**AHWRS application for research funding**

**Information**

## Background:

AHWRS is seeking to support original scientific research projects commencing in 2021 into any form of hair biology or towards the treatment of any disorder of the hair and scalp.

Applications up to ***$250,000 per annum*** will be considered.

Submitting this form does not guarantee acceptance of funding.

## Lodgement:

Submit this form to enquiries@ahwrs.org.au. Your Response is to be lodged no later than: ***5pm (AEST) on 31/08/2020*** ("Response Closing Date').

You are solely responsible for ensuring that your ***Response*** is submitted prior to the ***Response Closing Date.*** We reserve the right to extend the ***Response Closing Date*** at our discretion.

## No Research Contract

This EOI is not a recommendation, offer or invitation to enter into a contract, agreement or other arrangement for any research project. No binding contract or other understanding (including, without limitation; quasi-contractual rights, any equitable rights, promissory estoppels or rights with a similar legal basis) for any research project will exist between us unless and until a formal written contract is agreed and signed by us.

## Intellectual Property

Please indicate if you believe any matter concerning intellectual property is likely to arise which should be resolved at or prior to commencement of the funding. AAAF would like to publish research updates and findings on their website.

## Reports

Annual progress reports are required. These reports will be used for public relations and to assist the Research Committee if further funding is sought. A final report as well as a copy of your thesis is to be submitted on completion of the project.

## Own Cost

All costs and expenses incurred by you in any way associated with the development, preparation and submission of your ***Response***, including but not limited to attendance at meetings, discussions and providing any additional material required by us, will be borne entirely and exclusively by you.

## Eligibility Requirement

Applicants must be an Australian Citizen or have Permanent Resident Status and not be under bond to any foreign government. Applicants are to provide evidence of citizenship or residential status.

## Notification

The AHWRS Research Review SubCommittee will provide feedback prior to November 2020.

## Checklist

Before submitting your application please ensure:

[ ]  Applicants meets all eligibility criteria

[ ]  All sections of the form (1-11) have been completed

[ ]  CV for PI and senior supervisor/mentor has been included

**Application form**

1. **Name of the supervisor and other investigators**
2. **Institution(s) where the project will be carried out**
3. **Other Grants**

(Details of other grants held, or applied for, relating to the research)

1. **Title of the research**
2. **Aims of the project**

(Aims of the project, including background information to establish rationale for the project and potential significance of the project.)

1. **Research plans** (Include methodology)
2. **Budget** (Amount requested and justification). Proposals should be fully costed and authorised by the applicant’s organisation. Applications for funding should be based on estimated expenditure and all figures should be entered in AUD. Please provide details of equipment, consumables or other expenses (i.e. salaries) explaining what each item will be used for and its cost.

**Salaries:**

**Consumables:**

**Equipment:**

**Travel:**

**Other:**

**Total amount requested (AUD):**

1. **Breakdown of costs:**
2. **Previous research experience**

(Include publications and all previous research experience of the applicant)

1. **Projected dates** (Include commencement and conclusion of project)
2. **Additional funding**

(Need, if any, for ongoing funding on completion)

1. **Approval from appropriate ethics committee**

**Is ethical approval required for your proposed study? Yes** [ ]  **No** [ ]

If ethical approval is required:

Do you already have Ethics Committee approvals in place? **Yes** [ ]  **No** [ ]

If YES, describe approval and enter date of approval:

If NO, describe remaining steps and when is approval expected?

**Declaration**

I have read, understood and agree to abide by AHWRS research integrity policy:

I have read, understood and accept the terms and conditions of accepting an award from AHWRS.

**Privacy details**

In order to evaluate your application, the data that you submit via this form will be shared with the AHWRS Research Review SubCommittee. We will store your data securely and only authorised personnel will be able to access it.

If your application is unsuccessful, we will delete your application data from our systems three years from the deadline for this grant. If your application is successful, we will hold your application data for seven years in order to administer the grant and for subsequent reporting.

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