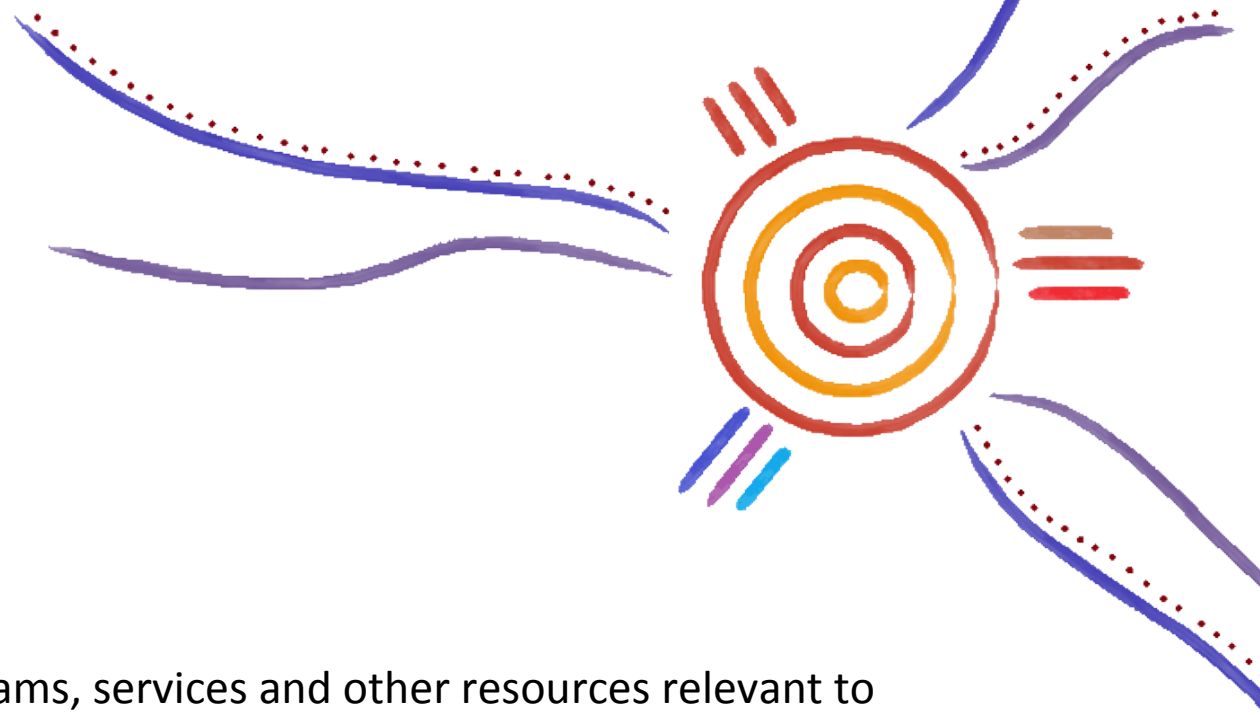


# NATIONAL PBC FUNDING & TRAINING GUIDE

A guide to funding, training programs, services and other resources relevant to  
Prescribed Bodies Corporate (PBCs)

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## INTRODUCTION

The National PBC Funding and Training Guide brings together information about funding opportunities, training programs, services and other resources that may be useful to Prescribed Bodies Corporate (PBCs), also known as Registered Native Title Bodies Corporate (RNTBCs).<sup>1</sup> This guide was developed in response to recommendations from PBCs at national and regional meetings for more information about funding and training opportunities. This guide is designed to be used primarily as an on-line resource and throughout the guide you will find links to access additional on-line information. This toolkit includes information about:

- Grants (government and other funding)
- Training information
- Grant writing assistance
- Other assistance

In addition to the National PBC Funding and Training Guide there are also guides for:

- [New South Wales](#)
- [Northern Territory](#)
- [Queensland](#)
- [South Australia](#)
- [Victoria](#)
- [Western Australia](#)

The [PBC website](#) provides other useful information, including:

- A timeline of legislation and government policy for PBCs
- Profiles of each PBC
- Information about upcoming events for PBCs
- Monthly summaries of relevant news articles about PBCs

The PBC website is currently being looked after by the Native Title Research Unit at AIATSIS, who are also coordinating a national email network of PBCs. Further information about PBCs can be found through the AIATSIS Native Title Research Unit's [Prescribed Bodies Corporate page](#) and [Native Title Information Handbook](#)

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<sup>1</sup> The term Prescribed Body Corporate (PBC) derives from Part 2 Division 6 of the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth) (NTA), which provides that a Prescribed Body Corporate must be determined to manage native title rights and interests. The Native Title (Prescribed Bodies Corporate) Regulations 1999 prescribe the form or types of bodies that may be nominated when a determination recognising native title has been made. The term Registered Native Title Body Corporate (RNTBC) derives from the NTA and describes the organisation that is determined by the Court and entered on the National Native Title Register. Under the *Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006* (Cth) an RNTBC will be required to have the words 'registered native title body corporate' or the abbreviation 'RNTBC' as part of its name. For the purpose of this document from this point forward the abbreviation PBCs will be used to refer to both Prescribed Bodies Corporate and Registered Native Title Bodies Corporate.



# 1 FUNDING

This section provides an overview of funding assistance available for PBCs. It covers:

- Searching for government and other grant funding
- Relevant grant funding for PBCs
- Sources of grant funding assistance

## 1.1 Searching for grant funding

The tables below provide links to assist PBCs to search for grant funding available from the Australian Government and from non-government organisations and the private sector. Table 1 provides links to a number of searchable databases. Table 2 provides links to Australian Government department grant funding websites.

**Table 1: Grant funding databases**

Category	Name	Hyperlink
Australian Government Database	Community Grants: a quick guide to key internet links	<a href="http://www.aph.gov.au/About_Parliament/Parliamentary_Departments/Parliamentary_Library/pubs/rp/rp1516/Quick_Guides/ComGrants">http://www.aph.gov.au/About_Parliament/Parliamentary_Departments/Parliamentary_Library/pubs/rp/rp1516/Quick_Guides/ComGrants</a>
Australian Government Database	Grants and Assistance Finder	<a href="https://www.business.gov.au/assistance">https://www.business.gov.au/assistance</a>
Non-Government Database	GrantReady – Community GrantGuru	<a href="http://community.grantready.com.au/">http://community.grantready.com.au/</a>
Non-Government Database	GrantReady – Business GrantGuru	<a href="http://business.grantguru.com.au/">http://business.grantguru.com.au/</a>



Category	Name	Hyperlink
Subscription-based Database (Note: these sites charge a fee to access information. Their listing here is not an endorsement)	GrantSearch	<a href="http://www.grantsearch.com.au/">http://www.grantsearch.com.au/</a>
Subscription-based Database (Note: these sites charge a fee to access information. Their listing here is not an endorsement)	Our Community – Funding Centre	<a href="http://www.fundingcentre.com.au/grant/home">http://www.fundingcentre.com.au/grant/home</a>
Subscription-based Database (Note: these sites charge a fee to access information. Their listing here is not an endorsement)	Philanthropy Australia – Australian Directory of Funders	<a href="http://www.philanthropy.org.au/seek-funding/access-grant-makers/">http://www.philanthropy.org.au/seek-funding/access-grant-makers/</a>



**Table 2: Australian Government department grant funding websites**

Category	Name	Hyperlink
Australian Government (Indigenous-specific)	ESub (Electronic submissions for some Indigenous Programs)	<a href="https://apps.indigenous.gov.au/esub/">https://apps.indigenous.gov.au/esub/</a>
Australian Government (Indigenous-specific)	Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet – Indigenous Advancement Strategy (IAS)	<a href="https://www.dpmc.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/grants-and-funding">https://www.dpmc.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/grants-and-funding</a>
Australian Government (Indigenous-specific)	Indigenous.gov.au	<a href="http://www.indigenous.gov.au/news-and-media/grants-and-funding">http://www.indigenous.gov.au/news-and-media/grants-and-funding</a>
Australian Government (Indigenous-specific)	Ministry for the Arts: Indigenous culture, languages and visual arts funding	<a href="http://arts.gov.au/indigenous">http://arts.gov.au/indigenous</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Australia Council for the Arts	<a href="http://australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/new-grants-model/">http://australiacouncil.gov.au/funding/new-grants-model/</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Agriculture	<a href="http://www.agriculture.gov.au/about/assistance-grants-tenders">http://www.agriculture.gov.au/about/assistance-grants-tenders</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Communications	<a href="http://www.communications.gov.au/funding_and_programs">http://www.communications.gov.au/funding_and_programs</a>



Category	Name	Hyperlink
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Education	<a href="http://www.education.gov.au/grants">http://www.education.gov.au/grants</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Employment	<a href="http://employment.gov.au/grants">http://employment.gov.au/grants</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of the Environment	<a href="http://www.environment.gov.au/about/programs/index.html">http://www.environment.gov.au/about/programs/index.html</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Health	<a href="http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/Listing+of+Tenders+and+Grants-1#doha">http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/Listing+of+Tenders+and+Grants-1#doha</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Human Services	<a href="http://www.humanservices.gov.au/community/government-programs/">http://www.humanservices.gov.au/community/government-programs/</a> <a href="http://www.australia.gov.au/search/site/grants">http://www.australia.gov.au/search/site/grants</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Infrastructure and Regional Development	<a href="http://investment.infrastructure.gov.au/funding/">http://investment.infrastructure.gov.au/funding/</a>
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	Department of Social Security	<a href="https://www.dss.gov.au/grants">https://www.dss.gov.au/grants</a>



Category	Name	Hyperlink
Australian Government Departments and Agencies	National Library of Australia	<a href="http://www.nla.gov.au/services/awards.html">http://www.nla.gov.au/services/awards.html</a>





## 1.2 Relevant grant funding for PBCs

The tables below provide details of grant funding offered by the Australian Government and other sources for activities related to the exercise of native title rights and interests. Links are provided to each program website. While every effort has been made to ensure that details are correct, users of this guide are advised to contact the relevant organisation or visit the relevant website to confirm program details and closing dates.

