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Organisation	Grant program	Area/ Fields	Amount \$\$\$	Deadline
Australian Biological Resources Study (ABRS)	ABRS National Taxonomy Research Grant Program - Capacity-Building Grants.	Honours Scholarships, Masters Scholarships and APA Top-Ups	\$10,000 pa	Closed for 2012-13. Unclear if future funds avail.
Australian Biological Resources Study (ABRS)	ABRS National Taxonomy Research Grant Program - Research Grants	As above	various from \$5K-\$90Kpa	Closed for 2012-13. Unclear if future funds avail.
Australian Biological Resources Study (ABRS)	Substantial Supplement Partners	Co-funding for major projects.	Up to \$200K pa matched funding	
Australian Centre for Renewable Energy	Emerging Renewables Program - ACRE Projects	For renewable energy and enabling technologies and products through the technology innovation chain, or projects that support renewable energy technology projects	No max; typically \$2M -\$30M (\$126.7M in whole funding)	Open any time - EOI then invite to submit
Australian Centre for Renewable Energy	Energy Efficiency for Small Business Program	a renewable energy industry capacity building activity or a renewable energy industry development activity or a preparatory activity for an ACRE Project	Difft arrangements for funds <\$10K cf >\$10K.	Open any time - single stage process
Aust. Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	Not running in 2012			
Australian Solar Institute	UNITED STATES-AUSTRALIA SOLAR ENERGY COLLABORATION - Open round	Research on photovoltaic (PV) and concentrating solar power (CSP)- solar energy, systems, distribution, hi temp, etc.	\$0 - \$5M, with 1:1 matched funding (can incl. in-kind)	EOI in by 8 March 2012. Advice on EOI: April. May-June-full submissions
Australian Solar Institute	International research exchanges, PhD and postdoc	Solar research		29 Feb, 25 Apr, 27 Jun, 29 Aug
AusAid	Australian Leadership Awards - Fellowship program	Develop leadership re priority regional development issues, and build partnerships with int'l partner organisations	Up to \$35,000	January; June 20 2012
Community Broadcasting Foundation	Grant programs - a number of categories, including content devpt, ethnic, indig., print handicapped	For radio stations, content creators	Various	Cont Devpt and others: Mar 16; rest in June.

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DAFF	Carbon Farming Futures - Action on the Ground	to enable on-farm trial/demo of practices and abatement technologies to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and/or increase carbon sequestered in soil.	\$605 000 max: \$55K-\$385K pa in yrs 1 & 2; up to \$110K yrs 3-4	8-Feb-12
DAFF	Biochar capacity building program	Projects involving biochar to reduce Australia's greenhouse gas emissions	Can't tell. In-kind and extra cash support expected.	3-Feb-12
DAFF	Australian Pest Animal Research Program (APARP)	Dealing with pest animals as identified in Climate Change program guidelines	\$10K- \$100K	Closed
DAFF	National Weeds and Productivity Research	Deal with pest plants.		2009-2012. Now closed
DAFF	Regional Food Producers Innovation and Productivity Program	Boost the productivity and competitiveness of food and seafood industries through innovation and tech improvements.	\$50K - \$2M, with matched funds	Round closed
DAFF	Carbon Farming Futures - Extension and Outreach	communication to provide motivation, technical info and support for farmers and land managers re Carbon Farming Initiative	\$64M total	Top-down, no grants it seems...
DAFF	Community Networks and Capacity Building: Recognising Women Farmers; Next Gen Farmers; National Indigenous Project; CALD	Build the leadership and representative capacity of target groups to strengthen community resilience and the productivity of primary industries.	Up to \$2M pa for 4 yrs.	
DAFF - Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics and Sciences	ABARES	Research outfit within DAFF		
DAFF - Caring for our Country	Caring for our Country (general)	Funds environmental management of natural resources by supporting communities, farmers and other land managers to protect Australia's natural environment and sustainability.		
DAFF - Caring for our Country	Community Action Grants	Help community groups learn about and take action to conserve and protect natural environment.	\$5,000 - \$20,000	27-Mar-2012
DAFF - Caring for our Country	Open Call Investment Process (or 'Business Plan')	Caring for our Country priorities, or Ramsar wetlands, the NRS, coastal community engagement, sustainable farming.	\$20,000 - \$500,000	9-Feb-12

