding between the people of Australia and Award Holders' host countries ■ build international linkages and networks <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.endeavour.deewr.gov.au/Australian_applicants/research_fellowships_indigenous.htm.</p>	22 Jan 2010



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Multidisciplinary	<p><u>The Australian Academy of Science: International Science Linkages (Science Academies Program)</u></p> <p>The Australian Academy of Science is inviting applications from professional scientists to visit Europe, North America (Canada, USA and Mexico) and North East Asia (China, Korea and Taiwan) between 1 July 2010 and 31 March 2011 to collaborate with researchers in those countries.</p> <p>Proposals in any field of natural science, basic and applied, including mathematics and engineering science, will be considered.</p> <p>Applicants must propose a collaborative research project, or a specific activity, which has been developed in consultation with host scientists. Under this scheme applicants can request travel support to access international leading-edge small to medium research facilities and equipment.</p> <p>Support will not be provided for costs associated with the use of these</p>	19 Feb 2010

facilities or when the purpose if the visit is to attend a conference. The duration of the visits must be between 14 and 40 days.

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This project is supported by the Department of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research's International Science Linkages – Science Academies Program.

For further information and application instructions, please visit:
<http://www.science.org.au/internat/programs.htm>



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Health Sciences	<p><u>The Leukaemia Foundation & New Directions in Leukaemia Research (NDLR) 2010: Student and Postdoctoral Prize</u></p> <p>The NDLR2010 Organising and Scientific Committees in association with the conference host, the Leukaemia Foundation, are delighted to announce the following prizes may be awarded to the best student and postdoctoral poster or oral presentations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Leukaemia Foundation NDLR2010 Student Prize <p>At least three prizes to the value of \$1000 each will be offered to the students' with the best oral or poster presentations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Leukaemia Foundation NDLR2010 Postdoctoral or Clinical Fellow Prize <p>At least one prize to the value of \$1500 will be offered to the postdoctoral or clinical fellows' with the best oral or poster presentations.</p> <p>The prizes will be open to students who are enrolled in postgraduate studies (honours, masters or PhD) at the time of the conference and to postdoctoral or clinical fellows no more than three years post PhD at the time of the conference.</p> <p>The prize winners will be selected by committee based upon the best abstracts submitted. Prizes will be announced by the Leukaemia Foundation at the closing session of NDLR2010.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: http://www.nescent.org/science/postdoctoral.php.</p>	22 Jan 2010



> Upcoming Deadlines

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	<p><u>Radiological Society of North America (RSNA): Research Seed Grant</u></p> <p>To enable investigators throughout the world to gain experience in defining objectives and testing hypotheses in preparation for major grant applications to corporations, foundations, and governmental agencies. The data from these projects will indicate feasibility and appropriateness of the research prior to applying for funds from other agencies. The nature of the projects, are any area of research related to the radiologic sciences.</p>	
	<p>> Funding Opportunities Still Current from Previous Issues</p> <p>The Research Branch compiles a list of other funding opportunities that are still current and available for researchers. Please click the link to access information about funding and application instructions.</p>	
Health Sciences	<p>Applications are accepted from individuals throughout the world. The Applicant must hold a full-time faculty position in a department of radiology, radiation oncology, or nuclear medicine within an educational institution. Funding is available up to US\$40,000 for a 1-year project.</p> <p>For further information and application instructions, please visit: https://www.rsna.org/Foundation/ResearchSeedGrant.cfm</p>	30 Jan 2010
	<p><u>International Reading Association: Elva Night Research Grant</u></p>	

