



2020 Grants & Philanthropic Funding

Project Work

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About this resource

Museums & Galleries Queensland has compiled a listing of grant and philanthropic funding opportunities of interest to museums, galleries and other collecting institutions in Queensland.

Funds for 'Project Work' could include the following:

- Exhibitions, including touring exhibitions
- Public programs and community events
- Collection projects
- Crowdfunding

Disclaimer

This resource, created by Museums & Galleries Queensland, is intended as a starting point only and does not necessarily represent all levels of funding available to any particular group. This information is also subject to change. Grant seekers should check the funding body's website and speak to a funding body representative before applying. This listing does not include: funding for film, television or radio projects; sponsorship opportunities; or funding for commercial/for-profit arts businesses.

ACCESS AND INCLUSION COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

Brisbane City Council

Funds: \$2,000 – \$50,000

Closes: 4 April 2020

Purpose: This program is designed to assist community organisations to undertake projects that deliver Council's *Brisbane Vision 2031* and its priorities to maintain or improve quality of life for the Brisbane community, and to ensure that Brisbane has the services and infrastructure to meet the livability and sustainability challenges of the future.

Eligible applicants: Incorporated not-for-profit community organisations and networks, or unincorporated groups under the auspices of an incorporated not-for-profit organisation based in the Brisbane local government area; or demonstrate that the activity will take place in the Brisbane local government area.

Eligible projects: Must directly benefit residents of the City of Brisbane local authority area and could include: improvements of the accessibility of community facilities, services or venues; support initiatives and partnerships in response to challenges experienced by people with a disability and their carers; remove barriers to access and inclusion in local community sport, recreation, cultural and social activities; remove barriers to inclusion in community services.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak to the Access and Inclusion Partnership Program Officer Email: accessandinclusionplan@brisbane.qld.gov.au

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/community-grants/access-and-inclusion-community-partnership-program

ANZ COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

The Australian and New Zealand Banking Group Ltd

Funds: Up to \$30,000

Closes: 30 June 2020

Purpose: To support projects run by charitable organisations which offer a direct and tangible benefit to local communities. ANZ staff are encouraged to volunteer their time and skills to support funded projects, where this would add value to the charitable organisation.

Eligible applicants: Organisations must be charitable and have Deductible Gift Recipient status.

Eligible projects: Community projects that relate to one or more of the following areas:

- Improving financial wellbeing, particularly for under-represented and disadvantaged people in our community, including initiatives that improve economic participation, e.g. through building financial literacy and vocational skills and providing access to meaningful work.
- Other community projects that assist local communities to thrive.

Contact: Email: charities@eqt.com.au

Website: eqt.com.au/philanthropy/grant-funding/folder-other-grants/anz-community-foundation

ARMY HISTORY RESEARCH GRANTS SCHEME

Australian Government – Department of Defence

Funds: \$15,000

Closes: 13 March 2020

Purpose: Values new research that identifies how Army specifically has approached challenges in the past, and which is accessible to both Army and the public.

Eligible applicants: Individuals.

Eligible projects: The areas of research fall into three broad categories: Military Organisation and Operations; Military Social History; Military Heritage and Technology. Grant may be used to cover travel and accommodation costs and research expenses.

Ineligible projects: Family history of military service; commemorative projects; artistic works; projects that are limited to a small local or regional audience.

Contact: ahu.enquiries@defence.gov.au

Website: army.gov.au/our-history/australian-army-history-unit/army-history-research-grants

ARTS AND DISABILITY MENTORING INITIATIVE 2019-21

Australia Council for the Arts

Funds: 6 grants of \$30,000

Closes: 14 April 2020, 6 April 2021

Purpose: This program is for individuals with disability undertaking an artistic collaboration involving mentoring. The proposal should lead to a major step forward in the applicant's arts practice, and build foundations for an enduring career. The purpose is to support collaborations that fuel ambition, embolden ideas and innovation, build networks and capacity, and strengthen future works.

Eligible applicants: Australian (citizen or permanent resident) artist or arts worker with disability.

Eligible projects: Should include a mentoring component. Some examples of activities are: collaboration, professional skills development, residencies, experimentation, creation of new work, creative development, practice-based research, presentation, promotion or marketing, inbound and outbound travel.

Contact: Phone: 02 9215 9000 Email: enquiries@australiacouncil.gov.au

Website: australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/funding-index/arts-and-disability-mentoring-initiative-2019-21/

ARTS PROJECTS – INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS

Australia Council for the Arts

Funds: \$10,000 – \$50,000

Closes: Suspended until further notice

Purpose: To support a range of activities that deliver benefits to the arts sector and wider public, including national and international audiences.

Eligible applicants: Applicants must be a practicing artist or arts worker and an Australian citizen or an Australian permanent resident.

Eligible projects: Examples of activities this grant supports include the creation of new work, practice based research, creative development, experimentation, collaborations, touring, festivals, productions, exhibitions, performances, publishing, recording and market development activity.

Contact: Phone: 02 9215 9000 Toll free: 1800 226 912 Email: enquiries@australiacouncil.gov.au

Website: <https://www.australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/funding-index/arts-projects-for-individuals-and-groups/>

ARTS PROJECTS – ORGANISATIONS

Australia Council for the Arts

Funds: \$10,000 – \$100,000

Closes: Suspended until further notice

Purpose: To support a range of activities that deliver benefits to the arts sector and wider public, including national and international audiences.

Eligible applicants: Organisations that undertake arts programs, projects or that provide services to artists.

Ineligible applicants: Major performing arts organisation.

Eligible projects: Examples of activities this grant supports include: the creation of new work, practice-based research, creative development, experimentation, collaborations, touring, festivals, productions, exhibitions, performances, publishing, services to develop the arts sector, promotion and marketing.

Contact: Phone: 02 9215 9000 Toll-free: 1800 226 912 Email: enquiries@australiacouncil.gov.au

Website: australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/funding-index/arts-projects-organisations/

AUSTRALIAN CULTURAL DIPLOMACY GRANTS PROGRAM

Australian Government – Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Funds: Up to \$60,000

Closes: 18 June 2020

Purpose: Bushfire Renewal Round will focus on supporting the building, rebuilding and promotion of the creative industries in bushfire-affected areas of Australia.

Eligible applicants: Australian not-for-profit organisation; local government body; state/territory government body; or statutory authority.

Eligible projects: Project costs can cover: communication and translation; venue hire and catering; advertising and promotion, graphic design, photography and printed material; production costs, including freight and artists' wages. Grant funds can only be spent on eligible activities as defined in the grant agreement.

Eligible projects: Travel and accommodation expenses; communication and translation; venue hire and catering; advertising and promotion; production costs.

Ineligible projects: Project cannot cover: capital expenditure; salaries; ongoing administrative costs; school activities; scholarships.

Contact: Australian Cultural Diplomacy Grants Program Secretariat Phone: 02 6261 1111 Email: Cultural.Diplomacy@dfat.gov.au

Website: dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/public-diplomacy/acdgp/Pages/acdgp-guidelines.aspx
www.grants.gov.au

AUSTRALIA-JAPAN FOUNDATION GRANT

Australian Government – Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Funds: \$10,000 – \$40,000

Closes: 26 March 2020

Purpose: To encourage the development of long-term links between individuals and institutions in Australia and their counterparts in Japan, reflecting contemporary Australia.