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DAFF - Caring for our Country	Environmental Stewardship	To protect, rehabilitate and improve particular ecological communities on privately managed land	\$5000 to \$20 000	NSW programs closed.
DAFF - Caring for our Country	Regional base-level funding	For regional NRM orgs who may work with govts to deliver regional outcomes and address govt envtl targets.		All allocated. No further call it seems.
DAFF and Department of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency.	Carbon Farming Initiative	to help farmers, forest growers and land managers earn income from reducing emissions		
DAFF/ABARES	Science and Innovation Awards for Young People in Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Project on an innovative or emerging scientific issue to benefit Australia's primary industries, also under industry specific categories.	\$ 22,000.00	(Nov 2011). Check site for next round.
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF)	Carbon Farming Futures - Filling the Research Gap	Strategies and management practices that reduce greenhouse gas emissions, sequester C, etc.	No limit	3 Feb 2012
Dept of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Climate Change Adjustment Program	financial assessment, planning, training, legal advice related to climate change impacts for farm businesses	up to \$5,500	Current forms & info valid til Mar 2012
Dept of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency	Community Energy Efficiency Program	For energy efficiency upgrades and retrofits to council and community-use buildings, facilities and lighting.	From low of \$20K -\$50K, depending on org to up to \$5M.Max 50% costs.	23/03/2012 (will be other rounds)
Dept of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency	Energy Efficiency Information Program	For industry assocs and non profits to provide practical, tailored energy efficiency information to small and medium enterprises and community organisations.	\$100,000 to \$1M (or more w. co-funding)	16 Mar - 1st round.
Dept of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency	Indigenous Carbon Farming Fund			
Dept of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency	Carbon Farming Initiative			
Dept of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency	Carbon Farming Skills	Accreditation for C-services providers, stakeholder workshops		Starts July 2012
Dept of Climate Change and Energy Efficiency	National Solar Schools	Schools acquire solar technologies; feed into grid.	\$50,000 max	4-May-2012

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DEEWR	Education Investment Fund - Clean Energy Initiative			Closed
DEEWR	Climate Change and skills for sustainability	Various initiatives in sustainability and training, with an emphasis on skills, esp in energy		
DEEWR	Green Skills for Sustainability	Devp national standards and new training packages		
DEEWR	Clean Energy and other Skills	To enable people in key industries devp the skills to deliver clean energy services etc		
DEEWR	Skills for Sustainability - Educational Institution Award	to recognise outstanding educational providers of training programs, products and work practices.		Open in Dec 11, close: TBA
DEEWR	Skills for the Carbon Challenge - includes Research Program, Skills for Sust Award, Workplace demo projects.	Workforce - education, training, programs and research identifying needed skills		
Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations (DEEWR)	Endeavour Executive Awards	To boost professional knowledge and skills - not formal quals - through overseas visits.	up to \$18,500	Apps for 2013 open 1 April 2012
Dept of Immigration and Citizenship	Diversity and Social Cohesion Program	Projects that promote respect, fairness and sense of belonging for everyone; sm grants for multicultural arts festivals	Up to \$50,000	9-Mar-2012
Dept of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research (DIISR)	Inspiring Australia Unlocking Australia's Potential	To support projects on science engagement across different audiences	Sm: \$5,000; Med: \$45,000; Lge: \$500,000	29-Feb-12
Department of Primary Industries, NSW (DPI)	List of grant opportunities			
Dept of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport	Festivals Australia	Support for new arts projects at Australian regional, remote and community festivals.	Normally up to \$12,000, though can go to \$35K	15 Feb, 15 July
Dept of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport	Regional and Local Community Infrastructure Program	Local govts to build or modify community infrastructures		Appears closed.
Dept of Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport	Visions of Australia (Development or Contemporary Touring grants)	Cultural and community organisations to develop and/or tour exhibitions of historical, scientific material, arts, ATSI culture	Unspecified; can be \$100,000+	Opens April 2012 for 2013

