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# Creative Industries' Career Fund Application Guidelines

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A total of \$100,000 from Copyright Agency Limited (CAL)'s philanthropic Cultural Fund is allocated annually to a separate funding pool known as the Creative Industries' Career Fund.

The Creative Industries' Career Fund offers individual creators and those involved in the publishing and visual arts industries a maximum of \$5,000 to undertake training, travel or other activities that will enhance their careers.

Funding rounds occur quarterly.

## Background

The Creative Industries' Career Fund combines CAL's previous, smaller funding pools – the Professional Development Fund and the Publishers' Career Development Fund. As a result, more people will now be eligible for funding – from self-employed professionals to individuals who work in publishing or creative organisations.

## Who can apply?

Applications are open to the individual creator or those involved in the publishing and visual arts industries who wish to broaden their knowledge base, skills or expertise and take their careers to the next level.

## How to apply

Applications should not exceed three pages, including your budget statement. CAL encourages email applications. Your application should include:

- personal contact details;
- details of the event/course to be attended (with a website reference wherever possible);
- an outline describing how this event/course will contribute to your career, including any formal letters of invitation from the event organisers;
- an outline describing how your attendance at this event/course will contribute to the creative community;
- a detailed budget, to include travel, accommodation expenses and registration fees only. Child care expenses may be included only if your child is travelling with you. The Fund does not cover any incidental loss of income; and
- a brief Curriculum Vitae.

## The selection process

Applicants will be considered by a selection panel made up of three experts from the publishing and creative industries. A shortlist will be recommended to the CAL Board for final approval. The 2009 selection panel will be chaired by CAL's Manager, Cultural Fund, and comprise:

1. Linda Nix;
2. Rosie Scott; and
3. Christopher Menz.

## For more information

For further details on any of the above, contact CAL's Manager, Cultural Fund, Zoë Rodriguez by email [zrodriguez@copyright.com.au](mailto:zrodriguez@copyright.com.au), or phone +612 9394 7600.