

## Women in Science Emerging Researcher (WISER) Award

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*For outstanding research contributions in the physical or health and biological sciences in addition to emerging leadership and outreach contributions.*

The Faculty of Science aspires to be a leader for gender equity in the higher education sector. One of the most significant challenges for gender equity in this sector is significant attrition of female staff within the early career stages, leading to low participation of women in senior research and leadership. The Women in Science Emerging Researcher (WISER) Award aims to address this issue by highlighting two amazing early (ECR) or mid-career (MCR) researchers each year and providing them with resources to further their research career. The Faculty of Science WISER Award is a targeted award for female researchers who have excelled in their chosen research fields and are leaders of the future. The Faculty of Science also values the work that our female staff do to promote science within the community. Thus, a second eligibility criteria for the award will be the candidate's engagement with outreach activities which can include school, community or government groups. There will be two awards each year, one for researchers working in the Physical Sciences and the other for researchers in the Natural and Health Sciences.

### Applicant Details

**Name \***

|                      |                      |                      |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Title                | First Name           | Last Name            |
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**Do you identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander? \***

Yes  No

**Staff ID \***

**Position \***

**Supervisor \***

**School \***

BioSciences  Geography, Earth and Atmospheric Sciences  Mathematics & Statistics

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Chemistry

Ecosystem & Forest Sciences

Physics

### Head of School \*

Prof Ute Roessner  
 Prof Richard O'Hair

Prof Stuart Wytke  
 Prof Ian Woodrow

Prof Howard Bondell  
 Other:

### Employment Type \*

Continuing  
Fixed-Term

### If fixed-term, please specify your contract end date:

Must be a date.

You can refer to Themis UOM Staff Self Service

### Employment Category \*

Academic

Professional

### Classification \*

### FTE commitment for your current role \*

(Full-time = 1.0, part-time = above 0.5). To be eligible for this Award you must hold an academic appointment in the Faculty of Science of 0.5FTE or greater, until June 30th 2022.

## Eligibility Criteria

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### I identify as female \*

Yes

### I hold a PhD or equivalent experience \*

Yes

### I completed my PhD (or equivalent research training) 3-10 years ago \*

Yes

**Any time taken away from work (either full or part-time) will be subtracted from total time since PhD. Please specify these time frames:**

**I have research expertise in either Physical Science or Natural and Health Sciences \***

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Yes

**I have a track record of success in contributing to outreach activities that highlight Science, women in STEM or other related activities \***

Yes

**Briefly list your previous contribution to student outreach and/or community education \***

Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

**Willingness to contribute to outreach activities during 2021 including promoting research to high school and undergraduate students \***

Yes

## Project Details

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**Project Title \***

**Total Amount Requested \***

Must be a dollar amount.

Please enter \$25,000.00 (total award amount)

**The WISER Award program aims to engage with community to promote STEM education and research. Thus an aptitude for Science communication will be an important skill. Please outline your project aims & objectives using general scientific language that will be accessible to a broad audience. \***

Word count:

Must be no more than 500 words.

**How will the WISER Award contribute to building your career and advancing your research profile and impact? \***

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Word count:  
Must be no more than 250 words.

**Why do you feel that student outreach and community education is an important element of the work that we do within the Faculty? Please highlight your past and ongoing commitment to outreach activities. \***

Word count:  
Must be no more than 300 words.

## Submission Declaration

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**I have attached a copy of my CV including a list of my publications \***

Attach a file:

PDF file required

**My application is supported by my supervisor and Head of School**

Yes