Eligible applicants: Australian citizens or permanent residents of Australia, organisations with an ABN, a registered charity or not-for-profit, local government body, state or territory government body, corporate commonwealth entity, statutory authority, or a Japanese citizen or organisation.

Eligible projects: Flights, accommodation, travel allowances, communication and translation, venue hire, advertising and promotion, productions costs (including artist wages). Arts/Culture projects would preferably be a collaboration between Australian and Japanese partners and demonstrate innovative ideas and/or approaches conceptually or in its delivery.

Contact: Phone: 02 6261 3898 Email: ajf.australia@dfat.gov.au

Website: dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/foundations-councils-institutes/australia-japan-foundation/grants/Pages/australia-japan-foundation-grant-guidelines.aspx

BALNAVES FOUNDATION

Funds: Variable

Closes: Applications accepted anytime

Purpose: The Foundation supports organisations that aim to create a better Australia through education, medicine and the arts with a focus on young people, the disadvantaged, and Indigenous communities.

Eligible applicants: Organisations with deductible gift recipient status (DGR).

Contact: Phone: 02 9336 8200 Email: info@balnavesfoundation.com

Website: balnavesfoundation.com

BRISBANE HISTORY GRANTS – COMMUNITY HISTORY GRANTS

Brisbane City Council

Funds: \$5,000 – \$20,000

Closes: Closed – check website for next round

Purpose: The Community History Grants support projects that increase the community's access to, and appreciation of Brisbane's history and heritage; and projects that raise the profile and accessibility of Brisbane's history and heritage.

Eligible applicants: Be an incorporated not-for-profit organisation residing in the Brisbane Local Government Area (LGA).

Eligible projects: Projects that can demonstrate that the grant will be used for community benefit with a public outcome and occur within the Brisbane Local Government Area (LGA) or are able to demonstrate benefits to Brisbane LGA.

Ineligible projects: Retrospective funding, private commercial ventures, an organisation's general running costs, equipment alone, event or conference sponsorship, fundraising projects, prizes and award ceremonies, projects that are core program funding responsibility of another level of government, debt repayment.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak with a Creative Development Officer or the Grants Unit.

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/creative-and-history-grants/brisbane-history-grants

BRISBANE HISTORY GRANTS – THE LORD MAYOR’S HELEN TAYLOR RESEARCH AWARD FOR LOCAL HISTORY

Brisbane City Council

Funds: \$20,000

Closes: Closed – check website for next round

Purpose: The Lord Mayor’s Helen Taylor Research Award for Local History supports history students and independent researchers undertaking history or heritage projects which have a focus on informing or educating the public about local history or heritage.

Eligible applicants: Individuals located in the Brisbane Local Government Area.

Eligible projects: Projects that can demonstrate that the grant will be used for community benefit with a public outcome and occur within the Brisbane Local Government Area (LGA) or are able to demonstrate benefits to Brisbane LGA. Individuals must also demonstrate professional research and scholarship.

Ineligible projects: Retrospective funding, private commercial ventures, an organisation’s general running costs, equipment alone, event or conference sponsorship, fundraising projects, prizes and award ceremonies, projects that are core program funding responsibility of another level of government, debt repayment.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak with a Creative Development Officer or the Grants Unit.

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/creative-and-history-grants/brisbane-history-grants

BUILDING BETTER REGIONS FUND – COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS STREAM – DROUGHT SUPPORT

Australian Government – Department of Industry, Innovation and Science

Funds: \$5,000 – \$1 million

Closes: 19 December 2019. Check website for next round

Purpose: To fund new or expanded local events, strategic regional plans, and leadership and capability strengthening activities.

Eligible applicants: Legal entity with an ABN and be a local governing body, or a not-for-profit organisation.

Eligible projects: Project must be aimed at new or expanded local events, strategic regional plans, or leadership and capability strengthening activities that provide economic and social benefits to regional and remote areas. Comprise one of the following activities:

- Local events, such as art and culture events, community and public events, attracting new businesses or economic opportunities, community sporting events, or events which attract tourists and visitors to a region.
- Strategic planning, such as regional skills audit, research projects to support regional development strategic plans, or collecting socio-economic information.
- Regional leadership and capability, such as leadership courses, participation and community building measures for young people, or participation in activities to improve local business and industry leadership capability.

Contact: Phone: 13 28 46

Website: business.gov.au/Grants-and-Programs/Building-Better-Regions-Fund-Community-

COMMUNITY GRANTS

Gandel Philanthropy

Funds: Up to \$40,000

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: Aimed at supporting the delivery of programs that are of a smaller scale and can generally be completed within 12 months.

Eligible applicants: Charitable organisations that have Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1) and endorsed as a Tax Concession Charity.

Eligible projects: For a specific activity; a component of a program; purchase of equipment or refurbishment; support for a research project, etc. Priority will be given to those projects that assist the most marginalized or vulnerable groups in the community.

Contact: Phone: 03 8564 1288 Email: info@gandelphilanthropy.org.au

Website: gandelphilanthropy.org.au/grant-information/grant-levels-and-areas-of-interest/

COMMUNITY GRANTS

Westpac Foundation

Funds: Up to \$10,000

Closes: Subscribe to receive updates

Purpose: To support local, grassroots not-for-profit organisations providing educational opportunities, employment pathways or improving the quality of life of disadvantaged Australians in local the community.

Eligible applicants: Organisations that:

- Be endorsed as, or auspiced by, a Deductible Gift Recipient (Item 1) with the Australian Taxation Office
- Have an annual gross revenue of less than \$5,000,000 per annum
- The organisations principle objective is focused on addressing social disadvantage in Australia in the following target groups: Indigenous Australians, refugees, women at risk, youth at risk (aged 12+), people living with disability or homeless populations

Eligible projects: Projects that will make a demonstrable positive impact for local communities in our target groups (namely Indigenous Australians, refugees, youth at risk, women at risk, people living with a disability or homeless populations) by providing educational opportunities, employment pathways or improving the quality of life for people in need, and costs to run such projects including operating expenses and salaries (but not capital costs).

Ineligible projects: Hospitals, hospices or medical centres; medical research, funding for medical equipment or medical treatments; rescue services; schools, colleges and universities; sponsorship or funding towards a marketing appeal/event or fundraising activities; capital projects, major equipment, appeals and refurbishments; projects that support animals or to promote animal welfare; programs promoting religion; sporting equipment and clubs that do not focus on our target groups.

Contact: Phone: 1300 851 357 Email: westpacfoundation@westpac.com.au

Website: westpac.com.au/about-westpac/our-foundations/westpac-foundation/grants/community-grants/

COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME

Harold Mitchell Foundation

Funds: Up to \$10,000

Closes: Subscribe to receive notifications of next round

Purpose: To fund programs in health, education and the arts that make a difference in Australia and our region.

Eligible applicants: Organisations with Deductible Gift Recipient status and Tax Concession Charity, or auspicing arrangements may apply.

Ineligible applicants: For profit business, individuals, political parties, private schools.

Eligible projects: Your project or activity must pertain to the field of arts, education or health. Contact the organisation directly to ascertain the current year's theme.

Ineligible projects: Capital works, fundraising, retrospective funding, projects outside of Australia.

