INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Read the 2017 Alfred Deakin Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Scheme Guidelines, Instructions and Conditions of Award
2. Complete Section A1 – A5 of the Expression of Interest (EOI)
3. Attach your 5 page CV at the end of the EOI
4. Delete this instruction page
5. Convert the document to a single pdf file
6. Name your document according to the following convention:
	1. [applicant surname][applicant first name] ADPRF EOI 2017

E.g. Citizen Janet ADPRF Full Application 2017

1. Submit your EOI to research-grants@deakin.edu.au by 9:00am AEST on Monday 30 May 2016

NB: If you are invited to submit a full application, this EOI will become the first section of your full application.

**Reminder: Delete this page prior to submitting your Expression of Interest**

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Deakin University complies with the Information Privacy Act 2000 (Vic) in the collection, use, disclosure and ongoing management of your personal information. The information collected in this form is used primarily to assess your suitability for an Alfred Deakin Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, and will be distributed to relevant assessors within the University. Information including the names of successful applicants and the title of the research proposal may be published on Deakin’s website. The information collected may be de-identified and used for statistical purposes.

# PART A – EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

## A1. Applicant’s Details

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| Family name: | Given names: | Sex:M / F |
| Current Country of Residence |  |
| Country of Citizenship |  |
| Email Address (give one only) |  |

## A2. Proposed Host Area

Discuss your application with the proposed host area before completing the EOI.

NB: If you nominate a Strategic Research Centre (SRC) or an Institute other than the Institute for Frontier Materials (IFM) at A2.1, that SRC/Institute will review your EOI. If you do not nominate a SRC/Institute other than IFM, the proposal will be assessed by the relevant Faculty or IFM nominated at A2.2. If you complete both A2.1 and A2.2, your application will be assessed by the SRC/Institute nominated at A2.1 ONLY and will not be forwarded the nominated Faculty/IFM at A2.2.

Is your application associated with a Strategic Research Centre (SRC) or with one of the following Institutes: Alfred Deakin Institute for Citizenship and Globalisation (**ADI**), Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition (**IPAN**), Institute for Intelligent Systems Research & Innovation (**IISRI**)? See [www.deakin.edu.au/research/](http://www.deakin.edu.au/research/)

Yes [ ]  🡪 complete Section **A2.1 & A2.3** No [ ]  🡪Complete Section **A2.2 & A2.3**

### A2.1 Project relates to an SRC

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| Name of proposed SRC/Institute other than IFM (Nominate one only): |

### A2.2 Project DOES NOT relate to an SRC

Choose a host area: Institute for Frontier Materials (**IFM**), Faculty of Arts and Education (**A&E**), Faculty of Business and Law (**B&L**), Faculty of Health (**Health**), or Faculty of Science, Engineering and Built Environment (**SEBE**).

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| Name of proposed Faculty / IFM (Nominate one only): |

### A2.3 Deakin University Contact

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| Name the person from the SRC / Faculty / Institute with whom you discussed your research proposal. |  |
| Proposed supervisor (nominate one only). You must have their consent.  |  |

## A3. Eligibility

### A3.1 PhD Qualification

PhD award date: (must be on or after 1 January 2013, unless career interruptions apply. Applicants whose PhD was awarded before 1 January 2011 are not eligible.)

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| Discipline/Field |  |
| Organisation |  |
| Country |  |
| PhD award date  |  |
| If PhD not yet awarded, state date of actual or intended thesis submission (must be prior to 25 July 2016) |  |

### A3.2 Is your PhD award date prior to 1 January 2013?

## Yes [ ]  No [ ]

#### If YES, complete A3.3. If NO, proceed to A4.1

### A3.3 Details of Career Interruption/s BETWEEN 1 JANUARY 2011 AND 30 May 2016 (for eligibility purposes ONLY)

**ONLY if YES to A3.2**: Provide details of the type and duration of your career interruption (refer to the 2017 Guidelines, Instructions and Conditions of Award). Interruptions of less than 1 month are not considered.

 (Add rows as required)

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| Start Date (on or after 1 Jan 2011) | End Date (before 30 May 2016) | Total No of Months | Reason (maternity leave, parental leave, carer’s responsibility, illness, unemployment or non-research employment NOT concurrent with research employment) |
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| Total No of Months |  |  |

## A4. Other

### A4.1 Have you had Career Interruptions since 1 January 2013 (or since the award of your PhD) that have impacted on your Research opportunity and Performance Evidence (ROPE)?

## Yes [ ]  No [ ]

If yes, provide details here. **(Max half an A4 page)**

### A4.2 Knowledge of English Language

If English is not your first language, briefly comment on your verbal and written English skills. Include your IELTS (International English Language Testing System) score if available. (Max 150 words)

### A4.3 Referees

Provide contact information for a maximum of two referees.

The Faculty/SRC may contact the referees to assess whether your EOI is competitive. Nominated referees will need to provide a Referee Report only if a full application is requested.

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| 1st Referee Name: |  |
| Email address: |  |

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| 2nd Referee Name: |  |
| Email address: |  |

### A4.4. Applicant Certification

I have read the 2017 Alfred Deakin Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Scheme Guidelines, Instructions and Conditions of Award. I confirm that the information I have provided is correct.

##  Yes [ ]  No [ ]

## A5. Project Details

#### A5.1 Project Title

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| (Max 20 words) |

#### A5.2. Brief Project Description

Provide a brief project description, including alignment with nominated SRC / Faculty / Institute priorities. This should take the form of an executive summary of your research proposal. (Max half an A4 page)

## A6. Curriculum Vitae

Attach a condensed CV which must include details of your qualifications, employment history (noting any academic, research, professional and/or industrial experience), academic distinctions (such as scholarships, prizes, awards or medals) and publications **(Max 5 pages)**