# RGBD FUNDING BULLETIN

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The RGBD team is here to support you to apply, manage and report on your research and business initiatives. This is vital for financial managing and reporting, and strategic planning.

Please note that this bulletin is not exhaustive or conclusive. CDU researchers are advised to carefully vet bulletin information and to independently seek other funding opportunities.

**Highlights**

RGBD: CDU Pure Research Information System Information, Guides and the Login [here](#).

**Research Professional**

Research Professional (RP) is an online database that is designed to assist researchers to search for funding opportunities in all disciplines from a wide range of national and international funder/sponsors. The Office of Research and Innovation (ORI) maintains the subscription to RP and provides free access for Charles Darwin University researchers. Research Professional is now accessible through the CDU portal.

Researchers are encouraged to create their own account with personalised search alerts to deliver the most relevant funding opportunities into their inbox. Instructions on how to access RP and how to create a RP account through the CDU portal are available at this link: [How to access Research Professional through CDU Portal (410kb)](#).

**2019 Rainmaker Grants**

We would like to once again announce that Rainmaker 2019 is live. The Rainmaker scheme aims to encourage growth in research revenue to support research activity. The scheme provides funding to support external grant and tender application preparation. It is not designed to fully fund research activity or to support independent research and scholarship.

Rainmaker will be flexible in its approach to support growth in revenue from sponsored research and innovation. It consists of 4 interconnected schemes outlined in the guidelines.

For further information on guidelines and application forms please click on the following: [http://www.cdu.edu.au/research/ori/funding](http://www.cdu.edu.au/research/ori/funding). Please note applications for Rainmaker Readiness (Scheme 2) are subject to competitive review and will be accepted when the budget amount is determined, to be announced in Q2, 2019. Please also note that the current guidelines replaces all previous versions.

Please circulate details about the rainmaker opportunity amongst your colleagues.
New Items

**Open call for data and services project proposals**
Australian Research Data Commons
This supports projects in the area of transformative data collections or the institutional role in data commons. Grants are worth up to AUD 50,000 each and the expected project completion date is 15 September 2019.
Closing date: 01 May 19

**Northern Australia health service delivery situational analysis**
Cooperative Research Centre for Developing Northern Australia
The tenderer will collaborate with the CRCNA in developing a northern Australian health service delivery situational analysis. The budget is worth AUD 150,000.
Closing date: 03 May 19

**Open call for storage and compute project proposals**
Australian Research Data Commons
This supports projects that investigate the issues, current and future trends, gaps and requirements in, and for, research storage and compute infrastructures. A total of 10 grants are available, each worth up to AUD 50,000 and the project completion date of 13 September 2019.
Closing date: 10 May 19

**Green Talents Competition 2019: Call for Applications**
Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany
Every year, the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) hosts the prestigious "Green Talents – International Forum for High Potentials in Sustainable Development" to promote the international exchange of innovative green ideas. The award, under the patronage of Minister Anja Karliczek, honours young researchers each year. The winners come from numerous countries and scientific disciplines and are recognised for their outstanding achievements in making our societies more sustainable. Selected by a jury of German experts, the award winners are granted unique access to the country’s research elite.
The 2019 Green Talents award includes:
(1) an invitation to the fully funded two-week Science Forum 2019 in Germany, consisting of
   – a visit to leading German sustainable facilities, institutions and companies with exclusive insights on their pioneering research and projects
   – individual appointments with German experts of the winner’s choice to discuss possibilities for upcoming research and cooperation
   – networking opportunities at the award ceremony in Berlin with participating Green Talents alumni
(2) fully funded research stay of up to three months at a German institution of the award-winner’s choice in 2020
(3) access to the exclusive Green Talents alumni network.
Closing date: 22 May 19

**Internet operations research grants**
Information Society Innovation Fund
These support the development of an independent internet research community with the aim of improving the availability, reliability and security of the internet in the Asia-Pacific region, with a particular focus on operational stability and security. Three grants, each worth USD 20,000 for up to 12 months, are available.
Closing date: 30 May 19
**ABEF conservation grants**