Contact: Email: info@hmfoundation.com.au

Website: hmfoundation.com.au

CONTEMPORARY TOURING INITIATIVE

Australia Council for the Arts

Funds: Variable

Closes: 4 February 2020

Purpose: To support significant exhibitions of work by living contemporary visual artists and craft practitioners that reach and engage national audiences, and extend into regional communities.

Eligible applicants: Organisations.

Eligible projects: Costs of research; development and design of the exhibition, including partnership development, critical writing, artist fees; commissioning of new work; the costs of touring, including exhibition production, installation, freight, engagement, promotion, public programs, artist residencies etc.

Ineligible projects: Core salaries.

Contact: Phone: 02 9215 9000 Toll Free: 1800 226 912 Email: enquiries@australiacouncil.gov.au

Website: australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/funding-index/contemporary-touring-initiative

CREATIVE SPARKS PROGRAM

Brisbane City Council

Funds: Up to \$10,000

Closes: Closed – check website for next round

Purpose: The grant program aims to support artists, arts workers and creative producers in the development of new work, products and partnerships that extend creative practices; ensure diversity of creative expression is accessible for the Brisbane community; provide cultural, social and economic outcomes that benefit and add value to Brisbane.

Eligible applicants: Individual professional artists, arts worker, cultural worker and producers who are residents of the Brisbane local government area and are permanent residents or Australian citizens. Incorporated arts or cultural organisations based in the Brisbane local government area.

Unincorporated organisations, auspiced by an incorporated body that is based in the Brisbane local government area.

Eligible projects: There are three funding categories:

- Creative projects – funding for emerging talent for experimentation and risk taking in original and unique projects in any art form that enriches the creative life of Brisbane.
- Creative development – funding to advance the development of a new work, concept, project, collaboration or practice. The project application will provide evidence of outcomes that have the potential to advance career prospects, and may include but not be limited to: presentation, masterclasses, training and mentoring.
- Creative Economy – funding for developed artistic or creative projects to be realised or presented professionally in partnership agreements. The application will provide evidence of a matched funding strategy.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak to the Creative Development Officer or the Grants Unit.

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/creative-and-history-grants/creative-sparks-grants-program

CULTURAL FUND

Copyright Agency Limited

Funds: \$5,000 - \$20,000

Closes: 11 May 2020, 12 June 2020

Purpose: The Cultural Fund provides support to organisations for projects that deliver opportunities for authors, journalists, artists and key industry stakeholders in the writing, publishing, education, and visual arts sectors.

Eligible applicants: Legally constituted organisations and incorporated associations.

Eligible projects: Activities supported include skills development and professional development opportunities for writers and visual arts and people working in publishing; artists' fees for new commissions presented by art galleries; mentorships, residencies, internships for writers, visual artists and publishers; writers' and visual artists' fees for industry-led conferences; writers' and visual artists' fees for projects with educational and cultural institutions; awards and prizes for writers and visual artists; professional development programs run by writing, publishing and visual arts industry associations; Indigenous-led organisations to deliver projects to benefit Indigenous writers and visual artists.

Ineligible projects: The Cultural Fund does not support activities of projects where writers or visual artists are not paid a fee; community-based writing programs; university-based writer/artist-in-residency programs which do not connect with audiences outside the university; translations into other languages; projects which do not connect with audiences; publishing and exhibition costs; website development or maintenance costs; digitisation of catalogues of work; business or overhead costs; capital and building works; staff salaries; exhibition openings.

Contact: Phone: 02 9394 7600 Email: culturalfund@copyright.com.au

Website: copyright.com.au/culturalfund/grants-for-organisations/

EMERGENCY ACTION FUNDING GRANTS PROGRAM

Copyright Agency Limited

Funds: \$5,000 - \$20,000

Closes: 13 May 2020

Purpose: To support Australian writers, visual artists, publishers and key stakeholders adversely impacted by COVID-19.

Eligible applicants: Individual writers, visual artists and creative organisations. Funding to creative organisations should ideally be matched from other sources.

Contact: Phone: 02 9394 7600 Email: culturalfund@copyright.com.au

Website: copyright.com.au/culturalfund/new-grants-for-covid-19/

FESTIVALS AUSTRALIA

Australian Government – Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

Funds: Variable

Closes: 22 March 2020

Purpose: To support community participation in, and access to, the arts and aims to support partnerships and collaboration across the sector.

Eligible applicants: Regional artists, arts workers, and organisations can apply for arts and cultural projects that encourage community participation and audience engagement from people living in regional and remote communities in a festival or community celebration.

Eligible projects: High-quality arts and cultural heritage projects that invite community participation and audience engagement. Projects can include but are not limited to a parade, performance, workshop, installation or exhibition.

Contact: Phone: 1800 590 577 Email: festivals@arts.gov.au

Website: arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/festivals-australia

FLAGSHIP GRANTS

Gandel Philanthropy

Funds: \$250,000 - \$2 million

Closes: By invitation only

Purpose: To provide significant support to undertake initiatives that will help strengthen, or build, more resilient, more vibrant and more inclusive communities.

Eligible applicants: Charitable organisations that have Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1) and endorsed as a Tax Concession Charity.

Contact: Phone: 03 8564 1288 Email: info@gandelphilanthropy.org.au

Website: gandelphilanthropy.org.au/grant-information/grant-levels-and-areas-of-interest

FLYING START PROGRAM GRANT

Jetstar

Funds: \$30,000 comprising \$15,000 in Jetstar travel and \$15,000 cash

Closes: End of March and September each year

Purpose: To help community groups and organisations across Australia to fund projects that make a positive impact and enrich the lives of people in their community.

Eligible applicants: Australian not-for-profit community groups and organisations of any size. Charities, education and health organisations, arts groups or organisations, or sporting organisations.

Contact: Email: flyingstart@jetstar.com

Website: jetstar.com/au/en/flying-start

FREEDMAN FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR CURATORS

National Association for the Visual Arts

Funds: \$8,000

Closes: Suspended until further notice

Purpose: To assist early career curators to develop their practice through overseas travel.

Eligible applicants: Early career curator; Australian citizen or permanent resident.

Eligible projects: Can be used towards the cost of overseas travel to undertake a residency, internship or mentorship; or undertake a self-initiated curatorial project which may include establishing valuable contacts, conducting studios visits, and researching current international practices and exhibition programs.

Contact: Phone: 1800 046 282 Email: nava@visualarts.net.au

Website: visualarts.net.au/nava-grants/

GAMBLING COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND

Queensland Government – Department of Justice and Attorney-General

Funds: \$500 – \$35,000

Closes: 29 February 2020, 30 April 2020, 30 June 2020, 31 August 2020, 31 October 2020

Purpose: Grants are allocated to not-for-profit community groups to enhance their capacity to provide services, leisure activities and opportunities for Queensland communities.

Eligible applicants: Applications must be from community-based organisations with not-for-profit objectives that is incorporated or registered as an act of parliament (or sponsored by an organisation incorporated or registered as an Act of Parliament).

Eligible projects: The Gambling Community Benefit Fund website lists funding priorities for each round. Check the website for updated details.