It is important to note that the Australian Government introduced the Indigenous Advancement Strategy (IAS) on 1 July 2014. The IAS replaced more than 150 individual programs and activities with five broad-based programs:

- Jobs, Land and Economy
- Children and Schooling
- Safety and Wellbeing
- Culture and Capability
- Remote Australia Strategies

Most Indigenous-specific funding available through the Australian Government can now be applied for through the IAS which is administered by the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (PM&C). At the time that this guide was produced the basic support funding program for PBCs was being transferred to the IAS and new IAS guidelines for PBC funding for 2015-2016 were being developed. Further announcements in relation to PBC funding are expected from PM&C by mid-2015. Further information about the IAS can be found at: **NB this is a new link**

<https://www.dpmc.gov.au/resource-centre/indigenous-affairs/indigenous-advancement-strategy-grant-guidelines-march-2016>

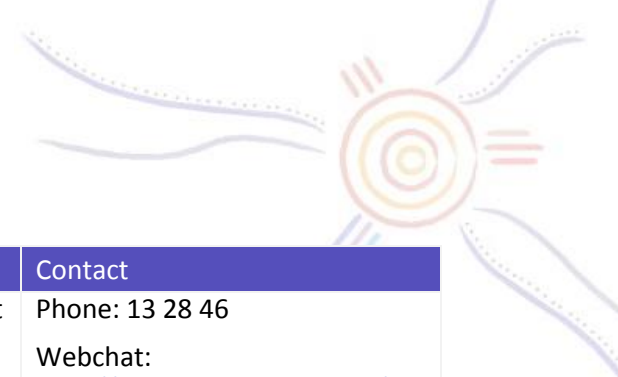


**Table 3: Grant funding for PBCs through Australian Government departments**

Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
General	<a href="#">Indigenous Advancement Strategy</a>	<p>The Indigenous Advancement Strategy (IAS) replaces most previous Indigenous grant funding programs with a single program with five streams:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jobs, Land and Economy</li> <li>• Children and Schooling</li> <li>• Safety and Wellbeing</li> <li>• Culture and Capability</li> <li>• Remote Australia Strategies</li> </ul> <p>Organisations can apply for funding from one or more of these streams through a single application, and receive a single funding agreement from PM&amp;C.</p>	Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet	Contact the department or check the website for details.	Phone: 1800 088 323 Email: <a href="mailto:iasgrants@pmc.gov.au">iasgrants@pmc.gov.au</a>
Arts	<a href="#">Indigenous Programs – Screen Australia</a>	<p>Screen Australia supports creative ambitious projects which have imaginative, resonant stories authored by indigenous Australians. There are several streams of funding, including, documentary, drama and multi-platform. Please check the website for a full description.</p>	Screen Australia	Contact the department or check the website for details.	Phone: (02) 8113 5800 Freecall: 1800 213 099 Fax: (02) 8113 5888 Email: <a href="mailto:info@screenaustralia.gov.au">info@screenaustralia.gov.au</a>



Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
Arts	<a href="#">Indigenous Visual Arts Industry Support (IVAIS)</a>	Provides funding to support professional development and training activities in the Indigenous visual arts industry.	Ministry for the Arts	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 006 992
Arts	<a href="#">Regional Arts Fund</a>	Supports cultural development in communities across regional and remote Australia; it particularly encourages the establishment of networks and partnerships to promote social inclusion, the exchange of ideas and to create growth and opportunities in regional communities.	Ministry for the Arts	Please refer to the relevant regional arts organisation websites for round opening and closing dates.	Email: <a href="mailto:regional@arts.gov.au">regional@arts.gov.au</a> Contact details are available on each regional arts organisation's website: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">artsACT</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Arts NT</a> <a href="https://nt.gov.au/leisure/arts-culture-heritage/arts-funding-and-grants">https://nt.gov.au/leisure/arts-culture-heritage/arts-funding-and-grants</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Country Arts SA</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Country Arts WA</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Artslink Queensland</a> <a href="http://artslinkqld.com.au/regional-arts/regional-arts-fund/">http://artslinkqld.com.au/regional-arts/regional-arts-fund/</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Regional Arts NSW</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Regional Arts Victoria</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Tasmanian Regional Arts</a></li> </ul>



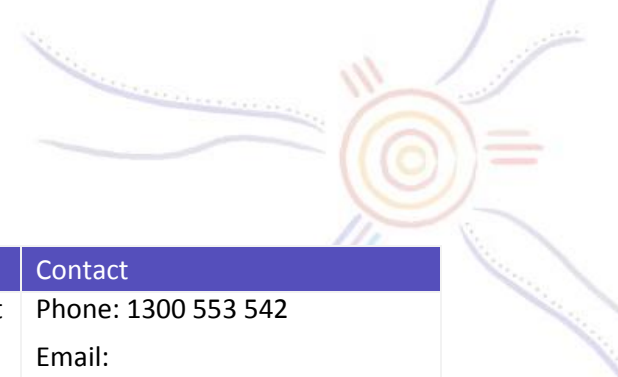
Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
Business Support	<a href="#">Business Growth Grants</a>	<p>Business Growth Grant funding can be used to engage a consultant/s to make improvements to your business that may have been recommended by your Adviser or Facilitator.</p> <p>Your business will be reimbursed up to half the cost of engaging the consultant, to a maximum of \$20,000 (excluding GST).</p>	AusIndustry	Contact the department or check website for details.	<p>Phone: 13 28 46</p> <p>Webchat:  <a href="http://www.business.gov.au/contact-us/Pages/web-chat.aspx">http://www.business.gov.au/contact-us/Pages/web-chat.aspx</a></p> <p>Online enquiry form:  <a href="http://www.business.gov.au/contact-us/Pages/email-us.aspx">http://www.business.gov.au/contact-us/Pages/email-us.aspx</a></p>
Community Support	<a href="#">Families and Communities Programme</a>	<p>Provides early intervention and prevention support to families, children, young people, volunteers, refugees, migrants and other individuals with special circumstances. Priorities include activities to improve financial wellbeing and capability, strengthen communities, support migrants' transition to life in Australia, and ensure the lifetime wellbeing of families and children.</p>	Department of Social Services	Contact the department or check website for details.	<p>Phone: 1300 653 227</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:dssfeedback@dss.gov.au">dssfeedback@dss.gov.au</a></p>



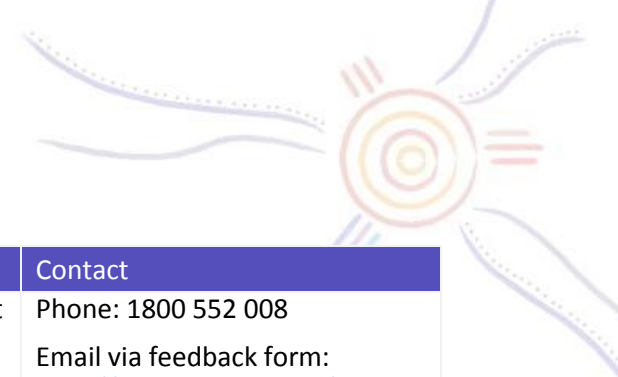
Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
Cultural Heritage	<a href="#">Community Heritage Grants</a>	The Community Heritage Grants program provides grants of up to \$15,000 to community organisations such as libraries, archives, museums, genealogical and historical societies, multicultural and Indigenous groups. The grants are provided to assist with the preservation of locally owned, but nationally significant collections of materials that are publicly accessible including artefacts, letters, diaries, maps, photographs, and audio visual material.	National Library of Australia	Contact the department or check website for details.	Contact the Community Heritage Grants Coordinator at: Phone: (02) 6262 1147 Fax: (02) 6262 1274 Email: <a href="mailto:chg@nla.gov.au">chg@nla.gov.au</a> Mail: The Coordinator Community Heritage Grants National Library of Australia CANBERRA ACT 2600
Cultural Heritage	<a href="#">Indigenous Culture Support</a>	This program provides funding that supports the maintenance and continued development of Indigenous culture at the community level.	Ministry for the Arts	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 006 992. Email: <a href="mailto:ics@pmc.gov.au">ics@pmc.gov.au</a> <a href="http://arts.gov.au/indigenous">http://arts.gov.au/indigenous</a>



Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
Infrastructure	<a href="#">Natural Disaster Resilience Program</a> <a href="http://www.disasterassist.gov.au/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.disasterassist.gov.au/Pages/default.aspx</a>	Provides funding for disaster mitigation works as well as support for emergency management volunteers.	Emergency Management Australia	Check your relevant State or Territory NDRP website for details.	<p>New South Wales            Phone: (02) 8247 5900            Email: <a href="mailto:ndrp@mpes.nsw.gov.au">ndrp@mpes.nsw.gov.au</a></p> <p>Northern Territory            Phone: (08) 8922 3631            Email: <a href="mailto:ndrp@nt.gov.au">ndrp@nt.gov.au</a></p> <p>Queensland            Phone: 13 7468            Email: <a href="mailto:lgfundingunit@dlgcr.qld.gov.au">lgfundingunit@dlgcr.qld.gov.au</a></p> <p>South Australia            Phone: (08) 8463 4056            Email: <a href="mailto:SAFECOM.enquiries@safecom.sa.gov.au">SAFECOM.enquiries@safecom.sa.gov.au</a></p> <p>Victoria            Phone: (03) 8685 1309            Email: <a href="mailto:ndrgs@justice.vic.gov.au">ndrgs@justice.vic.gov.au</a></p> <p>Western Australia            Phone: (08) 9482 1706            Email: <a href="mailto:ndrp@semc.wa.gov.au">ndrp@semc.wa.gov.au</a></p>

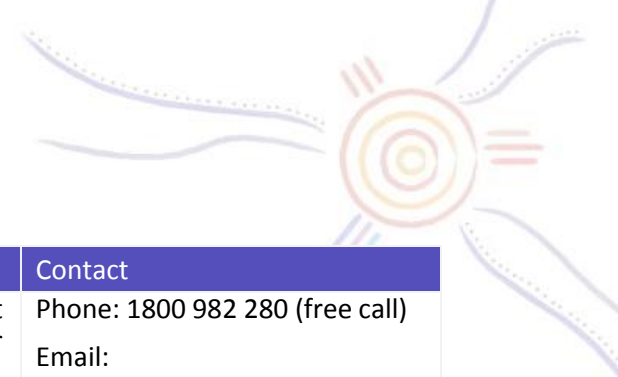


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Land and Water	<a href="#">Emissions Reduction Fund</a>	Through the Emissions Reduction Fund, the Government will purchase lowest cost abatement (in the form of Australian carbon credit units) from a wide range of sources, providing an incentive to businesses, households and landowners to proactively reduce their emissions.	Clean Energy Regulator	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1300 553 542 Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@cleanenergyregulator.gov.au">enquiries@cleanenergyregulator.gov.au</a>
Land and Water	<a href="#">Indigenous Advancement Strategy – Jobs, Land and Economy Programme</a> <a href="http://www.indigenous.gov.au/jobs-land-and-economy">http://www.indigenous.gov.au/jobs-land-and-economy</a>	Provides support to connect working age Indigenous Australians with jobs, foster Indigenous business and assist Indigenous people to generate economic and social benefits from economic assets, including Indigenous-owned land. Supports activities that support jobs in sea and land management.	Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 088 323 Email: <a href="mailto:iasgrants@pmc.gov.au">iasgrants@pmc.gov.au</a>
Land and Water	<a href="#">Innovation Grants</a> <a href="http://www.agriculture.gov.au/about/assistance-grants-tenders">http://www.agriculture.gov.au/about/assistance-grants-tenders</a>	Innovation Grants will give farmers, fishermen, groups and businesses more tools to implement sustainable practices, reduce farm costs and build productivity.	Department of Agriculture	Contact the department or check website for details.	Email: <a href="mailto:innovationgrants@agriculture.gov.au">innovationgrants@agriculture.gov.au</a>



Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
Land and Water	<a href="http://www.nrm.gov.au/indigenous-nrm">National Landcare Programme</a> <a href="http://www.nrm.gov.au/indigenous-nrm">http://www.nrm.gov.au/indigenous-nrm</a>	The National Landcare Programme will support sustainable land management practices to deliver long-term benefits.	Department of the Environment  Department of Agriculture	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 552 008  Email via feedback form: <a href="http://www.nrm.gov.au/contact/send-us-your-feedback">http://www.nrm.gov.au/contact/send-us-your-feedback</a>
Land and Water	<a href="#">Green Army</a>	The Green Army Programme provides opportunities for all young Australians aged 17-24 to gain training and experience in environmental and heritage conservation fields and explore careers in conservation management, while participating in projects that generate benefits for the Australian environment.	Department of the Environment	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 780 730  Email: <a href="mailto:GreenArmy@environment.gov.au">GreenArmy@environment.gov.au</a>





Subject	Program	Program Details	Department	Closing Date	Contact
Land and Water	<a href="#">Indigenous Protected Areas Programme</a>	<p>Indigenous communities apply to the Government for support to consult with their community and other stakeholders on whether an Indigenous Protected Area is the right future for their country. They then apply to the Government for support to consult with their community and other stakeholders on what an Indigenous Protected Area declaration would mean for them.</p> <p>Indigenous landowners thinking about establishing an Indigenous Protected Area on their land can also access Government support for legal advice and advice on cultural heritage and conservation aspects of their proposed Indigenous Protected Area.</p>	Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet	Contact the department or check the website for updates.	Phone: 1800 982 280 (free call) Email: <a href="mailto:IPA@network.pmc.gov.au">IPA@network.pmc.gov.au</a>
Land and Water	<a href="#">Land Management Program</a>	The Land Management Program assists Indigenous landholders to deliver Indigenous benefits by building capacity to sustainably manage land and develop viable land uses.	Indigenous Land Corporation	Contact the department or check the website for updates.	Phone: 1800 818 490 Email: <a href="mailto:ilcinfo@ilc.gov.au">ilcinfo@ilc.gov.au</a>

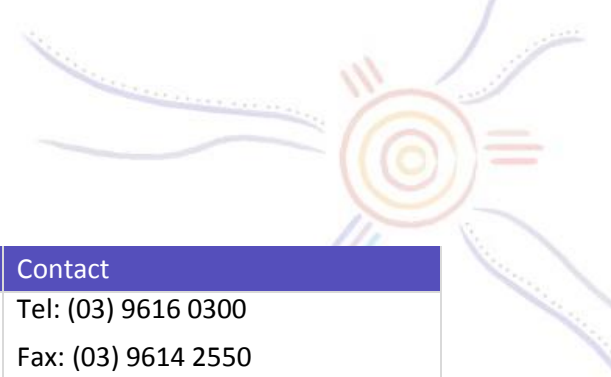


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Land and Water	<a href="#">Land Acquisition Program</a>	The ILC acquires and grants properties to Indigenous organisations to achieve Indigenous benefits.	Indigenous Land Corporation	Applications for cultural and environmental acquisitions can be submitted at any time of the year.	Phone: 1800 818 490 Email: <a href="mailto:ilcinfo@ilc.gov.au">ilcinfo@ilc.gov.au</a>
Land and Water	<a href="#">20 Million Trees Programme</a>	The Australian Government will work with the community to plant 20 million trees by 2020, to re-establish green corridors and urban forests.	Department of the Environment Department of Agriculture	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 552 008 Email: <a href="mailto:20milliontrees@environment.gov.au">20milliontrees@environment.gov.au</a>
Language	<a href="#">Indigenous Languages Support</a> <a href="http://arts.gov.au/topics/indigenous-arts-languages-and-culture/indigenous-languages-and-arts-program">http://arts.gov.au/topics/indigenous-arts-languages-and-culture/indigenous-languages-and-arts-program</a>	Supports language projects involving Indigenous language promotion, documentation, recording, resources, databases, and programs.	Ministry for the Arts	Contact the department or check website for details.	Tel: 1800 006 992 Email: <a href="mailto:ics@pmc.gov.au">ics@pmc.gov.au</a>



