

E-learning Innovations Funding 2011

The Australian Flexible Learning Framework Funding is moving from a calendar year to financial year funding for 2010/2011. In 2011, a total of \$2.65 million will be available nationally for E-learning Innovations funding. The funds offered in Western Australia (WA) for 2011 are \$283,150.

Eligibility for Western Australian Applicants

- Funding is open to all Western Australian Registered Training Organisations (RTOs)
- Only one application will be accepted from each RTO
- RTOs must be based in Western Australia
- Learners must be based in Western Australia
- Business Partners must be based in Western Australia
- Intellectual Property in any material produced under with Innovations Funding (Framework) will vest in the Commonwealth.

Project Categories

There are two applicant categories, Business-training provider partnership or Empowering Learner and the selection process will allocate:

- At least 40% to business-training provider partnerships.
- At least 40% to empowering learners.

Alignment to Western Australia priorities for E-learning

Applications must align with one or more of the 2011 WA priorities:

- Increased and improving provision of RPL
- Increasing delivery of higher level qualifications.
- Engaging indigenous and younger learners.
- Supporting regional communities
- Developing innovative and new models of workplace delivery and assessment.

Funding Levels

Within Western Australia applicants may apply for funding ranging from \$10,000 to \$50,000 for E-learning Innovations Projects.

Applicants will be required to demonstrate that they will match the funding on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

Important Dates

Applications Open	24 August 2010
Elluminate Information Session	9 September 2010
Applications Close	20 September 2010
Applicants Notified of Outcome	4 October 2010

Induction Day	13 October 2010
TEAM10 Conference	19 November 2010
Team final report and output	30 April 2011

Applications must be lodged via email to the Western Australian Innovations Coordinator diane.mclaren@dtwd.wa.gov.au by 5:00 pm on Monday 20 September 2010.

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Guidelines and Application: <http://www.flexiblelearning.net.au/wa>