Priority 1: Items/facilities directly affected, damaged or destroyed by a declared natural disaster in the last 2 years

Priority 2: Equipment and facility improvements

Priority 3: Buses, cars, caravans, boats, tractors, trailers, large mowers, motorbikes and similar items

Priority 4: Community events, training, workshops, festivals, publications and website development

Priority 5: Organisations that have received a grant or grants from the GCBF of more than \$15,000 in the past two years.

Unlikely to be funded projects: Salaries and wages; administration expenses such as stationery, postage, office supplies; rent and lease costs; consumable items; uniforms; catering.

Ineligible projects: Grant writer fees, contingency costs, repayment of debts and loans, overseas travel costs, project management fees, gifts, funding for a staff or member social event.

Contact: Phone: 1800 633 619 Email: cbf@justice.qld.gov.au

Website: justice.qld.gov.au/initiatives/community-grants

GOOGLE AD GRANTS

Google

Funds: Variable

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: To empower non-profit organisations through \$10,000 per month of in-kind AdWords advertising to promote their missions and initiatives on Google.

Eligible applicants: Organisations must be institutions or funds that have either been endorsed as such in Australia by the Commissioner of Taxation, or prescribed as charitable institutions in the Income Tax Assessment Regulations of 1997 and have Deductible Gift Recipient status. Organisations need to have a website.

Contact: Enquiries can be sent via <https://support.google.com/adwords/go/contactus>

Website: google.com.au/intl/en/grants/how-it-works/index.html

GORDON DARLING FOUNDATION

Funds: Variable

Closes: 7 January, 31 May, 23 September each year

Purpose: The Foundation provides funding for a range of visual arts projects Australia-wide.

Eligible applicants: Public Institutions in Australia. Individuals wishing to apply for funding for projects are required to partner with a Public Institution which then takes responsibility for the project.

Eligible projects: Funding may be provided for:

- Catalogues and publications
- Marketing or promotional costs, if they aim to reach new audiences
- Professional education initiatives, including individual professional development
- Collection management initiatives, including database development and conservation
- Research projects leading to the recognition and publication of material of significance
- Internationally known speakers for symposia

Ineligible projects: Capital works, general or core activities, retrospective funding, recurrent funding of a project.

Contact: Phone: 03 9820 3168, Email: gdarling@bigpond.net.au

Website: gordondarlingfoundation.org.au/guidelines.php

THE GULF AREA SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT TRUST

Queensland Community Foundation

Funds: Up to \$30,000

Closes: Opens September 2020

Purpose: To promote the interests and welfare of residents of the Gulf Area Community by supporting projects and initiatives that encourage educational, health, cultural and social development.

Eligible applicants: The applicant must have Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1) in accordance with the requirements of the Australian Taxation Office. Must service the communities of Burke Shire Council, Carpentaria Shire Council, Doomadgee Aboriginal Shire Council and Mornington Shire Council.

Contact: Kate Kyle, Department of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships Phone: 07 4796 7892 Email: kate.kyle@datsip.qld.gov.au

Website: qcf.org.au/grants/the-gulf-area-social-development-trust/

HISTORICAL ORGANISATION ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM

Brisbane City Council

Funds: \$2,000 - \$10,000

Closes: Currently closed – check website for next round

Purpose: Provides multi-year funding to build sustainability and capacity of cultural heritage and historical organisations in delivering history and heritage activities in Brisbane.

Eligible applicants: Not-for-profit organisation based in the Brisbane local government area that operates as a facility that is linked to Brisbane's history and/or heritage that is accessible to the public.

Eligible projects: Telephone and internet costs, website development, utility bills, stationery, photocopying, audit fees, management systems, strategic and operational planning, marketing and communication plans, policy and procedure development, collections care and product development, improving access to collections, significance assessments and preservation needs assessments, conservation activities and collection management, staff professional development including lectures, education, training and workshops.

Ineligible projects: Prizes and awards, private collections, memorials and plaques, capital works, salaries and wages, rent.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak to the Creative Development Officer.

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/creative-and-history-grants/historical-organisation-assistance-grant-program/guidelines

IMPACT FUNDING

Perpetual Trustee Company

Funds: \$10,000 – \$100,000 – average grant is \$70,000

Closes: Closed – check website for next round

Purpose: It allows philanthropists and not-for-profits to connect and allow these organisations to demonstrate how they improve outcomes for the communities in which they operate.

Eligible applicants: Organisations that are a registered charity and/or Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1).

Eligible projects: A range of projects at different developmental stages including pilot and existing projects, capacity building, support for early career researchers and operational costs.

Ineligible projects: Retrospective funding, fundraising appeals (including general capital appeals),

funding for individuals.

Contact: Phone: 1800 501 227 Email: philanthropy@perpetual.com.au

Website: perpetual.com.au/advice-and-trustee-services/impact-philanthropy/impact-funding

INDIGENOUS LANGUAGES AND ARTS PROGRAM

Australian Government – Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

Funds: Up to \$100,000 a year for up to 2 years

Closes: 30 June 2020

Purpose: Supports Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities to revive and maintain languages, and to develop and present art.

Eligible applicants: Organisations that support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities through languages and arts. Applicants must be a separate legal entity, such as an incorporated association or a company with an Australian Business Number (ABN) and be registered for the Goods and Services Tax (GST), if required by the Australian Tax Office.

Eligible projects: Eligible projects include, but are not limited to: multi-media arts or languages projects that engage young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, traditional Indigenous arts and craft production, film, contemporary or traditional music production or performance, photography and arts, traditional storytelling, the teaching of languages.

Contact: Phone: 1800 006 992 Email: ila@arts.gov.au

Website: arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/indigenous-languages-and-arts-program

INDIGENOUS REGIONAL ARTS DEVELOPMENT FUND

Queensland Government

Funds: Up to \$25,000

Closes: 6 February 2020

Purpose: Supports keeping culture strong through passing on of cultural knowledge and practice by recognised, respected Elders, leaders and peers; and supports activities where the community and individuals are engaged in arts practice, skills development and participation.

Eligible projects: Funds can be distributed to a variety of individuals and groups such as local artists, cultural workers or community members.

Eligible applicants: Indigenous Council and host organisations.

Contact: Danelle Nicol, Manager, Backing Indigenous Arts, Phone: 07 4088 1015 Email: danelle.nicol@arts.wqld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/recreation/arts/funding/organisations/indigenous

INDIVIDUALS FUND

Arts Queensland

Funds: Up to \$10,000

Closes: 21 April 2020

Purpose: For individual artists and cultural workers (emerging and established) to participate in transformational professional and career development opportunities.

Eligible applicants: Queensland based, individual artists and artswriters.

Eligible projects: Objectives are to:

- Propel careers to the next level of professionalism
- Reward and recognise outstanding individual artists and cultural workers
- Fast track development of talent and leadership
- Develop new markets and new audiences for new work
- Offer significant and inspirational opportunities for professional development and to expand industry networks
- Building digital skill
- Small project activities
- Digital delivery of works.

Contact: Phone: 07 3034 4016 or Toll Free: 1800 175 531 Email: investment@arts.qld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/recreation/arts/funding/individuals/fund

INNOVATION GRANTS PROGRAM

Brisbane City Council

Funds: \$30,000

Closes: Closed – check website for next round

Purpose: The Innovation Grants Program is designed to support and encourage the growth of new creative businesses, partnerships and start-ups.

