Hi all,

Below is a selection of current funding opportunities that may be of interest to you. Please note that all grants listed below are open for Australians to apply (even if the listed currency is not AUD).

If you wish to pursue any of these opportunities, I can assist you in writing your application. Please contact me by return email luisa.roeder@jcu.edu.au.

Please let me know if there is anyone at CH who is research active but is not currently included in this email list. I aim to identify people at CHHHS and JCU who are engaged in clinical research and publish their work regularly.

If you do not wish to receive any information from me regarding funding opportunities, please let me know.

Kind regards,
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Research

Funding Opportunities

Surgical research grants

The Surgical Research Fund

These support researchers and students in Far North Queensland in conducting research projects in surgery or related fields. Multiple grants of AUD 5,000 each are available.

Maximum award: AUD 5,000
Closing date: 28 Feb 19
Targeted call for research on nutrition for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples

National Health and Medical Research Council, AU

This supports rigorous, culturally safe and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander-led research into improving the nutritional health of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. The budget is AUD 5 million and the project period is five years.

**Maximum award:** Not known
**Closing date:** 20 Feb 19

Medical Research Future Fund Frontier Health and Medical Research Program Stage One – Research Plan

Department of Health, AU

Provides medical researchers with up to $1 million to develop detailed research plans for significant research projects in the health and medical research sector that are innovative at a global level and have great potential to have a transformative impact on health care.

**Maximum award:** Not known
**Closing date:** 26 Feb 19

Breast cancer research programme

US Department of Defense, US

Multiple grants and awards available that support promising research that has high potential to lead to or make breakthroughs in breast cancer at pre-clinical or clinical level. Project grants, innovation awards, and distinguished investigators awards are available ranging from USD 2,000,000 to USD 10,000,000.

**Maximum award:** USD 10,000,000
**Closing date:** 12 Mar 19

Queensland Citizen Science Grants
Office of the Queensland Chief Scientist, Department of Environment and Science

The grants are designed to support scientists, organisations and community groups to conduct citizen science projects that tackle important issues in Queensland. Grants are worth up to AUD 30,000 for up to three years.

**Maximum award:** AUD 30,000  
**Closing date:** 25 Mar 19

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**Incubator & Project grants**

Multiple Sclerosis Research Australia, AU

Incubator grants provide seed funding for the early stages of innovative new research efforts with the aim of generating preliminary data needed to support future grant applications. The grants are worth up to AUD 25,000 each for one year.

Project grants support research in multiple sclerosis. Grants are worth up to AUD 250,000 for up to three years.

**Maximum award:** AUD 25,000 / AUD 250,000  
**Closing date Incubator grants:** 08 Mar 19  
**Closing date Project grants:** 29 Mar 19

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**Project grants**

Ovarian Cancer Research Foundation, AU

These support research projects that focus on early-detection and the management and treatment of ovarian cancer. Funding is available for a period of one to three years.

**Maximum award:** Not known  
**Closing date:** 22 Mar 19 (recurring)

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**Partnership projects**

National Health and Medical Research Council, AU

These assist in constructing partnerships among decision makers, policy makers, managers, clinicians and researchers to work together to define research questions, undertake research, interpret the findings and implement
the findings into policy and practice. Grants are worth up to AUD 1.5 million for one to five years.

**Maximum award:** AUD 1,500,000  
**Closing date:** 27 Mar 19 (recurring)

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**Research grants**  
Polycystic Kidney Disease Australia, AU  
These support research aiming to provide a deeper understanding of polycystic kidney disease or that improves the outlook and quality of life for patients. Two grants worth up to AUD 30,000 each for one year are available.

**Maximum award:** AUD 30,000  
**Closing date:** 28 Mar 19 (recurring)

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**Novice investigator grant**  
Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists, AU  
This grant supports research conducted by novice investigators in the areas of anaesthesia, intensive care medicine, pain medicine, perioperative medicine and other related fields. The grant is worth up to AUD 20,000 for one year.

**Maximum award:** AUD 20,000  
**Closing date:** 01 Apr 19

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**E-Asia joint research programme – infectious diseases, cancer and multidrug resistance**  
National Health and Medical Research Council, AU  
This supports researchers who seek to participate in international joint research projects on a multilateral basis in the East Asian region on infectious diseases, cancer and multidrug resistance. A total budget of AUD 3 million is available over three years.

**Maximum award:** Not known  
**Closing date:** 03 Apr 19
Establishing a cohort to clarify risk and protective factors for neurocognitive complications of paediatric type 1 diabetes – planning cooperative agreements (U34 clinical trial not allowed)

NIH: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, US

This supports a national, multisite, observational cohort study to prospectively examine the risk and protective factors for neurocognitive complications of paediatric type 1 diabetes and a comparison sample. Grants are worth up to USD 225,000 per year for a maximum period of two years.

**Maximum award**: USD 450,000
**Closing date**: 11 Apr 19