**Table 4: Grant funding for PBCs through other sources**

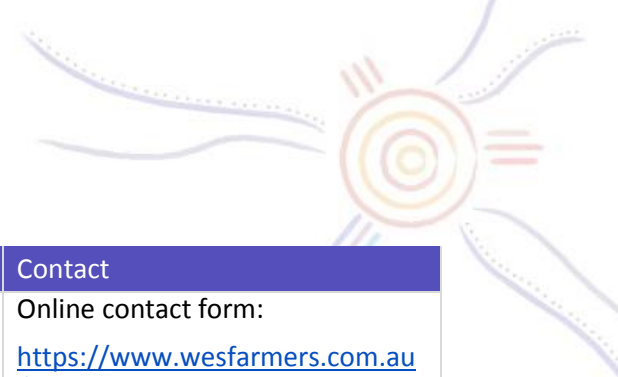
Subject	Program	Program Details	Organisation	Closing Date	Contact
Arts	<a href="#">Aboriginal Benefits Foundation Grants</a>	The Foundation provides grants to assist Aboriginal communities and individuals by providing funds to support projects which advance the aims of the Foundation, with the current focus on supporting art, health and cultural projects with a connection to Aboriginal art and/or artists.	Aboriginal Benefits Foundation	Grant applications are considered by the Board of the Foundation at each directors meeting. The Board currently meets approximately 6 - 8 times each year.  In extreme and special circumstances the Board may allocate funds outside these guidelines.  Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Email: <a href="mailto:info@aboriginal.org.au">info@aboriginal.org.au</a>
Arts	<a href="#">The Ian Potter Foundation - Arts</a>	This program seeks to support cultural institutions and organisations in Australia which are distinctive in artistic achievement, imagination and innovation; and to extend cultural opportunities to regional centres, and encourage the development of arts programs at a local level.	The Ian Potter Foundation	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Phone: (03) 9650 3188 Fax: (03) 9650 7986 Email: <a href="mailto:admin@ianpotter.org.au">admin@ianpotter.org.au</a> Mail: Level 3, 111 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000



Subject	Program	Program Details	Organisation	Closing Date	Contact
Arts	<a href="#">Australia Cultural Fund</a>	Creative Partnerships Australia is able to use its deductible gift recipient (DGR) status to receive donations and grants and pass them on to not-for-profit arts organisations that do not (or do not yet) have DGR status and individual artists who cannot obtain DGR.	Creative Partnerships Australia - Australian Business Arts Foundation (AbaF)	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Tel: (03) 9616 0300 Fax: (03) 9614 2550 Email: <a href="mailto:info@creativepartnershipsaustralia.org.au">info@creativepartnershipsaustralia.org.au</a> Mail: Level 2, 405 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000
Business Support	<a href="#">Indigenous Social Enterprise Fund</a>	The Indigenous Social Enterprise Fund (ISEF) will provide investment and business support to Indigenous social enterprises.	Social Ventures Australia	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Phone: (02) 8004 6712 Email: <a href="mailto:ibalachandran@socialventures.com.au">ibalachandran@socialventures.com.au</a>
Community Support	<a href="#">Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal Grants</a>	The Foundation provides discretionary grants to not-for-profit organisations working to strengthen rural and regional communities across Australia.	Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal (FRRR)	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Phone: (03) 5430 2399 Phone: 1800 170 020 Fax: 03 5443 8900 Email: <a href="mailto:info@frrr.org.au">info@frrr.org.au</a>
Community Support	<a href="#">The Ian Potter Foundation – Community Wellbeing Program</a>	Aims to alleviate disadvantage and promote the general wellbeing of the community.	The Ian Potter Foundation	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Phone: (03) 9650 3188 Fax: (03) 9650 7986 Email: <a href="mailto:admin@ianpotter.org.au">admin@ianpotter.org.au</a> Mail: Level 3, 111 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000



Subject	Program	Program Details	Organisation	Closing Date	Contact
Community Support	<a href="#">Jetstar Flying Start</a>	Jetstar's Flying Start Programme invites community groups and organisations across Australia to apply for a grant for \$30,000, made up of \$15,000 cash and \$15,000 worth of travel with Jetstar, to fund a project that will enrich the lives of people in their local community.	Jetstar	Applications will be accepted from different states as follows: Qld/NT: 01 Jan – 31 Mar NSW/ACT: 1 Apr – 30 Jun Vic/Tas: 1 Jul – 30 Sep SA/WA: 1 Oct – 31 Dec	Applications via online form: <a href="http://www.jetstar.com/au/en/flyingstart#apply-now">http://www.jetstar.com/au/en/flyingstart#apply-now</a>
Community Support	<a href="#">Mercy Foundation Small Grants Program</a>	The Mercy Foundation offers small grants for a range of social justice and community initiatives.	Mercy Foundation	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Tel: (02) 9911 7390 Email: <a href="mailto:office@mercyfoundation.com.au">office@mercyfoundation.com.au</a>
Community Support	<a href="#">Poverty and Disadvantage Grants</a>	Aims to address underlying problems that give rise to poverty and disadvantage, and to find ways to strengthen systems, services, communities and individuals to prevent poverty and to reduce disadvantage for those who are most at risk.	The Myer Foundation and Sidney Myer Fund	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Phone: (03) 8672 5555 Fax: (03) 8672 5556 Email: <a href="mailto:admin@myerfoundation.org.au">admin@myerfoundation.org.au</a>
Community Support	<a href="#">Scanlon Foundation Community Grants</a>	Invests in ideas that result in sustainable outcomes and achieve social and structural change that support a more cohesive Australian society and draws strength and pride from its diversity.	Scanlon Foundation	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Online contact form: <a href="http://scanlonfoundation.org.au/contact-us/">http://scanlonfoundation.org.au/contact-us/</a>



Subject	Program	Program Details	Organisation	Closing Date	Contact
Community Support	<a href="#">Wesfarmers Community Partnerships Sponsorship</a>	The Wesfarmers partnerships program is focused on four key areas: arts and innovation, indigenous communities, medical health and research; and education and community.	Wesfarmers	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Online contact form: <a href="https://www.wesfarmers.com.au/contact.html">https://www.wesfarmers.com.au/contact.html</a>
Land and Water	<a href="#">The Ian Potter Foundation – Environment and Conservation Program</a>	Sustainability, preservation of biodiversity and landscape-scale conservation are the important but complex challenges addressed in this program area.	The Ian Potter Foundation	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Phone: (03) 9650 3188 Fax: (03) 9650 7986 Email: <a href="mailto:admin@ianpotter.org.au">admin@ianpotter.org.au</a> Mail: Level 3, 111 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000
Youth	<a href="#">Telstra Foundation and Telstra Kids Fund</a>	Telstra Kids Fund contributes one million each year to activities that connect Australian children to their local communities. Community campaigns are created to amplify digital opportunities for social impact.	Telstra Foundation	Contact the organisation or check website for details.	Website: <a href="http://telstrafoundation.com/">http://telstrafoundation.com/</a>

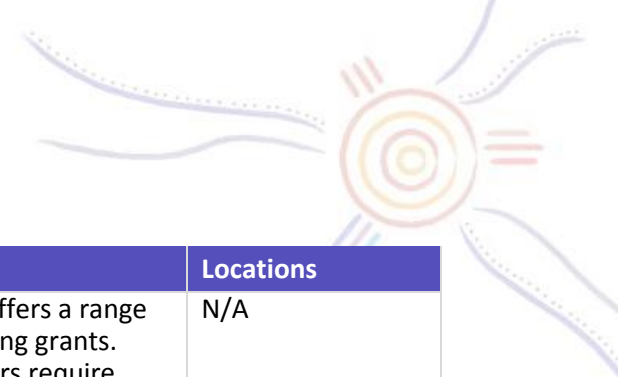


### 1.3 Applying for grant funding

The table below provides a list of resources to assist PBCs with applying for grant funding. The list includes guides to writing grant funding applications. It also includes guides to crowdfunding – a relatively new way of raising funds through donations of money from the public using crowdfunding websites.