Eligible applicants: Individuals, an incorporated organisation, unincorporated organisation or small business based in the Brisbane local government area.

Eligible projects: The advancement of the development of a creative enterprise through one, or a combination of the following: an innovative product, an innovative project, an innovative collaboration, an innovative business idea.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak with the Creative Development Officer or the Grants Unit.

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/creative-and-history-grants/innovation-grants-program

INTERNATIONAL ARTS STRATEGY OUTCOMES FUND

Australia Council for the Arts

Funds: \$5,000 - \$30,000

Closes: Suspended until further notice

Purpose: This fund provides support for artists and arts organisations to respond to opportunities and develop networks in target international markets that directly follow on from strategic initiatives delivered by the Australia Council.

Eligible applicants: Individuals, groups and organisations.

Eligible projects: The fund prioritises outcomes that directly involve and benefit Australian artists, for example tours, presentations, exhibitions, exchanges, and international collaborations.

Contact: Phone: 02 9215 9000 Toll Free: 1800 226 912 Email: enquiries@australiacouncil.gov.au

Website: australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/funding-index/international-arts-strategy-outcomes-fund/

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITIONS INSURANCE PROGRAM

Australian Government – Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

Funds: Variable

Closes: 3 April 2020

Purpose: To offset the cost of insurance for eligible international exhibitions touring to Australia.

Eligible applicants: Commonwealth, state and territory government collecting institutions; incorporated not-for-profit public collecting institutions, and incorporated not-for-profit bodies specialising in touring large art and cultural exhibitions.

Eligible projects: The cultural material in exhibitions must have a minimum value of AUD \$50 million for fine art exhibitions or AUD \$20 million for museological exhibitions. The proposal can be for either multiple or single venue exhibitions. Insurance cover may apply to multiple or single items within an exhibition that meets the minimum value threshold.

Contact: The Program Officer Email: collectionsdevelopment@arts.gov.au

Website: arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/australian-government-international-exhibitions-insurance-program

JOHN OXLEY LIBRARY FELLOWSHIP

State Library of Queensland

Funds: One stipend of \$20,000

Closes: 26 March 2020

Purpose: To support a research project that uses the rich resources of SLQ's John Oxley Library and contributes to the creation of new knowledge of Queensland.

Eligible applicants: Researchers and writers of any discipline, historians, visual and performing artists, filmmakers, musicians and digital creatives are all welcome to apply.

Contact: Phone: 07 3840 7879 Email: Fellowships@slq.qld.gov.au

Website: slq.qld.gov.au/get-involved/fellowships-awards-residencies/queensland-memory-awards/john-oxley-library-fellowship

JOHN VILLIERS TRUST

Funds: Variable

Closes: Open year-round (assessed quarterly)

Purpose: To support people and organisations to build more equitable communities and alleviate disadvantage, particularly in rural and regional communities. Arts & Culture is one of the five focus areas for grants, including engaging rural audiences, fostering creativity for youth, and enabling participation for the disadvantaged.

Eligible applicants: Organisations that conduct public charitable purposes in Queensland, and that have Charitable Tax Concession status and been endorsed for Deductible Gift Recipient status (Items 1 & 4).

Ineligible projects: Projects outside of Queensland, deficit funding, recurrent administrative costs,

funding considered government responsibility, direct grants to individuals, purchase of cars, and general fundraising appeals.

Contact: Phone: 07 3102 9588 Email: grants@jvtrust.org.au

Website: jvtrust.org.au/grants/applying-for-a-grant-3/

KICKSTARTER CROWDFUNDING

Funds: Variable

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: Kickstarter is a crowdfunding platform for artists, musicians, filmmakers, designers, and other creators to find the resources and support they need to make their ideas a reality.

How it works: Each project is independently created and crafted by the person behind it. When they're ready, creators launch their project and share it with their community. Every project creator sets their project's funding goal and deadline. If people like the project, they can pledge money to make it happen. If the project succeeds in reaching its funding goal, all backers' credit cards are charged when time expires. If the project falls short, no one is charged. Funding on Kickstarter is all-or-nothing.

Eligible applicants: Must be 18 years of age or older; a permanent resident in Australia either creating a project in their own name or on behalf of a legal entity with an Australian Business Number; possess an Australian address, Australian bank account, and government-issued ID (driver's license or passport); have a major Australian credit or debit card.

Eligible projects: Creative projects in the worlds of Art, Comics, Dance, Design, Fashion, Film, Food, Games, Music, Photography, Publishing, Technology, and Theatre. Must also be a project with a clear goal, like making an album, a book, or a work of art. A project will eventually be completed, and something will be produced by it.

Ineligible projects: Kickstarter does not allow: charity, cause, or "fund my life" projects.

Contact: Email via website <https://www.kickstarter.com/contact>

Website: kickstarter.com

LORD MAYOR'S COMMUNITY FUND

Brisbane City Council

Funds: \$250 – \$10,000

Closes: 12 June 2020, or when each ward has fully spent their allocated budget

Purpose: To support projects that build stronger communities in Brisbane. Projects must contribute to the Brisbane's aspiration to be a friendly and safe, active and healthy, clean and green, or vibrant and creative city.

Eligible applicants: Applications for funding can be made by not-for-profit community organisations, or by Councillors.

Eligible projects: Community events, equipment hire towards a community event, community facility improvements and equipment.

Contact: Phone: 07 3403 8888 and ask to speak to the Grants Unit.

Website: brisbane.qld.gov.au/community-and-safety/grants-and-awards/community-grants/lord-mayors-community-fund

MAJOR GRANTS

Gandel Philanthropy

Funds: \$40,000 - \$250,000

Closes: By invitation only

Purpose: Supports programs that are evidence-based and deliver defined positive outcomes in the community, providing long-term benefit to the target audience.

Eligible applicants: Charitable organisations that have Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1) and endorsed as a Tax Concession Charity.

Contact: Phone: 03 8564 1288 Email: info@gandelphilanthropy.org.au

Website: gandelphilanthropy.org.au/grant-information/grant-levels-and-areas-of-interest/

MARITIME MUSEUMS OF AUSTRALIA PROJECT SUPPORT SCHEME (MMAPSS)

Australian National Maritime Museum

The Maritime Museums of Australia Project Support Scheme is funded by the Australian Government

Funds: Up to \$15,000

Closes: 1 May 2020

Purpose: Provides grants to regional museums and organisations to help preserve or display objects of national and historical maritime significance.

Eligible applicants: All regional museums and organisations legally incorporated as non-profit-making bodies, which preserve and display significant maritime material, are eligible, whether they are privately or Government funded.

Eligible projects: Collection management (registration and storage); conservation (preservation, conservation work/treatments); presentation (research, development of exhibitions, interpretive displays workshops); development of relevant education or public programs that make collections more accessible to audiences; museological training (for staff/volunteers), internship funding (up to \$3,000).

Contact: Phone: 02 9298 3743 Email: mmapss@sea.museum

Website: sea.museum/grants

MONICA CLARE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

State Library of Queensland

Funds: One stipend of \$15,000

Closes: 26 March 2020

Purpose: To research, explore and create new knowledge about Queensland's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures using the significant collections of John Oxley Library.

