



Australia Awards

Australia Awards Fellowships

Round 20 Successful Australian Host
Organisations



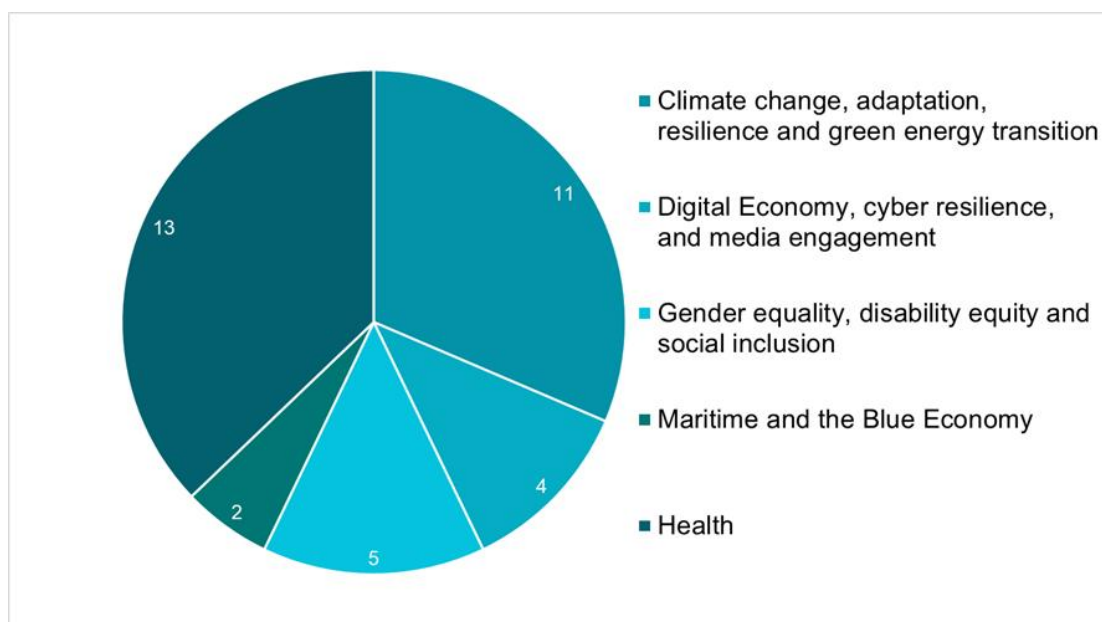
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Australia Awards Fellowships program Round 20 has, to date, provided 35 Fellowships valued at \$9.2 million to 30 Australian Host Organisations, involving 433 Fellows from the Pacific, Southeast Asia, South Asia and the Middle East, Africa, Caribbean and Europe.

Round 20 Australia Awards Fellowship programs are due to commence from October 2025, covering priority area sectors of:

- Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy transition
- Health
- Digital Economy, cyber resilience, and media engagement
- Gender equality, disability equity and social inclusion
- Maritime and the Blue Economy.

Fellowship Programs by Priority Area



*Number of Fellowship Programs (to date) by Priority Area

Fellows by Region

Percentage of Fellows per regions	Number of Fellows	Percentage of Fellows
Southeast Asia	161	37%
Pacific	142	32%
South Asia and Middle East	98	22%
Europe	15	4%
Caribbean	10	3%
Africa	7	2%
Total	433	100%

Round 20 – Successful Australian Host Organisations and Programs

Australian Host Organisation	Program	Priority Area	Proposed Countries
ASHM HEALTH	Deadly Sex: Cross-Cultural Knowledge Exchange and Leadership in Sexual and Reproductive Health	Health	PAPUA NEW GUINEA FIJI VANUATU SOLOMON ISLANDS
AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS LTD	Strengthening Journalism in PNG, Fiji and Vanuatu (Pacific)	Digital Economy, cyber resilience, and media engagement	FIJI PAPUA NEW GUINEA VANUATU PAPUA NEW GUINEA
AUSTRALIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION	Indo-Pacific Media Executive Leadership Program	Digital Economy, cyber resilience, and media engagement	INDONESIA, TIMOR-LESTE PAPUA NEW GUINEA FIJI TONGA SAMOA VANUATU SOLOMON ISLANDS
AUSTRALIAN HIMALAYAN FOUNDATION LTD	Strengthening Capacity to Respond to Climate Induced Forest Fires in Nepal	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	NEPAL
AUSTRALIAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION	Advancing the Human Rights of Women and Persons with Disabilities in Laos	Gender equality, disability equity and social inclusion	LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
BEYOND ESSENTIAL SYSTEMS PTY LTD	Digital Health Professionals: Upskilling Public Sector Cohorts in the Pacific	Health	SAMOA KIRIBATI PALAU NAURU FIJI TUVALU
EDITH COWAN UNIVERSITY	Cyber Resilience Fellowship: Strengthening Maldives-Australia Security Partnership	Digital Economy, cyber resilience, and media engagement	MALDIVES
FLINDERS UNIVERSITY	Clean Energy Transitions to Combat Climate Changes Around the World	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	INDIA MALAYSIA SOUTH AFRICA
GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY	Fostering Prosperity in the Blue Economy: Activating Timor-Leste's Blue Generation	Maritime and the Blue Economy	TIMOR-LESTE
GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY	Scaling Finance for Indigenous Climate Adaptation Solutions in the Pacific	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	FIJI FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA VANUATU SAMOA PAPUA NEW GUINEA