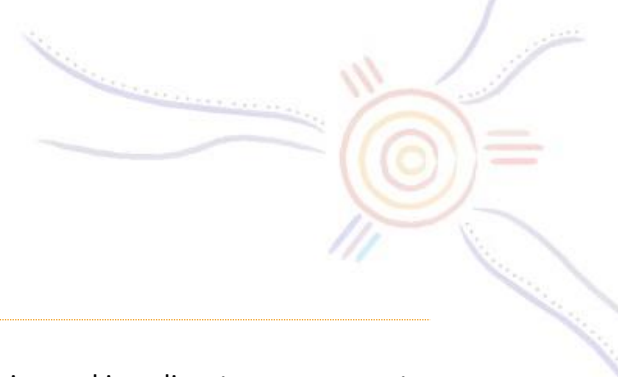
**Table 5: Grant funding assistance and training**

Subject	Program	Information	Locations
Guides to writing a grant proposal	<p><a href="#">Community Door – Funding page</a></p> <p>Including:</p> <p><a href="#">The Valuing Organisational Improvement and Community Excellence (VOICE) initiative’s guide to writing a submission for funding</a> [RTF 326KB]</p>	<p>Community Door is a gateway for community-managed organisations to access key information to assist in all aspects of operation.</p> <p>Community Door is managed and developed by the Queensland Council of Social Services. It is funded by the Queensland Department of Communities.</p>	N/A
Guides to writing a grant proposal	<p><a href="#">The Grantseeker Manual – Community Builders NSW</a> [PDF 403KB]</p> <p><a href="http://juwarki.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2013/06/grantseekermanualfinal.pdf">http://juwarki.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2013/06/grantseekermanualfinal.pdf</a></p>	<p>This manual covers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand what grantmakers will be looking for when they read grant applications</li> <li>• Plan your project</li> <li>• Write an application for funding which tells the grantmaker what you are planning to do.</li> <li>• Keep up a relationship with the grantmaker that enhances your chances of future success.</li> </ul> <p>There is also a Glossary to assist with any unfamiliar terms. You will also find a detailed list of links, further reading and resources to help expand your knowledge on all aspects of the grantseeking process.</p>	N/A



Subject	Program	Information	Locations
Guides to writing a grant proposal	<a href="#">Our Community Funding Centre</a>	Our Community's Funding Centre offers a range of resources for organisations seeking grants. Some resources are free while others require payment. Our Community also offers training for a fee.	N/A
Crowdfunding guides	<a href="#">Australian Government</a> <a href="https://www.business.gov.au/info/run/finance-and-accounting/finance/crowdfunding-how-to-fund-your-business-idea">https://www.business.gov.au/info/run/finance-and-accounting/finance/crowdfunding-how-to-fund-your-business-idea</a>	Crowdfunding is a relatively new approach that is being used by groups to raise funds through donations of money from the public. This is commonly done through crowdfunding websites. PBCs may wish to consider crowdfunding as a way to raise funds to undertake a particular project.	N/A
Crowdfunding guides	<a href="#">Queensland Government</a>	Crowdfunding is a relatively new approach that is being used by groups to raise funds through donations of money from the public. This is commonly done through crowdfunding websites. PBCs may wish to consider crowdfunding as a way to raise funds to undertake a particular project.	N/A
Crowdfunding guides	<a href="#">Our Community Funding Centre</a>	Crowdfunding is a relatively new approach that is being used by groups to raise funds through donations of money from the public. This is commonly done through crowdfunding websites. PBCs may wish to consider crowdfunding as a way to raise funds to undertake a particular project.	N/A



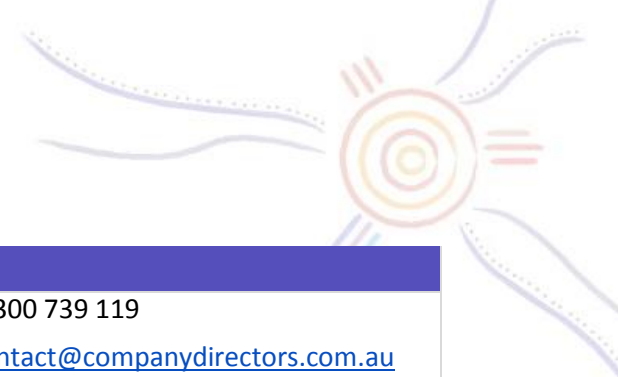


## 2 TRAINING INFORMATION

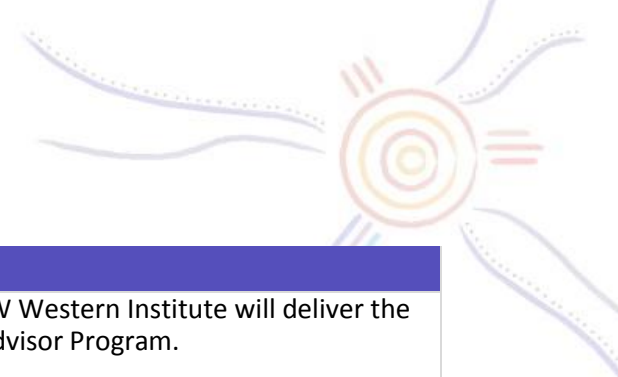
PBC directors, members and staff may require training to ensure that they are able to deal with issues of decision making, dispute management, communication, governance, business management, as well as land and resource management. The table below provides a list of training courses and training providers that may be of interest to PBCs.

**Table 6: Training providers and courses**

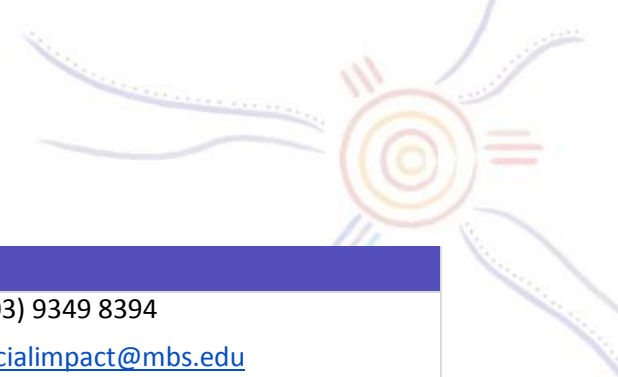
Organisation	Courses	Information	Locations	Contact
The Aurora Project	<p><a href="#">Training and Professional Development programs</a></p> <p><a href="#">NB Aurora has suspended training and there are no courses available at present.</a></p>	<p>Aurora offers a range of training and professional development programs that cover aspects of native title work involved in managing Native Title Representative Bodies and Native Title Service Providers and their staff.</p> <p>Selected programs may also be open to representatives from PBCs.</p> <p>There is no fee to attend, however your organisation is responsible for all travel arrangements.</p>	<p>Check website for details.</p> <p>A training calendar can be downloaded at:</p> <p><a href="#">The Aurora Project training calendar for 2015</a> (PDF 100 KB)</p>	<p>Phone: (02) 9310 8416</p> <p>Online contact form: <a href="http://www.auroraproject.com.au/contactus">http://www.auroraproject.com.au/contactus</a></p>
Australian Indigenous Leadership Centre (AILC)	<p><a href="#">AILC Courses and Programs</a></p>	<p>The AILC offers a range of courses in Indigenous leadership and governance.</p>	<p>Check website for details.</p>	<p>Phone: (02) 6251 5770</p> <p>Fax: (02) 6251 6312</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:applications@ailc.org.au">applications@ailc.org.au</a></p> <p>Mail: AILC, PO Box 4110 Kingston ACT 2604</p>



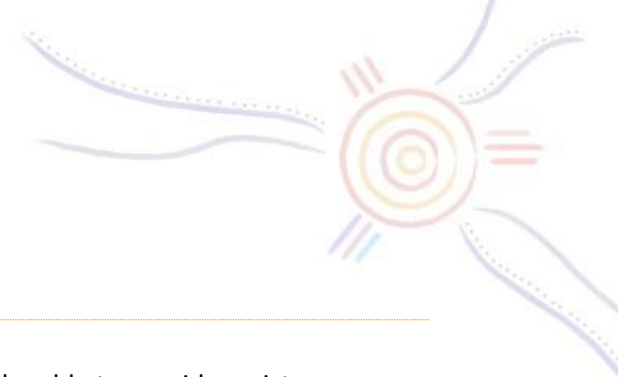
Organisation	Courses	Information	Locations	Contact
Australian Institute of Company Directors	<a href="#">Professional Development for Directors</a>	A range of courses are offered that are designed for the professional development of company directors.	Check course calendar for details: <a href="http://www.companydirectors.com.au/Courses/Course-Calendar">http://www.companydirectors.com.au/Courses/Course-Calendar</a>	Phone: 1300 739 119 Email: <a href="mailto:contact@companydirectors.com.au">contact@companydirectors.com.au</a>
Department of the Environment	<a href="#">Register of Cultural Heritage Management Training Providers</a>	The Register of Cultural Heritage Management Training Providers has been developed as a resource for Indigenous land and sea managers who want to undertake training in cultural heritage management. The website lists various individuals and organisations that offer formal and informal cultural heritage management training across Australia.	Check website for details.	N/A
Department of Communications	<a href="#">Digital Enterprise programme</a> <a href="http://digitalbusiness.gov.au/getting-online/digital-enterprise/">http://digitalbusiness.gov.au/getting-online/digital-enterprise/</a>	The Digital Enterprise programme provides free group training and face-to-face support for small-to-medium enterprises and not-for-profit organisations to help improve the way you do business and deliver services online.	Contact the department or check website for details.	Phone: 1800 254 649