Eligible applicants: People who identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

Contact: Phone: 07 3840 7879 Email: Fellowships@slq.qld.gov.au

Website: slq.qld.gov.au/get-involved/fellowships-awards-residencies/queensland-memory-awards/monica-clare-research

NAIDOC WEEK GRANT

Australian Government – National Indigenous Australians Agency

Funds: A total of \$1.4 million

Closes: Suspended until further notice

Purpose: To support events and activities that celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture.

Eligible applicants: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander and non-Indigenous legal entities may apply for NAIDOC funding. Where both Indigenous and non-Indigenous organisations are found suitable preference will typically be given to the Indigenous organisation.

Eligible projects: Activities should be held during NAIDOC Week - 5-12 July 2020. Activities include:

- Arts based activities, including painting, dancing, crafts, storytelling
- Family fun days
- Cultural activities
- Elders activities
- Bush tucker and other community cooking activities
- NAIDOC themed sporting activities or competitions
- Activities that actively promote reconciliation
- Flag raising ceremonies with accompanying activities
- Activities that promote health outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Contact: Email: NAIDOCgrants@pmc.gov.au Phone: 1800 079 098

Website: niaa.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/grants-and-funding/naidoc-week-funding

ORGANISATIONAL GRANTS

Public Galleries Queensland

Funds: Up to \$1,000

Closes: 31 March 2020, 30 September 2020

Purpose: To assist public galleries to undertake organisational initiatives.

Eligible applicants: Open to current PGQ organisational members. It is expected that the organisation will contribute to the initiative (can be in-kind).

Eligible projects:

- Costs towards improvements in the gallery/museum exhibition program such as touring exhibition fees and display improvements
- An appropriate consultant to work with the institution on skill development in areas such as Education and Public Programs, Exhibition Development, or Strategic Planning and Policy Development
- Exhibition development
- On-site training workshops and seminars in specialist areas such as volunteer recruitment, board management and gallery/museum practice.

Contact: Membership Officer Phone: 07 3059 9745 Email: membership@magsq.com.au

Website: pgq.org.au/apply-for-bursary/

PLAYING QUEENSLAND FUND

Arts Queensland

Funds: Variable

Closes: Suspended until further notice

Purpose: The Playing Queensland Fund supports the delivery of performing and visual arts projects that are ready to tour and have demonstrated community interest and confirmed demand.

Eligible applicants:

- Queensland artists, companies and groups with tour-ready work
- Queensland-based individual agents, producers, curators and brokers
- Queensland-based commercial, semi-commercial and subsidised arts companies with tour-ready work
- Queensland community representatives, local presenters and venue/gallery managers interested in purchasing and receiving touring work.

Eligible projects: Net touring costs may include: transportation, freight, exhibition installation and dismantling, accommodation, travel allowances and artist fees. Must include at least two regional Queensland communities in their touring proposal.

Ineligible projects: The Fund does not invest in remount costs, core-staff salaries, venue hire, maintenance and consumables, marketing, administration, documentation and public liability insurance.

Contact: Arts Investment Officer, Phone: 07 3034 4016 or Toll Free: 1800 175 531 Email: investment@arts.qld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/recreation/arts/funding/organisations/playing

POZIBLE CROWDFUNDING

Funds: Variable

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: A crowdfunding platform and community-building tool for creative projects and ideas. It was developed to help people raise funds, realise their aspirations and make great things possible.

How it works: Provides the platform for project creators to present their ideas to a worldwide connected audience. If people love what you're creating, they can support it by pledging money. Service fees are only charged if your target is met.

Eligible applicants: Individuals over 18 years, groups and organisations.

Ineligible projects: All Pozible crowdfunding campaigns must be projects. That is, the campaign must have a clearly defined outcome, timeframe and goal. Usually, this is a creative outcome. The project may also have a community outcome, an environmental outcome, an educational outcome, or an innovative outcome. Projects must fit a Pozible category.

Website: pozible.com/create

QUEENSLAND ARTS SHOWCASE PROGRAM (QASP) – ARTS IGNITE

Arts Queensland

Funds: Up to \$80,000

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: QASP invests in a vibrant and accessible arts and cultural sector in Queensland; connections with new audiences (nationally, internationally and digitally); artistic and non-artistic collaborations; strengthening professional development; and creation of employment and training.

Eligible applicants:

- Be based in Queensland or show how the project will directly benefit Queensland arts and culture
- Have satisfied the reporting requirements of any Arts Queensland funding received in the past
- Have an Australian Business Number (ABN)
- Not be a current Arts Queensland employee or former employee who ceased employment less than six months before applying.
- Applicants that are recipients of core and/or administered funding through Arts Queensland must demonstrate how the activity differs from what the organisation is currently funded to deliver.

Eligible projects: The creation of new works:

- Support the creative development and public or digital presentation of new works which respond to demand
- Cultivate new and emerging talent and extend artists' and/or organisations' practice, audiences and markets
- Support the costs associated with reworking existing work or collections for a digital audience or platform
- Support up to \$5,000 for equipment purchases directly related to the creation and delivery of the funded project.

Ineligible projects: Planning for or maintenance of infrastructure, capital or equipment costs, fundraising activities, awards, competitions, eisteddfods or prizes, costs associated with conferences, research or core business activities including business start-up costs, administrative and other organisational costs not directly associated with the project or program.

Contact: Phone: 07 3034 4016 or Toll Free: 1800 175 531 Email: investment@arts.qld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/recreation/arts/funding/organisations/arts-showcase

QUEENSLAND ARTS SHOWCASE PROGRAM (QASP) – ARTS ILLUMINATE

Arts Queensland

Funds: Up to \$120,000

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: QASP invests in a vibrant and accessible arts and cultural sector in Queensland; connections with new audiences (nationally, internationally and digitally); artistic and non-artistic collaborations; strengthening professional development; and creation of employment and training.

Eligible applicants:

- Have an Australian Business Number (ABN)
- Not have already been awarded funding under this Program in the same calendar year.
- Not have already submitted an application to the Program which is currently undergoing assessment.
- Not be a current Arts Queensland employee or former employee who ceased employment less than six months before applying.
- Applicants that are recipients of core and/or administered funding through Arts Queensland must demonstrate how the activity differs from what the organisation is currently funded to deliver.

Eligible projects: To secure acclaimed artist/s who will engage the community and build local capacity. Its role is to:

- Support Queensland communities to engage high quality national and internationally-renowned artists to present unique arts and cultural experiences
- Build the capacity of Queensland's arts and cultural sector through collaboration with acclaimed artists to cultivate local talent and deliver legacy outcomes.

Ineligible projects: Planning for or maintenance of infrastructure, capital or equipment costs, fundraising activities, awards, competitions, eisteddfods or prizes, costs associated with conferences, research or core business activities including business start-up costs, administrative and other organisational costs not directly associated with the project or program.

Contact: Phone: 07 3034 4016 or Toll Free: 1800 175 531 Email: investment@arts.qld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/recreation/arts/funding/organisations/arts-showcase

QUEENSLAND ARTS SHOWCASE PROGRAM (QASP) – ARTS IMPACT

Arts Queensland

Funds: Up to \$80,000

Closes: Open year-round

Purpose: QASP invests in a vibrant and accessible arts and cultural sector in Queensland; connections with new audiences (nationally, internationally and digitally); artistic and non-artistic collaborations; strengthening professional development; and creation of employment and training.

