**Expression of Interest (EOI) External Research Funding – Due 15 May 2017**

**Purpose**: This form is to notify your School/Institute/Centre and REDI Research of your research idea and plans for ANY potential externally-funded research projects during 2017. If you have more than one research idea or funder in mind, submit more than one EOI.

This form is designed to support your research as part of the University’s [Grant Development Support Strategy](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/research/researchers/researcher_development/development_resource_library) in partnership with your School/Institute/Centre Research Directors.

Please discuss this EOI with your Research Director before submission to REDI in May. You will receive feedback from your Research Director in June following a local internal review, which may include a range of research/er development options.

*Maximum 2 pages. Write in plain English.*

1. **Lead Researcher (Last Name, First name, Title):**
2. **Year PhD Awarded (if applicable):**
3. **School/Institute/Centre to host the proposed research:**
4. **Describe the research problem/idea:**
5. **Is your approach predominantly theoretical, methodological or applied?**
6. **Outline the significance/context:**
7. **Describe any potential** [benefits/end users/impact](http://www.arc.gov.au/sites/default/files/filedepot/Public/ARC/Research%20Impact/Research_Impact_Pathway_Table.pdf)**:**
8. **List ANY potential research team members and their affiliations (include any external partners/organisations). Outline the role of each proposed team member, if known.**

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1. **Is the proposed research idea directed towards a particular funding scheme? Identify ANY potential funding source. Look up** [**Research Professional**](https://www.researchprofessional.com/0/rr/home) **for ideas.**

* **ARC (Name the Scheme):**
* **NHMRC (Name the Scheme):**
* **Other:**
* **Unknown:**

1. **Nominate a critical reader/s, their affiliation and email address. REDI Research or your School/Institute/Centre may contact this person for grant development support.**

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**Please submit to** [**ResearchRDO@westernsydney.edu.au**](mailto:ResearchRDO@westernsydney.edu.au) **by 15 May 2017**

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