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Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities	Indigenous Carbon Farming Fund	1. Research and reporting tools for CFI methodologies; 2.Capacity building & bus. Support	Department of Su	Starts July 2012
Dept of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities	Grants to Voluntary Environment, Sustainability and Heritage Organisations (GVESHO)	Salaries and admin for community organisations in conservation, historical and natural heritage, sustainability.	\$2,000-\$80,000 (approx)	New round announced Mar-Apr
DSEWPC	Your Community Heritage Program - esp. Sharing Community Stories; Celebrating Community Heritage	Promote sense of local and community heritage (+disaster recovery, eminent Aust., share stories)	\$2,500 - \$25,000	Current closed- expect 12-13 round'
DSEWPC	Indigenous Heritage Progr	support identification, conservation, promotion of heritage places important to ATSI people	\$5,000 inds, \$100,000 orgs, + some triennial	To be launched soon' (Mar 2012)
DSEWPC	Biodiversity Fund	Enhance biodiversity; control invasive species, etc.	No max. Strong justification for >\$500K	End January
DSEWPC	Regional NRM Planning for Climate Change Fund	Funds to help NRM orgs revise NRM plans (DSEWPC); to support regional info/scenarios re clim change (DCCEE)		?
Parks Australia Division of the Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities.	Australian Biological Resources Study (ABRS)	For taxonomic research on the Australian biota or to develop products that aid in the dissemination of taxonomic information.		
Fair Trading NSW	Co-operative Development Grants Program	For research projects, education and feasibility studies that assist the NSW co-operative sector to grow and remain viable	Up to \$100,000 (matched funds)	Any time
Ministry for Police and Emergency Services - Emergency Management NSW	Auxiliary Disaster Resilience Grants Scheme (ADRGs)	Help local governments and agencies to do natural disaster risk reduction works, incl. build community resilience.		unclear
NSW Environmental Trust	Seeding Programs	Climate Change, Biodiversity and Conservation, Integrated Landscape Management, Environmental Pollution, Resource Efficiency and Sustainability	Up to \$20,000	Feb-12

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NSW Environmental Trust (under NSW Office of Environment and Heritage)	Environmental Research Program	Objectives: □ generate new knowledge or information to facilitate local solutions to environmental problems; discover less harmful methods of operation for NSW industries; provide knowledge about general envtl problems; assess envtl degradation.	Climate Change: Up to \$200,000 (or more if justified). Intgd land mgmt & envtl polltn: \$100,000	EOI: Feb 12. Full props by invitation from Apr 23, close June 1
NSW Family and Community Services: Community Services	Community Builders Funding Program	community strengthening and capacity building program	\$10,000-\$100,000 pa	May no longer be running
National Library of Australia	Community Heritage Grants	Preservation of loca but nationally significant collections of publicly accessible materials	Up to \$15,000	4-May-2012
National Vocational Education and Training Research and Evaluation (NVETRE)	NVETRE funding rounds	Research on NVETRE priorities-Skills & productivity; Structures in tert. Ed& training; contribs of ed & training to social inclusion; Learning & teaching, Place and role of VET	Details on applic, or after funding round announced.	?
National Vocational Education and Training Research and Evaluation (NVETRE)	NCVER Building Researcher Capacity Fellowships	Fellowships to provide researchers interested in education, labour markets and social inclusion.	\$10,000-\$20,000 pa	Email bridget.wibrow@ncver.edu.au for info
National Vocational Education and Training Research and Evaluation (NVETRE)	NCVER PhD Top-up scholarships	PhD top-up scholarship for postgrads researching in fields relevant to NCVER's remit.	\$5,000 pa	Was Dec 20 in 2011
National Vocational Education and Training Research and Evaluation (NVETRE)	Community of practice scholarships for VET practitioners	For VET practitioners to take part in a community of practice and undertake their own research project.	\$4,000.00	6-Feb-2012
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Lead Environmental Community Groups (LECG) program	Money to support admin costs of environmentally oriented groups	2009: up to \$80,000	Opens in March 2012
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Land Alive	Aboriginal land management for biodiversity; Biobanking scheme	Cash, admin, scientific support	Sent in query.
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Energy Efficiency for Small Business Program	Discounts and up to 4 hrs free consulting for smaller businesses to improve energy efficiency.	Energy audit and plan, discounts on installation. Pay \$75-150 for audit.	