Eligible applicants:

- Have an Australian Business Number (ABN).
- Not have already been awarded funding under this Program in the same calendar year.
- Not have already submitted an application to the Program which is currently undergoing assessment.
- Not be a current Arts Queensland employee or former employee who ceased employment less than six months before applying.
- Applicants that are recipients of core and/or administered funding through Arts Queensland must demonstrate how the activity differs from what the organisation is currently funded to deliver.

Eligible projects: For diverse arts and cultural experiences for Queensland to:

- Support a vibrant and diverse range of original arts and cultural experiences for Queensland communities, including through new delivery channels
- Support initiatives that support future cultural tourism opportunities and/or consider future activation of community and cultural infrastructure.

Ineligible projects: Planning for or maintenance of infrastructure, capital or equipment costs, fundraising activities, awards, competitions, eisteddfods or prizes, costs associated with conferences, research or core business activities including business start-up costs, administrative and other organisational costs not directly associated with the project or program.

Contact: Phone: 07 3034 4016 or Toll Free: 1800 175 531 Email: investment@arts.qld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/recreation/arts/funding/organisations/arts-showcase

QUEENSLAND BUSINESS LEADERS HALL OF FAME FELLOWSHIP

State Library of Queensland

Funds: One stipend of \$15,000

Closes: 26 March 2020

Purpose: To support a research project that uses the rich resources of SLQ's John Oxley Library and contributes to the creation of new knowledge about Queensland's business and economic history.

Eligible applicants: Researchers and writers of any discipline, historians, visual and performing artists, filmmakers, musicians and digital creatives are all welcome to apply.

Contact: Phone: 07 3840 7879 Email: Fellowships@slq.qld.gov.au

Website: slq.qld.gov.au/get-involved/fellowships-awards-residencies/queensland-memory-awards/queensland-business-leaders

QUEENSLAND DAY SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

Queensland Government

Funds: Up to \$15,000

Closes: Closed – check website for next round

Purpose: Encourages Queenslanders to celebrate Queensland Day (6 June) in a way that reflects the unique culture, heritage and aspirations of their own community by hosting events in June.

Eligible applicants: Not-for-profit organisations, such as an incorporated association or local government. Larger or statewide organisations operating branches across a number of regions may submit one application per branch.

Contact: Phone: 07 3003 9200 Email: qlddaysponsorship@premiers.qld.gov.au

Website: qld.gov.au/about/events-awards-honours/events/queensland-day/sponsorship-program

QUEENSLAND DESTINATION EVENTS PROGRAM

Tourism and Events Queensland

Funds: \$10,000 - \$100,000 per year

Closes: 10 June 2020, October 2020

Purpose: Seeks to leverage the crucial link between events and the destinations in which they are staged, extending the flow of the economic, marketing and social benefits of events throughout metropolitan and regional Queensland.

Within this context, the aims and objectives of the QDEP are as follows:

- Generate local economic activity and development in the host destination
- Attract external visitation to the destination
- Drive social and community outcomes for the host destination, noting the important link between community outcomes and economic benefits
- Enhance the profile and appeal of the host destination.

Eligible applicants: Applicants must have an Australian Business Number (ABN) and be either an Australian Corporation registered with ASIC or an Incorporated Association; or be a Queensland Government body.

Eligible projects: Marketing costs, strategic plan development, engagement of short-term specialised personnel, hire of temporary infrastructure.

Ineligible projects: Business events (conferences, seminars, symposiums), anniversaries / centenaries, tours, open gardens, open days, dedicated markets, charity events or fundraising

activities.

Contact: Phone: 07 3535 3535 Email: events@queensland.com

Website: teq.queensland.com/Events/Events-Support/Queensland-Destination-Events-Program

QUEENSLAND VETERANS' MEMORIAL GRANTS PROGRAM

Queensland Government

Funds: \$30,000 - \$40,000

Closes: 1 May 2020

Purpose: To encourage and assist Queensland veterans' groups and other organisations to restore, conserve and create monuments, memorials and public memorial sites acknowledging Queensland veterans' contributions.

Eligible applicants: Local councils, incorporated associations or bodies, not-for-profits corporations, site or memorial custodians who are not ineligible entities.

Ineligible applicants: State or federal government departments, for profit organisations, individuals, political parties, school and universities.

Contact: Phone: 07 3003 9173 Email: memorialgrants@premiers.qld.gov.au

Website: anzac100.initiatives.qld.gov.au/grants/veterans-memorial/index.aspx

REGIONAL ARTS DEVELOPMENT FUND (RADF)

Arts Queensland and Local Government

Funds: \$25,000 - \$100,000

Closes: 2 April 2020

Purpose: Promotes the role and value of arts, culture and heritage as key drivers of diverse and inclusive communities and strong regions. RADF is a flexible fund that supports local councils to invest in arts and cultural priorities, as determined by local communities across Queensland.

Eligible applicants: Be one of the 59 eligible Queensland local councils.

Ineligible applicants: Applicants in the Brisbane City Council area and an Indigenous Council area. Please note there are similar grants for these specific Council areas.

Eligible projects: RADF key aims:

- Provide public value for Queensland communities
- Build local cultural capacity, cultural innovation and community well-being
- Deliver the Queensland Government's objectives for the community.

Contact: Your local Council RADF Liaison Officer

Website: arts.qld.gov.au/regional-arts-development-fund

REGIONAL ARTS FUND – COMMUNITY PROJECT GRANTS

Australian Government

Funds: Up to \$30,000

Closes: 28 February 2020

Purpose: Supports applications which benefit the community, increase access and participation,

and/or provide direct benefits to artists/arts workers.

Eligible applicants: Regional artists, arts organisations and communities.

Eligible projects: Projects involving regional artists that have a public outcome, and significantly engage the community in which they are based. They can also be used for skills development opportunities for regional artists, arts groups or community organisations.

Ineligible projects: Core costs of competitions, prizes, awards or fundraising.

Contact: Amy Cook, RAF Administrator Phone: 07 3216 1322 Email: raf@flyingarts.org.au

Website: flyingarts.org.au/raf/community-project-grants/

REGIONAL ARTS FUND – QUICK RESPONSE GRANTS

Australian Government

Funds: Up to \$3,000

Closes: 27 March 2020, or until funds are expended

Purpose: Quick Response Grants are intended to assist regional artists, arts organisations and communities to take up professional or skills development or small project opportunities.

Eligible applicants: Regional artists, arts organisations and communities.

Eligible projects: Intended for projects that cannot be funded by any other means because of its nature of timing. This grant would also suit individual professional development.

Ineligible projects: Projects principally benefitting a major city or metropolitan location, core costs of organising and running competitions, prizes, awards or fundraising events, or curriculum/school-based activities.

Contact: Amy Cook, RAF Administrator Phone: 07 3216 1322 Email: raf@flyingarts.org.au

Website: flyingarts.org.au/raf/quick-response-grants/

REGIONAL GRANT-MAKING

Queensland Community Foundation

Funds: \$3,000 - \$8,000

Closes: Opens October 2020

Purpose: Applications from charitable organisations providing local service delivery in areas such as aged care, family support, children, health and welfare, youth and arts.

Eligible applicants: Must have Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1) in accordance with the requirements of the Australian Taxation Office and be based in the Gold Coast, Sunshine Coast, Toowoomba or North Queensland regions.