BirdLife Australia  
These support projects that deliver bird and habitat conservation impacts. Grants are worth up to AUD 5,000 each.  
**Closing date: 31 May 19**

**Indigenous grant for bird research and conservation**

BirdLife Australia  
This facilitates the engagement of indigenous Australians in research and conservation projects of native birds in key biodiversity areas and nature hotspots. Grants are worth AUD 5,000 each.  
**Closing date: 31 May 19**

**Georgina Sweet award for women in quantitative biomedical science**

University of Melbourne  
This supports female scientists across Australia who demonstrate excellence in the area of quantitative biomedical science. Up to three awards, worth AUD 25,000 each, are available.  
**Closing date: 31 May 19**

**Partnership funding**

Consumer Policy Research Centre  
This facilitates collaborative consumer-focused research across government, industry community and academia and fosters high-quality research that develops a robust evidence base for policy or practice changes. The budget is AUD 100,000.  
**Closing date: 31 May 19**

**National Health and Medical Research Council-European Union Collaborative Research Grants scheme funding in 2019**

National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)  
The NHMRC-EU Collaborative Research Grants scheme provides a contribution to Australian institutions and researchers who are participating in leading international collaborative research that has been selected for funding through Horizon 2020. Horizon 2020 is currently the EU’s main instrument for funding research and development and will run until 2020.  
Further information on Horizon 2020, including the timing and application process for EU topics, is available from the EU website: [https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/)  
**Closing date: 31 May 19**

**Suicide Prevention Awareness Training Program for LGBTQI+ Youth EOI**

Northern Territory PHN  
NT PHN is funded by the Australian Government to develop and coordinate an equitable, comprehensive primary health care system and an engaged health workforce driven by community needs. NT PHN’s members are Aboriginal Medical Services Alliance Northern Territory (AMSANT), the Northern Territory Government Department of Health and Health Providers Alliance NT. NT PHN works closely with health consumers, community organisations and service providers in commissioning health services that are integrated across the health system.  
The EOI is open to suitable organisations located within the Northern Territory interested in providing LGBTQI+ Suicide Prevention Awareness Training Program targeting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander youth in the Greater Darwin Region.  
**Closing date: 02 Jun 19**
**Disaster risk, reduction and resilience**

Belmont Forum (IGFAGCR)

This supports transdisciplinary research on disaster reduction and resilience. Projects may last for three years.

**Closing date:** 10 Jun 19

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**NHMRC Postgraduate Scholarships scheme**

National Health and Medical Research Council

The NHMRC Postgraduate Scholarships scheme funds successful applicants to attain a research based postgraduate degree (Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) or Research Masters Degree).

The objective of the Postgraduate Scholarship scheme is to support outstanding graduates early in their careers so they can be trained to conduct health and medical research that is internationally competitive.

The intended outcome of the Postgraduate Scholarship scheme is to build research capacity within Australia

**Closing date:** 12 Jun 19

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**Research funding**

NSW Agency for Clinical Innovation

This supports research which informs and supports practical interventions and system-wide improvements in patient experiences and outcomes. The budget is AUD 240,000 and individual grants are worth up to AUD 30,000 each for 18 months.

**Closing date:** 14 Jun 19

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The EOI is open to eligible organisations to deliver training in suicide prevention early intervention and awareness and/or to establish and deliver innovative community-led initiatives aimed at increasing community resilience and mental wellness.

**Closing date:** 16 Jun 19

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**Re-invitation programme for Australia and New Zealand**

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) | Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst

This enables former research grant or study scholarship holders to carry out research and working projects in Germany. Grants are worth up to €2,150 per month over one to three months.

**Closing date:** 15 Oct 19
Coming Soon

**Cooperative research centres projects grants – short term, industry-led collaborative research**

Department of Industry, Innovation and Science

*** This opportunity will be available soon. The next call is expected to open in the second half of 2019. The following information is subject to change. These grants support short-term industry-led collaborations focused on developing new technologies, products and services. Grants are worth up to AUD 3 million each over three years. ***

Closing date: 28 Sep 19 (Forecast)
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