



Australia Awards

The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

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Please refer to the Australia Awards Fellowship Guidelines for further explanation and eligibility criteria.

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| Description  | Guidelines Reference | Eligible for DFAT Funding | <sup>1</sup> AHO/<br><sup>2</sup> OCO |
|--|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Australian Student Visa (Subclass 500) Fee   | 10.4                 | ✓                         | X                                     |
| Health and character checks for Australian Student Visa  | 5.3.1                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Return Economy class travel by most direct route to submit Australian Student Visa Application   | 5.3.1                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Return Economy class travel by most direct route to attend in- country pre-departure briefing  | 5.3.1                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Return Economy class airfare to Australia by most direct route   | 5.3                  | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Return Economy class travel to partner countries to attend Fellowship related activities   | 5.5.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Unavoidable Stopovers including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- airfares</li> <li>- ground transport to accommodation and return to airport only</li> <li>- accommodation</li> <li>- contribution to living expenses</li> </ul> | 5.3                  | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Economy class travel in Australia to attend Australian Fellowship related activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- ground transport and</li> <li>- domestic flights</li> </ul>  | 5.3                  | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Accommodation in Australia is capped as per the daily rate in Guidelines   | 5.3.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Contribution to Fellows Living Allowance (\$94.53 per day)   | 5.3.3                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Contribution to Living Allowance when in partner country that is not home location   | 5.6                  | X                         | ✓                                     |
| Overseas Student Health Cover (includes Carer or Personal Assistant)   | 5.3.5<br>14.1        | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Assistive equipment  | 5.3.6                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| All costs noted above associated with Carer accompanying Fellow with a disability  | 15.1                 | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Contribution to Living Allowance (\$94.53 per day) for Carer   | 15.1                 | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Program Overhead Fee (10% of total DFAT funds request up to max of \$25,000)   | 5.4                  | ✓                         | X                                     |
| AHO Staff return economy class airfares to Partner country/ies   | 5.5.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| AHO Staff course delivery in partner activity  | 5.5.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| AHO Staff accommodation costs in Partner country during delivery of activities   | 5.5.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Printing of Course materials in Partner Country  | 5.5.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |
| Group travel as part of Fellowship activities  | 5.5.2                | ✓                         | ✓                                     |

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## Summary of Costs not covered by DFAT Round 20

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### Costs not covered by DFAT

| Description  | DFAT | <sup>1</sup> AHO/ <sup>2</sup> OCO | Fellow Cost |
|--|------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Travel insurance costs   | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Fellow / Carer domestic travel in home country excluding visa and pre-departure travel costs   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Fellow / Carer personal travel cost when in Australia  | X    | X                                  | ✓           |
| Any costs associated with applying for <u>any other</u> Australian visas, excludes 500 Student Visa.   | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Accommodation exceeding the daily rate as per Guidelines   | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Passports  | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Travel or Debit cards  | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Living expenses when in home location  | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Upgrades to Premium economy/ Business or First-class airfares  | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| AHO medical and travel insurance   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| AHO Staff in-Australia travel cost   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| AHO Staff daily stipend  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Costs associated with mobilising the Fellows in their partner country  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Any OCO Staff in partner country activities  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| AHO or OCO Staff salaries for the duration overseas activities   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Course fees for study that result in formal academic qualifications or academic unit   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Lecturers/trainers/experts hourly rates exceeding \$200 per hour   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Welcome to Country Ceremony costs above \$650  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Conference attendance only -   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Venue Hire   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Catering   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Stationery, materials and equipment  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Promotion of program and/ Communications Support   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Program and/ administration Support  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Monitoring and evaluation of program   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Merchandise* excludes Australia Award Fellowship material provided by DFAT   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Internet or Wi-Fi  | X    | ✓                                  | ✓           |
| Scoping and design exercises   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Course development costs including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- preparation time by lecturers and experts, and</li> <li>- design and development of course materials</li> </ul> | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Course materials and printing for use in Australia   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Translation and interpretation related activities  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| Relationship building exercises; monitoring and evaluation   | X    | ✓                                  | X           |
| English language training  | X    | ✓                                  | X           |

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