Eligible projects:

- One-off projects for a specific purpose
- Demonstrate sustainability beyond the funding period
- Strengthen the community
- Reduce social disadvantage
- Help find solutions to community problems
- Benefit as many people as possible

Contact: Phone: 07 3360 3854 Email: enquiries@qcf.org.au

Website: qcf.org.au/grants/regional-grant-making/

SALUTING THEIR SERVICE COMMEMORATIVE GRANTS

Australian Government – Department of Veterans' Affairs

Funds: Up to \$10,000 for community grants and up to \$150,000 for major grants

Closes: 31 March 2020

Purpose: Provides funding for community-based commemorative activities that commemorate the involvement, service and sacrifice of Australia's service personnel in wars, conflicts and peace operations.

Eligible applicants: Organisations only, such as: community and ex-service organisations, schools and other education institutions, museums and cultural institutions, historical associations, state/territory and local government authorities and other non-profit community organisations.

Eligible projects: Projects and activities relating to all wars, conflicts and peace operations are eligible.

Projects can include: restoration of an honour board, purchase of a cabinet to display military memorabilia, development of a digital honour roll, construction of an interactive memorial walking track; the publication of wartime histories.

Contact: Phone: 1800 020 283 Email: support@communitygrants.gov.au

Website: communitygrants.gov.au/grants/saluting-their-service-cgp

STRENGTHENING RURAL COMMUNITIES – SMALL AND VITAL

Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal

Funds: Up to \$10,000

Closes: Under review (due to reopen mid-July)

Purpose: Facilitates continued investment and access to funds that can contribute to securing the future prosperity of small communities across Australia.

Eligible applicants: Not-for-profit community-based organisations in regional and remote Australia.

Eligible projects: Projects and activities that offer clear public benefit and address a need in the community. Applications must demonstrate a focus on one activity from the following:

- Developing organisational resilience and capacity – projects that strengthen local not-for-profit organisations' operational infrastructure, upgrading of equipment to improve service delivery, skill development of committees of management, and support for planning and sustainability.
- Fostering cultural vibrancy – projects that celebrate, preserve and promote local culture and identity, creative projects that foster the arts, and support for local artists and the arts community.
- Lifelong learning and education – for example, projects that provide local residents with access to opportunities that enrich their learning and skills development, from cradle to grave.
- Economic strength – For example, projects that create local employment and training with an employment outcome, stimulate new spending within a community or region, events that attract visitors and which can demonstrate an economic benefit as a result, and projects that attract new residents to a community or region and improve economic prosperity.

Priority areas include communities with fewer than 15,000 people, particularly communities whose size, remoteness and relative access to services, funding, and resources present particular ongoing

challenges.

Contact: Phone: 1800 170 020 Email: info@frrr.org.au

Website: [frrr.org.au/grants/Strengthening Rural Communities](http://frrr.org.au/grants/Strengthening_Rural_Communities)

TIM FAIRFAX FAMILY FOUNDATION

Funds: Variable

Closes: By invitation only (contact the foundation)

Purpose: To support Australian charitable organisations and initiatives aimed at addressing the particular needs of communities in rural, remote and regional areas within Queensland.

Arts – Supporting initiatives that benefit communities by extending their exposure to, and experiences with, a variety of artistic opportunities; and building the capacity of individuals and communities to access and engage with the arts in a meaningful and sustainable way.

Eligible applicants: Organisations with Deductible Gift recipient status (Item 1) that also hold tax concession endorsements from the Australian Taxation Office.

Ineligible projects: Cost of fundraising for an event or organisation; travel and accommodation (except where they directly relate to the provision of services to regional, rural and remote communities); vehicles; buildings and capital projects; individuals.

Contact: Phone: 07 3001 4404

Website: tfff.org.au

VIBRANT - ARTS

The Ian Potter Foundation

Funds: Minimum \$100,000 for multi-year grants

Closes: By invitation only

Purpose: Objectives of the arts program area are to support cultural institutions and organisations in Australia that are distinctive in artistic achievement, imagination and innovation in fostering development across a sector or art form. To support such institutions to host artists in high-calibre professional development and/or leadership opportunities of at least 12 months (e.g. fellowships, apprenticeships, mentorships, internships).

Eligible applicants: Organisations with Deductible Gift Recipient status (Item 1) and Tax Concession Charity status (auspicing arrangements are excluded).

Ineligible projects: Recurrent expenditure, capital or endowment funds, research for students.

Contact: Phone: 03 9650 3188 Email: admin@ianpotter.org.au

Website: ianpotter.org.au

VISIONS OF AUSTRALIA: REGIONAL EXHIBITION TOURING PROGRAM

Australian Government – Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications

Funds: Variable

Closes: 28 February 2020

Purpose: To support audience access to Australian arts and cultural material, with a particular focus on tours to regional and remote Australia.

Eligible applicants: Australian arts and cultural heritage organisations can apply for funding to develop and tour exhibitions to venues across Australia.

Eligible projects: The development and touring of exhibitions of cultural material of historic, scientific, design, social or artistic significance; research; design; production; transport; installation and personnel. Regional and remote venues are a higher priority for funding.

Contact: Phone: 1800 590 577 Email: visions@arts.gov.au

Website: arts.gov.au/funding-and-support/visions-australia

VISUAL ARTS AND CRAFT STRATEGY – NATIONAL PRIORITIES

Australia Council for the Arts

Funds: Variable

Closes: 4 February 2020

Purpose: For the contemporary visual arts sector that promotes creative work by living artists and craft practitioners, and the organisations that support their practice.

Eligible applicants: This is an invitation only category for Australian visual arts organisations. The invited organisations are determined by the Australia Council in consultation with the relevant State and Territory arts funding agencies.

Ineligible applicants:

- Your organisation was not invited to apply
- You received a grant, or administered a grant, from the Australia Council in the past and that grant has not been satisfactorily acquitted
- You owe money to the Australia Council.

Ineligible projects:

- Projects or activities that do not meet the VACS objectives
- Projects or activities that do not involve or benefit practicing artists or arts workers
- Projects or activities that do not have a clearly defined arts component
- Projects that have already taken place.

Contact: Phone: 02 9215 9000 Toll Free: 1800 226 912 Email: enquiries@australiacouncil.gov.au

Website: australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/funding-index/visual-arts-and-craft-strategy-national-priorities/

YEAR OF OUTBACK TOURISM EVENTS PROGRAM

Queensland Government

Funds: \$1,000 - \$100,000

Closes: 16 March 2020

Purpose: For new events or to extend existing events, which contribute to enhancing the profile of Outback Queensland and attract new or increase the number of visitors.

Eligible applicants: Regional event and festival promoters, local governments, community organisations and local businesses.

Eligible projects: Festivals, food and wine events, sporting events, conferences, art and cultural performances, Indigenous experiences, and installations. Costs can be used for: Marketing and advertising; salaries and wages related to the event; transport; freight; interpretive text/signage;

venue and equipment hire; capital expenditure related to the event.

Contact: Phone: 07 3003 9200 Email: outbackevents@premiers.qld.gov.au

Website: events.premiers.qld.gov.au/outback/assets/custom/docs/yootep-program-guidelines-round4.pdf?a