

NEW STAFF RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT SCHEME GUIDELINES 2023

APPLICATIONS CLOSE 2 June 2023

The goal of the **FoSH New Staff Research Establishment Scheme** is to provide support for newly employed academic staff to establish their research and research output as they make the transition to Charles Sturt University. Funding for this scheme will close on 2 June 2023 (or earlier if the funding is exhausted).

Eligibility

New Academic appointments in the last 12 months at all levels: It is recognised that all new academic staff, including those appointed at higher levels who bring existing projects with them, will benefit from funding for new as well as ongoing research activities. Staff who have received establishment funding previously are not eligible to apply.

Appointment: All on-going new appointments and those on long-term contracts of 2 years or more are eligible to apply for a Research Establishment Grant.

Work function: Academic staff appointed to either teaching/research or research only positions within the faculty are eligible to apply for a Research Establishment Grant.

Field of research: Applicants must explain how their research Field of Research aligns with the priority areas for their school and faculty. Please discuss this with your Associate Head of School Research and Graduate Studies.

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Budget

The Faculty will provide up to **\$5,000** for approved activities. Funds will be available for use until 1 December 2023 and may be requested for activities that directly support research capacity building and the establishment of the staff member's research career. For example:

- research or editorial assistance, e.g., literature searching/compilation or other activities directly related to the completion/submission of publications or grant applications
- travel costs to meet with co-investigators or industry partners
- purchase of equipment.

Please note that teaching relief is not an approved activity for this grant scheme

Budget requests must be justified by detailed costings. Travel costs must be in line with CSU travel policy. Research assistant hours and rates must be specified and based on current DPC salary guidelines.

Application process

Application and supporting documentation (including HOS endorsement, itinerary, quotes) must be submitted as a single PDF attachment to tri-faculty-research@csu.edu.au by 2 June 2023. Late applications will not be accepted, and Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Application and supporting documentation must be submitted as a single PDF file and should be named according to the following convention:

"Surname_FoSH Establishment 2023" e.g. "Rasmussen_FoSH Establishment 2023 "

Reporting Requirements

A one-page report detailing resultant research productivity is required by 31 January 2024. Final report forms are available from tri-faculty-research@csu.edu.au

Recipients are also encouraged to consider:

- liaising with CSU media to promote their research activity
- presenting an overview of their research activity to their School or Faculty