

National Industry PhD Program

The two streams will provide PhD candidates with the opportunity to undertake a research project with an industry application, equipping candidates with the skills and experience to work at the interface of university and industry research sectors.

Stream 1: Industry Linked PhDs



Outstanding PhD Candidates undertake a research project co-designed by university and industry, with opportunities to be embedded in an industry setting



Stream 2: Industry Researcher PhDs



Highly capable industry professionals undertake a PhD project in partnership with a university while retaining industry employment and full salary benefits



\$45K



Employers to receive subsidy to support staff salary and other costs, per annum, up to four years from government



Participating University
Receive \$11K per PhD for both streams



\$11K



Participating universities to receive annual administration fee from government

Notes
 1 Funding rates are 2024 amounts, provided per annum for up to four years for a full-time PhD candidate (up to 8 years for a part-time PhD candidate at 50 per cent of the full-time rate).
 2 Other equivalent (non-RTP) stipends need to be provided at the RTP stipend base rate as a minimum.
 3 Industry Linked PhDs are also provided with a 12-week training program.