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NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Culture and heritage research	Variety of research projects and outputs (including articles, books, displays etc) on aspects of cultural heritage. Resources published on website.	unclear	Left voice query for Denis Byrne
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Environmental Education Program/ Grants	Projects consonant with NSW govt plan Learning for Sustainability; projects that increase commitment to protecting envt and promoting sustainable behaviour.	\$5,000-\$100,000	Call in Mar, close in April. Submit EOI then invited proposal.
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Environmental Restoration and Rehabilitation Program/ Grants	to prevent or reduce pollution, the waste stream or environmental degradation of any kind.	\$5,000-\$100,000	September
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Protecting our Places Grants	to protect land that is culturally significant to Aboriginal people and support educ about envt's importance in Aboriginal life.	\$2,000 - \$35,000	March call, June submission
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Urban Sustainability Progr	projects of significant envtl benefit, delivered by local government organisations in partnerships		Program finished. :-(
NSW Office of Environment and Heritage	Eco Schools Grant Program	schools to develop best practice in envtl education, innovative solutions to envtl issues	\$2,500.00	May
Rural Assistance Authority NSW	Special Conservation Scheme	For landowners and growers	Up to 90% growers's costs to max. \$150,000	
Rural Assistance Authority NSW	NSW Rural Assistance Authority Board Higher Degree Research Scholarships	For projects assisting in "building productive and sustainable agricultural businesses and / or sustainable and successful rural communities."	2 X \$10,000	29-Feb-2012
Rural Assistance Authority NSW	Flying-Fox Netting Subsidy Program	Assists orchardists in the Sydney Basin and Central Coast regions deal with flying foxes	50% subsidy for exclusion nets, up to \$20,000	
RIRDC	RIRDC research programs.	Generally oriented to:New & Emerging Industries; Established Rural Industries; National Rural Issues. Some special funds (eg Hendra virus).	???	Closed Sept 2011 for funding 2012-13. 2 stage applic.
RIRDC	Postgrad scholarships, Weeds PG scholarships	For postgrads in relevant fields.	\$26,000	?

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RIRDC	Horizon Scholarships	For entering uni students keen on agriculture. Mentoring and work placements.	\$5,000 pa for duration of degree	1-Feb-12
Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation (RIRDC)	Climate Change and Variability Program	R&D for climate risk management among farmers and NRMs, improve seasonal forecasting and investigate greenhouse gas mitigation options for agriculture.		Finished 2009
Screen NSW	Various for different stages and aspects of film, video, games.	Various kinds of support for filmmaking		Some continuous

