



# Government Grants

We're here to help.

Australian Governments offer billions of dollars of grant funding over thousands of programs. To complicate matters, the grants landscape is constantly changing, with programs expiring and emerging daily.

Our Government Grants team are here to help. We work closely with you to identify and access grant funding opportunities that are right for your business.

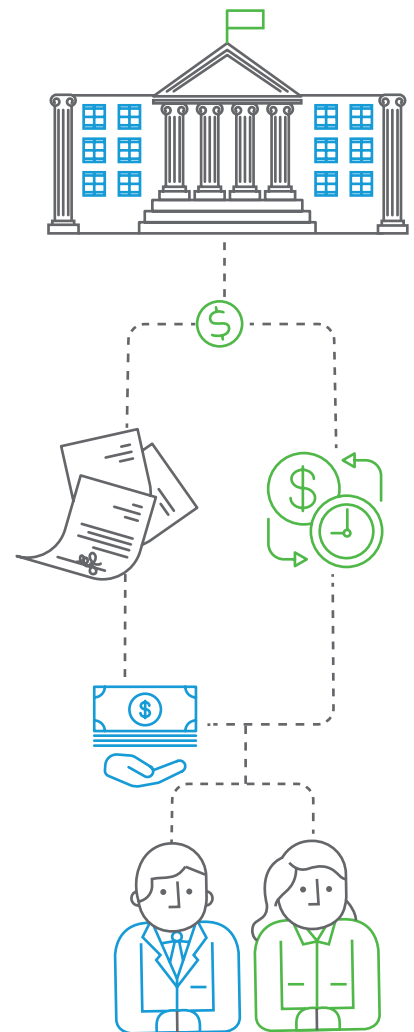
## WHAT WE DO

Our support involves:

- Providing tailored advice regarding Government funding opportunities
- Developing compelling funding applications
- Preparing supporting documentation such as Business Cases and Project Plans.

## WHO WE ARE

We are a team of scientists, engineers and industry specialists. We value the chance to develop an in-depth understanding of your business so that our support is targeted, strategic and right for you. Most importantly, we are passionate about your success.





**DR REBECCA BARNES**  
National grants manager

## Biography

Rebecca has supported hundreds of Australian companies across the defence, manufacturing, energy and resources, health, infrastructure, agricultural technologies, space, financial technologies, Indigenous business, local council and not-for-profit sectors.

Prior to this, Rebecca worked for water supply and wastewater engineering projects, as an advisor for international aid organisations and as an engineering lecturer at the University of New South Wales.

With a PhD in Environmental Engineering, Rebecca combines commercial acumen with deep technical expertise and strong project management skills.

Rebecca has a thorough understanding of funding programs across a range of sectors, departments and levels of government. She has a proven ability to manage stakeholders and coordinate complex submissions to a deadline and has a track record of success.

## Examples of success

**Multinational defence prime:** Prepared and managed a successful application for over \$20 million in Federal funding for a new combat systems precinct.

**Plastic recycling technology:** Obtained \$3 million in grant funding to enable an industry and university collaboration to commercialise cutting-edge plastic recycling technology.

**Lithium mining company:** Advised the Northern Territory's first lithium mine and prepared successful applications to both Territory and Federal programs, resulting in \$11 million of funding.

**New battery technology:** Identified and coordinated a bid for manufacturing sector support, enabling an early-stage battery technology company to access over \$2 million in Federal funding.

**Cyber skills training facility:** Enabled Australia's first dedicated cyber training facility by preparing a successful application for \$3 million in Federal funding.

**Indigenous not-for-profit organisation:** Coordinated multiple successful funding applications to support Indigenous communities across NSW, resulting in over \$2 million in State and Federal funding.

**Large water treatment plant operator:** Assisted one of Australia's largest water and wastewater operators to access Government funding for innovative treatment processes and machine learning applications.

**In-situ gasification project:** Prepared multiple funding applications for a remote South Australian ISG project, resulting in >\$10 million in Government funding.

**Advanced steel manufacturing:** Identified and coordinated a successful bid for Advanced Manufacturing funding to support the Northern Territory's metals processing precinct.

## Qualifications

Ph.D. in Environmental Engineering, UNSW  
B.Engineering (Env; Hons1; UMed), UNSW

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## WHAT OUR CLIENTS ARE SAYING

*I'm impressed. I've never met someone who could get their head around our technology so quickly.*

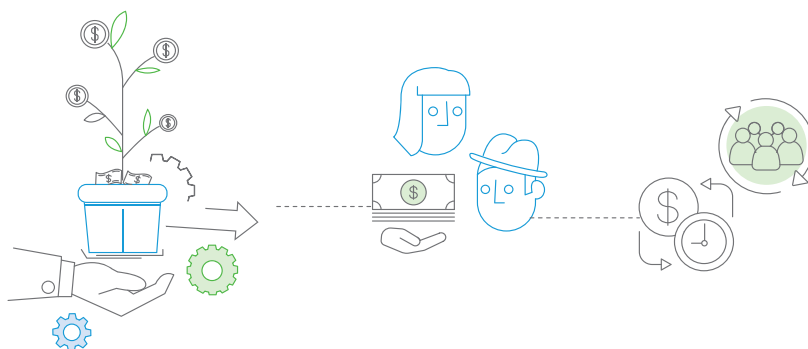
**Agricultural product manufacturer; NSW**

*It was obvious the team knew their way around Government grants. We had a great experience.*

**Career Employment Group, SA**

*We have been deeply impressed by the help and insight and have really enjoyed working with RSM's grants team.*

**Coda Minerals Ltd, WA**



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