Organisation	Courses	Information	Locations	Contact
Department of Communications	<a href="#">Virtual Advisor Program</a>	<p>The Virtual Advisor Program gives free training to people who want to set up an online business or improve their current skills to make the most of the Internet. Training is delivered by webinars to make it easier for people in regional and remote areas to access this service.</p> <p>The program is available to all small to medium enterprises and not for profit organisations that identify as Indigenous and are located in regional, rural and remote areas of Australia.</p>	Contact TAFE NSW Western Institute for details.	<p>TAFE NSW Western Institute will deliver the Virtual Advisor Program.</p> <p>To find out more about the program or access training please visit the TAFE NSW Western Institute website:  <a href="http://www.wit.tafensw.edu.au/studying-at-tafe/virtual-advisor-program">http://www.wit.tafensw.edu.au/studying-at-tafe/virtual-advisor-program</a></p> <p>Phone: 1300 823 393</p>
Indigenous Business Australia	<a href="#">Into Business Workshops</a>	<p>Indigenous Business Australia (IBA) offers free Into Business™ workshops as part of its Business Development and Assistance Program for aspiring Indigenous entrepreneurs. The workshops are designed to assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders to fully investigate and research their business ideas before taking the leap into business ownership.</p>	Check website for full list of dates and locations.	<p>Phone: 1800 107 107</p> <p>Online enquiry form:</p> <p>For training opportunities with IBA see:  <a href="http://www.iba.gov.au/careers/indigenous-traineeship-opportunities/">http://www.iba.gov.au/careers/indigenous-traineeship-opportunities/</a></p>



Organisation	Courses	Information	Locations	Contact
Melbourne Business School	<a href="#">Murra Indigenous Business Masterclass Program</a>	The MURRA Indigenous Business Master Class Program (MURRA) is an innovative education and mentoring program for established Indigenous entrepreneurs.	Melbourne  Dates for the 2016 Program are:  <b>Module 1:</b> 17-20 March 2016 <b>Module 2:</b> 21-24 April 2016 <b>Module 3:</b> 16-19 June 2016	Phone: (03) 9349 8394  Email: <a href="mailto:socialimpact@mbs.edu">socialimpact@mbs.edu</a>
Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations (ORIC)	<a href="#">Introduction to Corporate Governance workshops</a> <a href="#">Certificate IV in Business (Governance)</a> <a href="#">Diploma of Business (Governance)</a> <a href="#">Corporation Specific Training</a>	<p>ORIC offers a range of free courses and will pay for travel, accommodation and training costs for participants to attend their closest training.</p> <p>Applications are welcome from all directors, future directors, members and key staff of Indigenous corporations registered under the CATSI Act.</p> <p>ORIC also offers corporate specific training which is tailored to meet the individual requirements of the group or corporation requesting it and is available upon request.</p>	For dates and locations visit:  <a href="http://www.oric.gov.au/training/training-courses-2014-15">http://www.oric.gov.au/training/training-courses-2014-15</a>	Phone: 1800 622 431  Email: <a href="mailto:training@oric.gov.au">training@oric.gov.au</a>



### 3 OTHER ASSISTANCE

Native title holders, through PBCs, may seek to establish relationships with a range of organisations that may be able to provide assistance, advice, information or resources.

Key sources of assistance for PBCs are Native Title Representative Bodies (NTRBs) and Native Title Service Providers (NTSPs). The roles and functions of NTRBs and NTSPs include providing assistance to native title holders in relation to native title applications, future acts, Indigenous land use agreements, rights of access and other matters.

The National Native Title Tribunal provides a map of native title representative body regions at: [http://www.nntt.gov.au/Maps/RATSIB\\_map.pdf](http://www.nntt.gov.au/Maps/RATSIB_map.pdf)

The table below provides a list of all NTRBs and NTSPs across Australia by state/territory and region.

**Table 7: Native Title Representative Bodies and Native Title Service Providers**

State	Region	Organisation	Organisation Type	Contact
New South Wales	New South Wales	<a href="#">NTSCORP Ltd</a>	Native Title Service Provider	Phone: (02) 9310 3188 Toll Free: 1800 111 844 Fax: (02) 9310 4177 Email: <a href="mailto:information@ntscorp.com.au">information@ntscorp.com.au</a>
Northern Territory	Northern Northern Territory	<a href="#">Northern Land Council</a>	Native Title Representative Body	NLC Head Office Phone: (08) 8920 5100 Fax (08) 8920 5255
Northern Territory	Southern Northern Territory	<a href="#">Central Land Council</a>	Native Title Representative Body	CLC Main Office Phone: (08) 8951 6211 Fax: (08) 8953 4343



State	Region	Organisation	Organisation Type	Contact
Queensland	Torres Strait	<a href="#">Torres Strait Regional Authority</a>	Native Title Representative Body	Phone: (07) 40690 700 Toll Free: 1800 079 093 Fax: (07) 4069 1879 Email: <a href="mailto:info@tsra.gov.au">info@tsra.gov.au</a>
Queensland	Cape York Region	<a href="#">Cape York Land Council</a>	Native Title Representative Body	Phone: (07) 4053 9222 Freecall: 1800 623 548 Fax: (07) 4051 0097 Email: <a href="mailto:info@cylc.org.au">info@cylc.org.au</a>
Queensland	Carpentaria Gulf Region	<a href="#">Carpentaria Land Council Aboriginal Corporation</a>	Native Title Service Provider	Burketown Office Phone: (07) 4745 5132 Freecall: 1800 445 115 Fax: (07) 4745 5204 Cairns Office Phone: (07) 4041 3833 Fax: (07) 4041 3533 Email: <a href="mailto:info@clcac.com.au">info@clcac.com.au</a> Normanton Office Phone: (07) 4745 1556 Fax: 4745 1569
Queensland	North Queensland Region	<a href="#">North Queensland Land Council</a>	Native Title Representative Body	Freecall: 1800 814 779



State	Region	Organisation	Organisation Type	Contact
Queensland	Southern and Western Queensland Region	<a href="#">Queensland South Native Title Services</a>	Native Title Service Provider	Phone: (07) 3224 1200 Freecall: 1800 663 693 Fax: (07) 3229 9880 Email: <a href="mailto:reception@qsnts.com.au">reception@qsnts.com.au</a>
South Australia	Greater South Australia	<a href="#">South Australian Native Title Services</a>	Native Title Service Provider	Phone: (08) 8110 2800 Freecall: 1800 010 360 Fax: (08) 8110 2811
Victoria	Victoria	<a href="#">Native Title Services Victoria</a>	Native Title Service Provider	Phone: (03) 9321 5300 Free call: 1800 791 779
Western Australia	Central Desert	<a href="#">Central Desert Native Title Services Ltd</a>	Native Title Service Provider	Phone: (08) 9425 2000 Free Call: 1800 189 936 Fax: (08) 9425 2001 Email: <a href="mailto:reception@centraldesert.org.au">reception@centraldesert.org.au</a>
Western Australia	Geraldton	<a href="#">Yamatji Marlpa Aboriginal Corporation</a>	Native Title Representative Body	Perth Office Phone: (08) 9268 7000 Fax: (08) 9225 4633



State	Region	Organisation	Organisation Type	Contact
Western Australia	Goldfields	<a href="#">Goldfields Land and Sea Council Aboriginal Corporation</a>	Native Title Representative Body	<p>Kalgoorlie-Boulder Head Office</p> <p>Phone: (08) 9091 1661</p> <p>Freecall: 1800 681 661</p> <p>Fax: (08) 9091 1662</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:reception@glc.com.au">reception@glc.com.au</a></p> <p>Perth Office Branch</p> <p>Phone: (08) 9263 8700</p> <p>Fax: (08) 9218 9449</p>
Western Australia	Kimberley	<a href="#">Kimberley Land Council</a>	Native Title Representative Body	<p>Main Office: Broome</p> <p>Phone: (08) 9194 0100</p> <p>Fax: (08) 9193 6279</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:klc@klc.org.au">klc@klc.org.au</a></p>
Western Australia	Pilbara	<a href="#">Yamatji Marlpa Aboriginal Corporation</a>	Native Title Representative Body	<p>Perth Office</p> <p>Phone: (08) 9268 7000</p> <p>Fax: (08) 9225 4633</p>
Western Australia	South West	<a href="#">South West Aboriginal Land and Sea Council</a>	Native Title Representative Body	<p>Phone: (08) 9358 7400</p> <p>Fax: (08) 9358 7499</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:reception1@noongar.org.au">reception1@noongar.org.au</a></p>



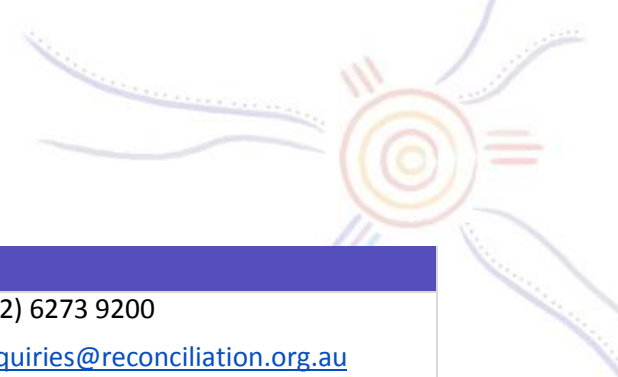


Some other organisations of interest are listed in the table below. The assistance available through these organisations is grouped by the following themes.