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ANZ Staff Foundation	ANZ Staff Foundation	Grants to help disadvantaged people, children with disabilities, unemployed youth and community groups achieve their goals.	up to \$5,000	15 Jan, 15 July
auDA foundation	auDA foundation grants	Projects to enhance the utility of the Internet for all Australians	\$5,000 - \$20,000	Not known for 2012
Australia & Pacific Science Foundation	APSF Projects	Seed funds or supplements to larger grants, mainly for scientific research but can be confs, training.	\$15,000 PA	March 9, 2012
Australian Bird Study Association	Australian Bird Study	grants is to finance equipment purchases to allow new projects to get started, or to keep going long-term projects.	2x \$900	31 May each year
Australian Flora Foundation	Australian Flora Foundation Research Grants	Research on the biology and cultivation of the Australian flora	\$5000 - \$12,000 (2-4 grants)	Prelim: 19 Mar 2012; Full: mid-June
Australian Geographic Society	Australian Geographic Society Sponsorships	sponsorship of Australian adventurers, scientific and environmental research, and community projects.	Seed Grants - up to \$3000. Project sponsorships - \$5K - \$15K	Mar 31, Jun 31, Sept 30
Australian Plants Society (North Shore Group)	Valette Williams Scholarship	Projects contributing to the knowledge of the ecology, conservation, or propagation of native plants in Sydney and surrounds	\$2,000.00	9 th March 2012
Australian Society of Herpetologists.	ASH grants - travel, research	Mainly for Hons or postgrad students	\$250- \$750	Not clear if still going
Banksia Foundation	Banksia Environmental Awards - 10 categories and other awards, - in association with a number of corporate sponsors	Projects and programs contributing to environmental sustainability and awareness	Pay to enter - from \$40 to \$690	Seems to be March-June. Info sessions in cap cities.
Banksia Foundation	Brian Robinson Fellowship	Contribute to sustainability in Oz or world	up to \$10,000	was in July in 2011
Bird Observation & Conservation Australia/ Bird Observers Club of Australia	Australian Bird Environment Foundation/ Fund	Practical conservation (revegetation, fencing of remnant vegetation); research and survey of birds and habitats; public education	Max \$5,000; usu. up to \$3,500	May 31 each year

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Centre for Leadership for Women	Advancement of Women in the Workplace Award (AWWA) Award; 'Sustaining Women's Empowerment in Communities and Organisations' (SWECO) Award	Nominations of women, men or orgs who have achieved things for women in workplace or NGOs	\$400 - \$2000	November
Flora and Fauna International	No clear grants programs but do offer grants or support in priority areas..	Biodiversity. Entrepreneurial approach' I profile celebs as heads. Internaitonal.		Join org, get n'leter, make approach.
Foundation for National Parks & Wildlife	Conservation Project Grants	Conservation projects for protection of native species, habitats, landscapes and cultural heritage.	\$5,000- \$20,000	Quarterly assessments
Foundation for National Parks & Wildlife	Private Land Conservation Grants	Support private landholders with Conservation Agreements to undertake conservation works on their property.	Up to \$3,000	May-June 2012
Foundation For the Future	Future of Humanity Grants	General:promote understanding of social, genetic, [etc] and ecological factors that may impact on human life during coming millennia.Current topic: human genome.	\$5,000-\$25,000	Prelim applications open Jan - April; finals invited by August.
Global Fund for Women	Global Fund for Women	Operating expenses, travel, or meeting/event grants for women's groups that advance the human rights of women and girls	\$500 to \$20,000	Throughout year, assessed quarterly
Greening Australia	Partnerships	Partnerships and initiatives, especially with powerful groups, as well as communities and volunteers,for restoring the health, diversity and productivity of our unique landscapes.		Email partnerships @greeninga ustralia.org.a u
Hermon Slade Foundation	Project grants	As per APSF	up to \$30,000 pa	9th March 2012
Ian Potter Foundation	Ian Potter Foundation Grants	Environment and Conservation; Community Wellbeing programs	\$100,000+	28 May (+ other prog dats)