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HEALTH EDUCATION AUSTRALIA LIMITED	Building Clinical Governance Capability and Capacity in the Pacific	Health	NAURU SAMOA PALAU FIJI SOLOMON ISLANDS TUVALU TONGA VANUATU WALLIS AND FUTUNA KIRIBATI PAPUA NEW GUINEA
INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURE FOR DEVELOPMENT PTY LTD	Enhance Rural Community Climate Change Resilience	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	VIETNAM CAMBODIA MYANMAR
MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY	Inclusive and Equitable Digital ID for Southeast Asia (ID4SEA)	Gender equality, disability equity and social inclusion	INDONESIA THAILAND CAMBODIA
MONASH UNIVERSITY	Building Cyber Resilience in Fiji: Securing the Nation's Digital Future	Digital Economy, cyber resilience, and media engagement	FIJI
MONASH UNIVERSITY	Towards Value-Based Digital Health Transformation in Indonesia	Health	INDONESIA
MONASH UNIVERSITY	Strengthening leadership of Melanesian Women in Climate Finance	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	PAPUA NEW GUINEA FIJI VANUATU FIJI SOLOMON ISLANDS
NOSSAL INSTITUTE LIMITED	Strengthening Joined-up Responses to Violence Against Women and Children in Timor-Leste	Gender equality, disability equity and social inclusion	TIMOR-LESTE
NSW SERVICE FOR THE TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION OF TORTURE AND TRAUMA SURVIVORS (STARTTS)	Professional Development in Management of Trauma Survivors for Ukrainian Mental Health Professionals	Health	UKRAINE
ROYAL MELBOURNE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	Addressing Challenges of Access to Safe-Drinking-Water for Climate Vulnerable Marginalised People in Bangladesh	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	BANGLADESH
ST. VINCENT'S INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL RESEARCH	Capacity Strengthening to Support the Reference Laboratory Towards International Accreditation (Cambodia)	Health	CAMBODIA
TAKING PAEDIATRICS ABROAD LTD	Improving Children's Cancer Treatment for the Solomon Islands	Health	SOLOMON ISLANDS

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THE MACFARLANE BURNET INSTITUTE FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH AND PUBLIC HEALTH LTD	Supporting adolescent Girls' Menstrual Health through Research in Bangladesh (South Asia)	Gender equality, disability equity and social inclusion	BANGLADESH
THE MACFARLANE BURNET INSTITUTE FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH AND PUBLIC HEALTH LTD	Data-driven Improvements in Maternal and Newborn Health in the Asia-Pacific	Health	SOLOMON ISLANDS MONGOLIA NEPAL THAILAND INDONESIA FIJI PAPUA NEW GUINEA TIMOR-LESTE SRI LANKA, BANGLADESH
THE UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE	Training and Capacity Building in Vietnam in Irrigation and Water Management	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	VIETNAM
THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE	Towards Nutrition Security (Papua New Guinea)	Health	PAPUA NEW GUINEA
THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND	Addressing Digital Challenges in Gender: Building the Vietnam Gender Equality Collective (Vietnam)	Gender equality, disability equity and social inclusion	VIETNAM
THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND	Elevating Women's Leadership and Innovations in Food, Agriculture & Nutrition Systems (Indonesia)	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	INDONESIA
THE UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY	Building Resilience in Food Security in Pakistan by improving Climate Resilient agroecosystems	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	PAKISTAN
THE UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY	Building Research Capacity: Advancing Adolescents' Health in the Solomon Islands and Vanuatu	Health	SOLOMON ISLANDS VANUATU
THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG	Enabling a Sustainable Blue Economy in the Bay of Bengal (Indian Ocean)	Maritime and the Blue Economy	BANGLADESH INDIA SRI LANKA
THERAPEUTIC GOODS ADMINISTRATION	Improving the Indo-Pacific's Access to Medicines by Mainstreaming GEDSI in Regulatory Authorities	Health	TIMOR-LESTE VIETNAM CAMBODIA LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC FIJI

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UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE	Climate, Energy and Health Resilience across the Pacific and Caribbean	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FIJI, KIRIBATI NIUE PALAU SAMOA, SOLOMON ISLANDS TONGA TUVALU VANUATU BELIZE DOMINICA GRENADA HAITI JAMAICA
UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES	Malaria Control and Health Security Capacity Building	Health	INDONESIA
UNIVERSITY OF TASMANIA	Southern-hemisphere Alliance for Measuring Climate Change	Climate change, adaptation, resilience and green energy (including critical mineral mining)	SOUTH AFRICA
WORLD MOSQUITO PROGRAM LTD	Empowering Public Health: Scaling Wolbachia for Sustainable Disease Control in Partner Countries	Health	BANGLADESH THAILAND SRI LANKA PHILIPPINES

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