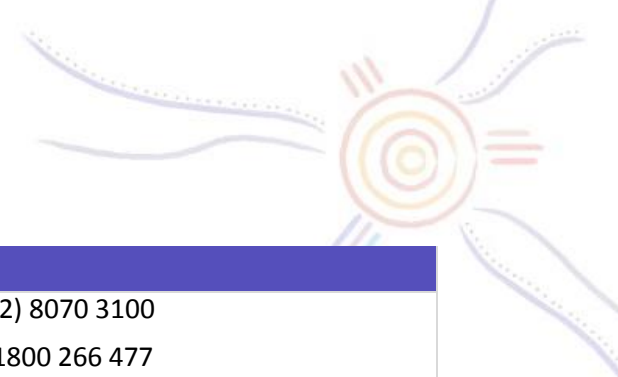
- Administration and governance
- Advocacy and support
- Employment
- Information and procedural assistance
- Interns and Volunteers
- Land and water
- Language
- Legal
- Research
- Whole of Government

**Table 8: Other assistance available**

Subject	Organisation	Details	Contact
Administration and governance	<a href="#">Australian Indigenous Governance Institute</a>	AIGI connects Indigenous groups, individuals and organisations to world-class best-practice expertise and knowledge, with a focus on building sustainable, effective and legitimate governance on the ground.	Phone: 0498 880 025 Online contact form: <a href="http://www.aigi.com.au/contact-us/">http://www.aigi.com.au/contact-us/</a>
Administration and governance	<a href="#">Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations (ORIC)</a>	ORIC supports and regulates the corporations that are incorporated under the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act. It does this in a variety of ways: by advising them on how to incorporate; by training directors, members and key staff in good corporate governance; by making sure they comply with the law; and by intervening when needed.  In addition to the training program listed above, the ORIC website contains a range of useful fact sheets and guides, including 'A guide to writing good governance rules for PBCs and RNTBCs'.	Phone: 1800 622 431 Email: <a href="mailto:info@oric.gov.au">info@oric.gov.au</a>



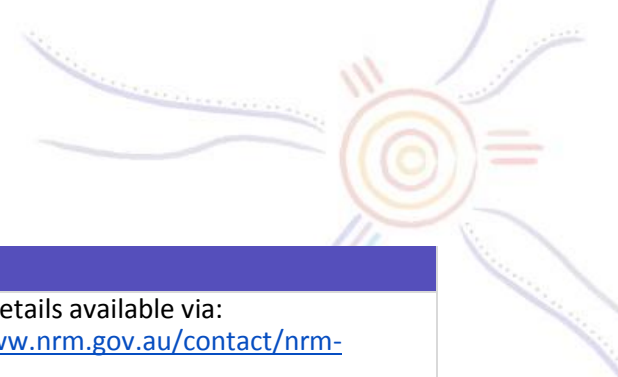
Subject	Organisation	Details	Contact
Administration and governance	<a href="#">Reconciliation Australia Indigenous Governance Toolkit</a>	The Indigenous Governance Toolkit is an online resource developed for Indigenous nations, communities, individuals and organisations searching for information to build their governance. It covers all the basics – your rules, values, culture, membership, leadership, and decision making – and has many examples of ideas that work from other groups; tools to help you get started; and useful guidance to sustain your efforts.	Phone: (02) 6273 9200 Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@reconciliation.org.au">enquiries@reconciliation.org.au</a>
Advocacy and support	<a href="#">Australians for Native Title and Reconciliation (ANTAR)</a>	ANTAR seeks to influence governments, through advocacy and lobbying, to show genuine leadership and build cross-party commitment to Indigenous policy.	Phone: (02) 9280 0060 Online contact form: <a href="http://antar.org.au/contact-antar">http://antar.org.au/contact-antar</a>
Advocacy and support	<a href="#">Australian Human Rights Commission</a>	The Australian Human Rights Commission promotes a human rights perspective on native title; assists in developing more efficient native title processes; and advocates for the co-existence of Indigenous and non-Indigenous land interests.	Phone: (02) 9284 9600
Advocacy and support	<a href="#">The Healing Foundation</a>	An independent national Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander organisation with a focus on healing our community. The Healing Foundation supports culturally strong, locally run Indigenous healing programs around Australia and funds education and research on Indigenous healing.	Online: <a href="http://healingfoundation.org.au/">http://healingfoundation.org.au/</a>



Subject	Organisation	Details	Contact
Advocacy and support	<a href="#">National Congress of Australia's First Peoples</a>	<p>The National Congress of Australia's First Peoples was established as a national voice for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples.</p> <p>As a company the Congress is owned and controlled by its membership and is independent of government. It advocates for recognising Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People's status and rights as First Nations Peoples in Australia.</p>	<p>Phone: (02) 8070 3100</p> <p>Freecall: 1800 266 477</p> <p>Fax: (02) 8070 3125</p> <p>General Email: <a href="mailto:info@nationalcongress.com.au">info@nationalcongress.com.au</a></p> <p>Membership: <a href="mailto:membership@nationalcongress.com.au">membership@nationalcongress.com.au</a></p> <p>Mail: PO BOX 1446 Strawberry Hills, NSW 2012</p>
Advocacy and support	<a href="#">Reconciliation Australia</a>	<p>Reconciliation Australia is an independent, national not-for-profit organisation promoting reconciliation by building relationships, respect and trust between the wider Australian community and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.</p>	<p>Phone: (02) 6273 9200</p> <p>Fax: (02) 6273 9201</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@reconciliation.org.au">enquiries@reconciliation.org.au</a></p>
Employment	<a href="#">Indigenous Employment Program</a>	<p>Provides a range of programs that aim to be responsive to the needs of employers, Indigenous Australians and their communities.</p>	<p>See website for information on government departments and individual phone numbers</p>
Employment	<a href="#">Vocational Training and Employment Centres (VTEC)</a>	<p>VTECs connect Indigenous job seekers with guaranteed jobs and bring together the support services necessary to prepare job seekers for long term employment. The guarantee of a job before job-specific training starts is the key feature of VTECs.</p>	<p>Phone: 1802 102</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:vtec@employment.gov.au">vtec@employment.gov.au</a></p>



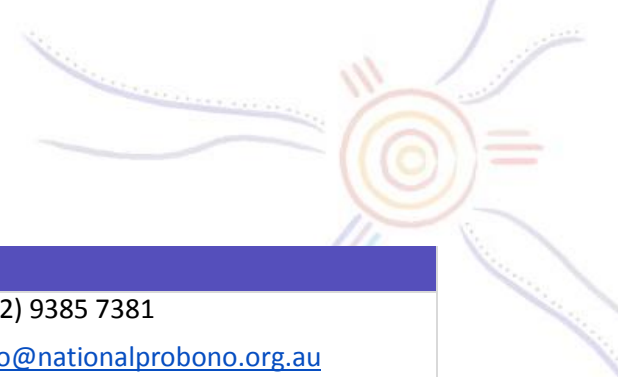
Subject	Organisation	Details	Contact
Information & procedural assistance	<a href="#">National Native Title Tribunal</a>	The National Native Title Tribunal provides native title assistance with respect to native title claimant applications, mediating native title claims, notification of native title applications and indigenous land use agreements. They maintain the Register of Native Title Claims, the National Native Title Register and the Register of Indigenous Land Use Agreements and make arbitral decisions about some future act matters.	Phone: 1800 640 501 Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@nntt.gov.au">enquiries@nntt.gov.au</a>
Interns and Volunteers	<a href="#">Aurora Native Title Internship Program</a>	Aurora internships provide opportunities for university students and graduates in law, anthropology and social sciences to gain experience in the native title field, particularly with NTRBs, while also providing additional resources to organisations in need of assistance. Your PBC may be eligible to host an intern.	Phone: (02) 9310 8413 Online contact form: <a href="http://www.auroraproject.com.au/contact-us/">http://www.auroraproject.com.au/contact-us/</a>
Interns and Volunteers	<a href="#">Indigenous Community Volunteers</a>	ICV works in partnership with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and organisations by linking skilled and trained volunteers to help in a practical way.	Phone: 1800 819 542 Email: <a href="mailto:info@icv.com.au">info@icv.com.au</a> Online enquiry form: <a href="http://www.icv.com.au/communities/enquiry/">http://www.icv.com.au/communities/enquiry/</a>
Interns and Volunteers	<a href="#">Pro Bono Australia</a>	Provides an online hub for communities and people who want to know more about the national community sector. Information includes which charities offer which services, what Australian businesses are doing within their community, what volunteering opportunities there may be, what jobs are open and the latest news affecting the sector.	Phone: (03) 8080 5650 Fax: (03) 8080 5649 Online enquiry form: <a href="http://www.probonoaustralia.com.au/contact">http://www.probonoaustralia.com.au/contact</a>
Interns and Volunteers	<a href="#">Volunteering Australia</a>	Volunteering Australia is the National peak body for volunteering working to advance volunteering in the Australian community.  Resources for Volunteer Managers are available from the website.	Phone: (02) 6251 4060 Online enquiry form: <a href="http://www.volunteeringaustralia.org/contact-us/">http://www.volunteeringaustralia.org/contact-us/</a>



