

Workshop Title (Accreditation Module*): Managing Higher Degree Research Scholarships

*(*this workshop forms a compulsory module for participants undertaking the ARMS Foundation Level Accreditation program. It is not restricted to ARMS Foundation level program participants – others are welcome to attend).*

Workshop Overview:

The purpose of this module is to provide an insight into the current and evolving practices around the management of scholarships for Higher Degree by Research (HDR) candidates, including an understanding of the:

- ✓ Basic principles, purpose and financial implications underlying HDR scholarships.
- ✓ Rule governing scholarships and scholarship offers, and the reporting requirements associated with scholarships.
- ✓ National and international scholarship schemes; and
- ✓ Management and reporting requirements and the risks associated with scholarships.

Workshop structure

Presentation and small group discussion.

Experience level/ target audience

This module is suitable for research administrators working in universities. Research managers, academics, and Associate Deans wishing to update their knowledge in this area would also benefit from taking this module. It is recommended that this module be taken alongside the HDR International Partnerships module.

Learning objectives:

After completing this module, participants will be able to:

- The role of scholarships in HDR education and university research;
- The effective management and reporting of domestic scholarships;
- Determination of a scholarship allocation model for your university;
- The establishment of industry and externally funded scholarship programs;
- Working with foreign agencies, including governments, that allocate fully funded scholarships; and
- The establishment of joint scholarships with foreign governments.