2017 round of the Australia-APEC Women in Research Fellowship now open!



This exciting initiative was launched in 2015 to provide mobility to high-achieving female researchers from developing APEC economies to collaborate with other experts in their field and further their research work in Australia.

The Australia-APEC Women in Research Fellowship offers up to 10 fellowships per year for female post-doctorate researchers to work in partnership with an Australian education institution to undertake a research project.

The Australian Department of Education and Training and the Australian APEC Study Centre welcome applications for research projects varying between 1 and 4 months in duration. A maximum of AUD\$23,300 is available for each fellowship.

This exciting opportunity is open to citizens and permanent residents from Chile, China, Indonesia, Malaysia, Mexico, Papua New Guinea, Peru, the Philippines, Thailand and Viet Nam.

To support upcoming researchers who may have a less extensive publication list compared to established researchers, two places are set aside for early career researchers with less than five years of professional research experience.

Applications for the 2017 round open on 2 February 2017 and will close 1 April 2017 at 5pm (AEST).

More information is available on the <u>Australia-APEC Women in Research Fellowship</u> <u>website</u>.

We would be most grateful if you could circulate this information throughout your networks with a particular emphasis on networks and researchers who may wish to partner with an Australian University for a short term research project.

Please contact Cassandra Oaten at the Australian APEC Study Centre for further information at <u>cassandra@apec.org.au</u> or call on +61 (3) 9925 1096.



2015 fellow **Dr Rintis Noviyanti** in the lab during her fellowship at The Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research (WEHI).



2016 fellow **Dr Nguyen Thi Lan Huong** and her son who joined her living in Queensland for the fellowship at The University of Queensland.



2016 fellow **Dr Laely Nurhidayah** and her supervisor **Professor Stuart Kaye** at the University of Wollongong.