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IMB	IMB Community Foundation Grants	Contribute to the economic self-sufficiency of communities; generate economic, social, cultural, environmental, tourism and educational benefits.	\$1,000-\$30,000	February
James N Kirby Foundation	James N Kirby Foundation Grants	Aust charitable, educational and technical bodies in health, edu, tech & and sc, art, literature, and natural resource conservation, management and development.	\$3,000-\$100,000 (av \$10,000)	28 February 2012.
Landcare	General info	Network of organisations and volunteers involved in NRM, caring for land	??? Seems mainly via Landcare groups or top-down initiatives	n/a
Landcare	Caring for our Future - Coles Junior Landcare Grants Program	Projects (usually involving gardening) promoting environmental awareness for young people.	\$1,100 (incl up to \$500 for garden eqpt)	17 Feb, 4 May, 27 July
Landcare	Open Grants	Landcare projects on smaller scale.	Large number of small value grants.	Calls made through Landcare network
Landcare	Closed Grants	Larger scale projects.	Small number of projects on targeted topics	
Landcare Australia	Raymond Borland Bequest Grant	Projects to repair and rehabilitate degraded non-urban land and non-tidal waterways in NSW	up to \$30,000	October in 2011- one-off round
Law and Justice Foundation	Law and Justice Foundation of NSW Grants Program	community projects that aim to improve access to justice, particularly for disadvantaged people.	\$5,000 - any time; up \$50,000	March 30, Aug 31 (for larger grants)
Monsanto Fund		Improving lives of farming communities through training and infrastructures		February and August
National Trust of Australia (NSW)	No grants but partnerships, funds in aid, and in-kind support.	Actions, campaigns, events		
National Australia Bank - with Foundation for Young Australians and ACER	NAB Schools First Awards - Impact	School-community partnerships that can demonstrate improved student outcomes as a result of their partnership.	Impact: \$30,000, plus state and nat'l	?June 2012??

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Natonal Australia Bank - with Foundation for Young Australians and ACER	NAB Schools First Awards - Seed	For schools wanting to help their community partnership develop further.	Varies. 2012: \$15,000	?June 2012??
Nature Conservation Trust		To buy and sell, and/or conserve landowner's land for wilderness and biodiversity, via legal conservation land title covenants.		
NiB Foundation	NiB Community Grants	Support innovative local initiatives to enhance health and wellbeing of communities.	up to \$100,000	22-Jul-2012
Norman Wettenhall Foundation	Small Environmental Grants Scheme	Encourage research, education and recording of all aspects of the natural living environment	\$5,000 (academic). Can be more for community projects.	EOIs - 29th March; 28 June, 27 Sept, 6 Dec. Full apps 2 wks later
NRMA	NRMA Insurance Community Grants program	Grants for range of activities, including 'Environment' category	Max \$10,000	30-Mar-2012
Open Gardens Australia	Open Gardens Australia Grants	Grants for renewal or development of gardens open to the public	\$1,000 - \$5,000	Feb 14 2012
Optus	Yes' Optus Regional Community Grants	Initiatives that respond to the needs of local regional communities		October
Optus	Yes' Optus Community Grants	Community projects that assist disengaged youth and build social inclusion	up to \$150,000	August
Perpetual	Annual Funding Round	Grants for range of purposes, incl. environment. Philanthropical Services matches projects to funds for specific types of org, cause or purpose, or geog area.	\$10K-\$100K (av. \$60K); some up to \$200K	Nov 2012 - call for 2013. Appl in Jan
Peter Rankin Trust Fund for Herpetology		Support for individuals (non-prof), Hons and Postgrads with interests in herpetology	up to \$1000 for individ	UNDER REVIEW
Royal Agricultural Society NSW	RAS Foundation 2012 Community Futures Grant	For young rural NSW people to deliver an innovative community project	\$25,000.00	
Scanlon Foundation	Scanlon foundation Community Grants	Promote and build social cohesion and cultural diversity	\$5,000 -\$25,000	February. EOIs asked for larger projects

