

# JMI Policy Challenge Grant

EOI Questions



# EOI Structure\*

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## About the project

In this section, we are interested to learn more about your project, how you will deliver it, and what public policy challenge your project would address.

## Engagement

In this section, we are seeking to understand your plans for communicating your insights to policymakers. Where applicant(s) do not currently have strong relationships with relevant policymakers, JMI can help support them to develop these relationships during the project

## Funding

In this section, we are seeking to receive information about your anticipated project budget as well as other potential sources of funding.

**\*Note: Applicants will be required to answer all EOI questions**

# About the project

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- 01** What is the full title of your proposed project? (Maximum 50 words)
- 02** Briefly outline your proposed project, including the core focus/ topic of your research and the key research question(s). (Maximum 300 words).
- 03** Outline how your proposed project is relevant to a public policy challenge facing the NSW Government. Where available, please provide concrete evidence of interest from policymakers in your proposed project (e.g., a letter of support from government, recommendations of a parliamentary inquiry or other relevant evidence). (Maximum 300 words).

Additional documentation can also be attached as evidence.

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- 04** Briefly outline how you will deliver the project, including your methodology, key activities and project stages. Please include any relevant information on (a) how your project builds upon academic research or expertise in your team and (b) how you will engage with key stakeholders as part of the project, in particular with relevant policymakers, and the capabilities of your team to conduct this engagement. (Maximum 600 words) If required, you may choose to upload a pdf document outlining your response; the same word limit applies.
- 05** What innovation(s) will your project contribute to solving the policy challenge? (Maximum 300 words)
- 06** What impact is your project seeking to have on the policy challenge that you will address? (Maximum 300 words)
- 07** If relevant, please comment on the interdisciplinary aspects of your team and project. (Maximum 150 words)

# Engagement

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- 08** Beyond the JMI Policy Insights Paper, please describe how you intend to communicate your research insights to a policy audience. (Maximum 200 words)\*  
\*Note: JMI will support you to develop communications materials and to disseminate your work to the relevant policy audience. However, we would like to understand what methods of communicating your research are most relevant to your specific project. Examples might include interview, podcast, op-ed, policy briefing or roundtable event.
- 09** Do you, or your project team, have existing relationships with relevant policymakers within the NSW Government? (Yes/No)  
If Yes: Please describe how you are already engaging with these policymakers? (Maximum 200 words)

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\* Note: If you successfully progress through to the final round of the application process, you will be required to submit a detailed project budget. JMI will notify you if we require this and provide you with guidance on developing your budget.

- 10** Please indicate your anticipated overall project budget\*  
Grant amounts must be between \$25,000 – \$150,000 (exc. GST). \*Note: If you successfully progress through to the final round of the application process, you will be required to submit a detailed project budget. JMI will notify you if we require this and provide you with guidance on developing your budget.
- 11** Have you secured or do you anticipate securing additional funding for this project from another source?  
(Yes (Secured)/ Yes (not yet secured)/ No)  
If Yes (Secured):
- How much additional funding do you already have for this project?
  - What is the source of this additional funding? (i.e., which institution has provided you with the funding?)
  - Are there any conditions tied to your existing funding that might have a bearing on your ability to publish a JMI Policy Insights Paper, or to communicate your research findings publicly? (Yes/No)  
If Yes: Please outline the conditions associated with your existing funding. (200 words)

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- 11** If Yes (not yet secured):
- (cont)**
- a. How much additional funding have you sought for this project?
  - b. What is the source of this additional funding? (i.e., from which institution/organisation have you sought the funding?)
  - c. When will you know the outcome of this funding request?
  - d. Is your proposed project conditional on receiving this additional funding? (Y/N)
  - e. Are there any conditions tied to this potential funding, that might have a bearing on your ability to publish a JMI Policy Insights Paper, or to communicate your research findings publicly? (Yes/No)  
If Y: Please outline the conditions associated with your existing funding. (200 words)

## We look forward to receiving your application!

For any further JMI Policy Challenge Grant enquiries, please either refer to the FAQs section, available on our website, or contact us at [grants@jmi.org.au](mailto:grants@jmi.org.au)

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