

## Organisations You Should Know About

Here is a list of n-f-p organisations to help you stay informed and up to date with changing developments and regulations as well as find grants research sources and links to news, views, commentary and careers.

### Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission – ACNC

[www.acnc.gov.au](http://www.acnc.gov.au)

The ACNC is the national regulator of charities and its objectives are to: maintain, protect and enhance public trust and confidence in the Australian not-for-profit sector; support and sustain a robust, vibrant, independent and innovative not-for-profit sector; and promote the reduction of unnecessary regulatory obligations on the sector. Charities (except corporations registered with the Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations) must submit an Annual Information Statement (and, for medium and large charities, a financial report) every year. This statement is due within six months of the end of your reporting period and can be submitted by using the ACNC Charity Portal.

### Community Council Australia (CCA)

[www.communitycouncil.com.au](http://www.communitycouncil.com.au)

The Community Council for Australia is an independent non-political member-based organisation dedicated to building flourishing communities by enhancing the extraordinary work undertaken by the charities and not-for-profit sector in Australia. CCA seeks to change the way governments, communities and not-for-profits relate to one another. It does so by providing a national voice and facilitation for sector leaders to act on common and shared issues affecting the contribution, performance and viability of NFPs in Australia.

### Fundraising Institute Australia (FIA)

[www.fia.org.au](http://www.fia.org.au)

The FIA is the national peak body representing professional fundraising in Australia. They champion and facilitate best practice, through their Code for ethical fundraising and through professional development, networking and advocacy for all members.

### Philanthropy Australia

[www.philanthropy.org.au](http://www.philanthropy.org.au)

Philanthropy Australia is a membership organisation consisting of approximately 700 trusts, foundations, organisations, families, individual donors, professional advisers, intermediaries and not-for-profit organisations. Their purpose is serving the philanthropic community to achieve more and better philanthropy.

## Grants Research Sources & Directories

### Philanthropy Australia's Directory of Funders

[www.philanthropy.org.au/seek-funding/Directory-of-funders](http://www.philanthropy.org.au/seek-funding/Directory-of-funders)

[Philanthropy Australia's Directory of Funders](http://www.philanthropy.org.au/seek-funding/Directory-of-funders) is an alphabetical listing of more than 200 grant-making organisations detailing their fields of interest, contact information, summary of purpose, geographical scope, legal limitations, grant restrictions and application procedures.

### Strategic Grants

[www.strategicgrants.com.au](http://www.strategicgrants.com.au)

[Strategic Grants' GEMS \(Grants Expertise Management Systems\)](http://www.strategicgrants.com.au) is an online grants management/ tracking tool and customised grants calendar (listing philanthropic, government and corporate funding opportunities). As new grants are announced, the system brings in relevant grants keeping your calendar always up to date.

## Our Community Funding Centre

[www.ourcommunity.com.au](http://www.ourcommunity.com.au)

Our Community provides advice, connections, training and easy-to-use tech tools for people and organisations working to build stronger communities. [Our Community's Funding Centre](#) offers a grants database listing live federal, state and local government grants as well as trust, foundation and corporate grants.

## The Grants Hub

[www.thegrantshub.com.au/grants-directory](http://www.thegrantshub.com.au/grants-directory)

[The Grants Hub](#) lists over 1,000 grants across government, businesses, philanthropic sources, private donors and trusts, offering various packages enabling you to receive grant alerts and to search, filter, compare, track and manage your grants.

## GrantGuru

<https://grantguru.com.au/>

[GrantGuru](#) offers various grant listing packages for both business grants and community grants featuring federal, state and local government as well as corporate and philanthropic funders, rebates, awards and scholarships.

## Sector news and happenings

## ProBono Australia

[www.probonoaustralia.com.au](http://www.probonoaustralia.com.au)

ProBono news, delivered biweekly, keeps you up to date across all sectors of the purpose-economy, from charities and not for profits, to impact investing, philanthropy, volunteering, corporate social responsibility, and social enterprise. ProBono also has a careers team and list employment opportunities. Other resources include volunteer opportunities, [grant listings \(delivered by Strategic Grants\)](#) and a Guide to Giving for donors wanting to support charities.

## F&P Magazine

[www.fpmagazine.com.au](http://www.fpmagazine.com.au)

Created for managers and executives in the non-profit sector, F&P provides commentary and analysis on issues and emerging trends, fundraising case studies, giving news, professional development opportunities, best practice guidelines, strategy and management along with profiles on philanthropists and other significant people in the sector.