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Sony Foundation Australia	Sony Foundation Australia youth grants	Initiatives to cohesively integrate technology, film, interactive games and music to benefit the devpt of Aust youth.	Up to \$5,000 (more with other partners)	
Sound Approach Bird Fund	Sound Approach Bird Fund	projects with significant conservation benefit and real impact on the survival of globally or nationally threatened species or globally important sites.	up to GBP£10,000 (c. US\$15,800)	Any time; decisions within 2 months.
Sydney Community Foundation	Sydney Community Foundation Grants	Projects that work towards improving the wellbeing and social inclusion of people who live in Sydney	\$5,000 - \$15,000	Send EOI (in 2011 was by 30 Sept)
Telstra Foundation	Telstra Foundation - Community Development Fund	Assorted projects.		Under review in 2012
The Myer Foundation or Sidney Myer Fund	Education Small Grants Program	Projects in educational settings, esp in quick response to community needs.	Up to \$10,000 as part of budget up to \$50,000	Year round
The Spark Fund		Grants for young Australians' projects.		seems defunct
Water Research Foundation	Various research programs, partnerships, solicited research	Devoted to advancing the science of water, esp. for drinking water utilities and suppliers - practical solutions to complex challenges.	Under review	Calls in March, funding dec in Jan.

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Organisation	Grant program	Area/ Fields	Amount \$\$\$	Deadline
Grain Growers	No special program - invites partnership enquiries on 1800 620 519, enquiry@graingrowers.com.au	Partners with orgs and groups to deliver programs and initiatives promoting sustainable, viable and efficient grains industry in Aust.		
Grain Growers	Australian Universities Crops Competition (AUCC)	Undergraduates compete in knowledge and skills in ag.	Costs around \$200 to register. Prizes: Study trips and events	2011- 9 May
Grain Growers	Australian Future Grain Leaders Program	Aims to develop the industry's leadership skills, knowledge and potential for the Australian grain industry.	Training, in-kind and travel.	Will open 1 August 2012.
Grains Research & Development Corporation (GRDC)	Travel and Training awards	Agricultural Training Awards, Industry Development Awards, Indigenous Training Award, Research Scholarships, Undergraduate Honours Scholarships, Travel Awards	Varies	Varies
Grains Research & Development Corporation (GRDC)	GRDC Investment process	Calls for tenders and commissions of research and projects.		Check website
Grains Research & Development Corporation (GRDC)	Conference Awards	For conference, workshop, seminar or field day that directly benefits the Australian grains industry.	?	April, Oct
Horticulture Australia Limited (HAL)	General Call - with Voluntary Contributions	Align with Aust Govt Rural Research and Development Priorities: Productivity and Adding Value, Supply Chain and Markets, Natural Resource Management, Climate Variability and Climate Change, Biosecurity	No limit; depends on formula, with Govt, HAL and VCs	Opens Jan 23, Closes 2 March 2012.
HAL	Industry Call	Projects involving industry skills development activities and technology transfer for	No limit; depends on formula, with	Closed in Nov 2011
HAL	Commissioned & Tendered Projects and Extraordinary Calls	In areas determined of interest to HAL.		Occasional
Clubs NSW	ClubGrants (formerly Community Development and Support Expenditure (CDSE) Scheme)	To ensure that larger clubs contribute to front-line services in local communities; ensure that the disadvantaged benefit; support sports facilities.	Varies locally	
Coles Ltd.	Coles Local Community Support Program	Help with fundraisers, raffles, community days and other activities.		

Organisation	Program, network	Area/ Fields	Aims/ Activities	Resources
Dept of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities	Australian Sustainable Schools Initiative (AuSSI) - partnership of cwth & states	Whole of school approach to range of sustainability qs and actions	Practical support for schools (and their communities) in achieving sustainable work and life. Aims to link rather than replace other envt ed programs.	Educational, activity reosurces, list of grant options etc.
NSW Dept of Education & Training	Sustainable Schools NSW		aims to support all schools, their partners and the community in realising a positive environment vision.	
Australian Association for Environmental Education	Australian Association for Environmental Education	Peak body for environmental educators	Link people with other sustainability educators. Not just schools.	
NSW Government - Community Builders NSW	Community Builders NSW website	Interactive electronic clearing house with large database of grants and other resources	for everyone involved in community level social, economic and environmental renewal	