

Advance Queensland Research Fellowships

About the program

Advance Queensland focuses on growing the economy and creating jobs. This includes investing in science and innovation in order to attract and retain the best and brightest research minds, build Queensland's reputation and capacity to conduct innovative research and development, deliver new products and services for Queenslanders, and establish new industries that will provide jobs for the future.

The Advance Queensland Research Fellowships support innovative research that will have a positive impact on Queensland.

The following grants are available:

- early-career fellowships - **\$180,000** over three years (excluding GST)
- mid-career fellowships - **\$300,000** over three years (excluding GST).

Benefits

The Advance Queensland Research Fellowships program will:

- support innovative, practical and applied research
- support emerging research leaders to establish research reputations by leading and managing research projects
- ensure female researchers and regionally-based researchers are awarded fellowships to establish or continue their research careers
- address the 'brain drain' by attracting from overseas or interstate, or retaining from within Queensland, the best and brightest research minds to Queensland
- foster increased linkage and closer collaboration with industry organisations

- deliver tangible social, economic, environmental and/or regional benefits for Queensland in the next five years.

Eligibility criteria

To apply for an Advance Queensland Research Fellowship you must:

- be an Australian citizen, or secure Australian residency for the duration of the fellowship
- have a PhD research qualification with post-PhD research experience.
- have a research proposal that addresses one of the [Queensland Science and Research Priorities](#)
- have a Queensland-based research sponsor organisation
- have one or more industry or end-user partner organisations that will progress the translation and practical application of the research
- have combined cash funding that equals or exceeds the Queensland Government funding
- spend at least 50 per cent of your fellowship located with an industry/end-user partner

How to apply

Applications for the Advance Queensland Research Fellowships must be submitted online and close 5.00pm, Friday **16 October 2015**.

Further information

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