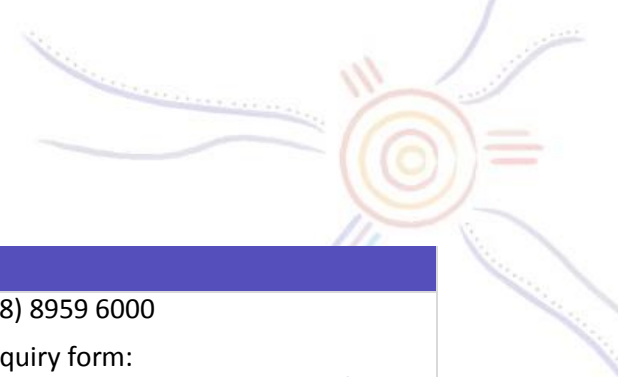
Subject	Organisation	Details	Contact
Land and water	<a href="#">Australian Government natural resource management officers</a>	Australian Government NRM Officers work at a state or territory level, and have a detailed understanding of the National Landcare Programme and other related NRM policies and programs. Their role is to help governments, regional bodies, landcare and community groups, and other natural resource management organisations understand the opportunities through the National Landcare Programme, to support program and project delivery and to inform policy makers on regional issues.	Contact details available via: <a href="http://www.nrm.gov.au/contact/nrm-officers">http://www.nrm.gov.au/contact/nrm-officers</a>
Land and water	<a href="#">Bush Heritage Australia</a>	Bush Heritage builds partnerships with Aboriginal people who are connected with their reserves, and traditional landowners throughout Australia.	Phone: 1300 628 873 or (03) 8610 9100 Fax: (03) 8610 9199 Email: <a href="mailto:info@bushheritage.org.au">info@bushheritage.org.au</a>
Land and water	<a href="#">Greening Australia</a>	Greening Australia seeks to engage the community in vegetation management and to protect and restore the health, diversity and productivity of Australian landscapes.	Phone: 1800 886 589 Email: via website <a href="http://www.greeningaustralia.org.au/contact-us">http://www.greeningaustralia.org.au/contact-us</a>
Land and water	<a href="#">Indigenous Land Corporation</a>	The ILC is a corporate Commonwealth entity, established in 1995, with the purpose of assisting Indigenous people to acquire and manage land to achieve economic, environmental, social and cultural benefits.	Head Office Phone: (08) 8100 7100 Fax: (08) 8180 0489 Mail: GPO Box 652 Adelaide SA 5001 Clickable map: <a href="http://www.ilc.gov.au/Home/Offices">http://www.ilc.gov.au/Home/Offices</a>
Land and water	<a href="#">Landcare Australia</a>	Provides a partnership between community, government and business to protect and repair the environment, through bushcare, rivercare, coastcare, urban landcare, and sustainable agriculture.	Phone: (02) 9412 1040 Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@landcareaustralia.com.au">enquiries@landcareaustralia.com.au</a>



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Land and water	<a href="#">North Australian Indigenous Land and Sea Management Alliance (NAILSMA)</a>	Provides a bioregional forum for Indigenous land and sea managers across North Australia. It supports practical Indigenous land and sea management, emphasising practical management by Traditional Owners across the whole of the North.	Phone: (08) 8946 7673 Email: <a href="mailto:contact@nailsma.org.au">contact@nailsma.org.au</a> Online contact form: <a href="http://www.nailsma.org.au/contact">http://www.nailsma.org.au/contact</a>
Language	<a href="#">Our Languages</a>	The Our Languages website has been produced as a place to share and collaborate on activities surrounding Australia's traditional Aboriginal languages.	Online contact form: <a href="http://www.ourlanguages.net.au/home/contact-us.html">http://www.ourlanguages.net.au/home/contact-us.html</a>
Legal	<a href="#">ATSILS Pro Bono Guide</a>	This guide developed by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Legal Service (ATSILS) provides information on how to obtain pro bono assistance, the main organisations that provide pro bono services, and the range of services that might be available.	Accessed via National Pro Bono Resource Centre: <a href="http://www.nationalprobono.org.au/page.asp?from=10&amp;id=264">http://www.nationalprobono.org.au/page.asp?from=10&amp;id=264</a>
Legal	<a href="#">Australian Government Solicitor's Pro Bono Program</a>	As a government-owned business and statutory authority, AGS can only undertake pro bono work that involves acting for a person or body for whom AGS can act in accordance with its functions and powers as provided for under its enabling legislation, the Judiciary Act 1903. AGS does not undertake pro bono work in any matter against a Commonwealth agency or where there is an unacceptable potential for conflict of interest for government clients. Despite these limitations, AGS have developed an extensive pro bono program, which covers a diverse range of clients all across Australia and also internationally.	Phone: (02) 6253 7573 Email: via website <a href="http://www.ags.gov.au/community/pro-bono.html">http://www.ags.gov.au/community/pro-bono.html</a>
Legal	<a href="#">Community Legal Centres</a>	Community Legal Centres (CLCs) are independently operating not-for-profit community organisations that provide legal and related services to the public, focusing on the disadvantaged and people with special needs.	Phone: (02) 9264 9595 Email: <a href="mailto:naclc@clc.net.au">naclc@clc.net.au</a>



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Legal	<a href="#">National Pro Bono Resource Centre</a>	<p>The Centre is an independent, non-profit organisation that aims to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• encourage pro bono legal services</li> <li>• support lawyers and law firms to make it easier for them to provide high quality pro bono legal services</li> <li>• work with the profession and the community sector to match services with the clients and groups most in need of assistance.</li> </ul>	<p>Phone: (02) 9385 7381</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:info@nationalprobono.org.au">info@nationalprobono.org.au</a></p>
Research	<a href="#">Agreements, Treaties and Negotiated Settlements Project (ATNS)</a>	<p>ATNS provides information that examines treaty and agreement-making with Indigenous Australians. An online database provides a gateway to current information, historical detail and published material relating to agreements made between Indigenous people and others in Australia and overseas.</p>	<p>Phone: (03) 8344 9163</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:atns-team@unimelb.edu.au">atns-team@unimelb.edu.au</a></p>
Research	<a href="#">Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies (AIATSIS)</a>	<p>AIATSIS provides the world's premier institution for information and research about the cultures and lifestyles of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, past and present.</p>	<p>Phone: (02) 6246 1111</p> <p>Online enquiry form: <a href="http://aiatsis.gov.au/corporate/contacts.aspx#form">http://aiatsis.gov.au/corporate/contacts.aspx#form</a></p>
Research	<a href="#">Centre for Aboriginal Economic Policy Research, Australian National University</a>	<p>CAEPR is a social science research body focusing on Indigenous economic and social policy from a national perspective. CAEPR aims to undertake social science research on Indigenous policy and development that informs intellectual understanding, public debate, policy formation and community action. Their website offers a number of features including open access to research results and publications.</p>	<p>Phone: (02) 6125 0587</p> <p>Online contact form: <a href="http://caepr.anu.edu.au/contact">http://caepr.anu.edu.au/contact</a></p>



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Research	<a href="#">Desert Knowledge Australia</a>	Desert Knowledge Australia is a national organisation committed to building harmony, sustainability and prosperity for all Australian desert people, both Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal.	Phone: (08) 8959 6000 Online enquiry form: <a href="http://www.desertknowledge.com.au/Contact">http://www.desertknowledge.com.au/Contact</a>
Research	<a href="#">Ninti One – Cooperative Research Centre for Remote Economic Participation</a>	CR-REP is focused on delivering solutions to the economic disadvantage that affects remote Australia. Through its research, CRC-REP provides practical responses to the complex issues that can restrict full economic participation.	Phone: (08) 8959 6000 Email: <a href="mailto:info@nintione.com.au">info@nintione.com.au</a>
Whole-of-government	<a href="#">Australian Government Regional Network</a>	This website provides details of the regional network of Australian Government offices to assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. The website will help you to find the office nearest to you.	A full list of contacts is available online: <a href="http://www.indigenous.gov.au/regional-network">http://www.indigenous.gov.au/regional-network</a>





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