UWA DATA INSTITUTE

2026 TRAVEL GRANT APPLICATION

The UWA Data Institute is offering UWA Higher Degree Research Students and Early Career Researchers* travel grants to a maximum of $2,000 to support their on-going research on topics related to data science, statistics, machine learning and/or artificial intelligence from any discipline domain.

- Recipients must be presenting a talk, paper or poster at a relevant, high calibre conference
- Funds can be used for future travel, accommodation, conference fees, meals and administrative costs
- Talk/paper/poster acceptance is not required for application, but payment is conditional on acceptance
- Recipients are responsible for administration/receipting/travel diary requirements as per UWA policy
- Recipients to prepare a written summary (with photos) of the event for release by UWA Data Institute
- Applications welcome Mar - Nov 2026 with awards being made end of May, Aug & Nov 2026
- Travel to be completed within one year of the award being made
- Please submit you application, along with your current CV, to uwadatainstitute@uwa.edu.au with "2026 Travel Grant" in the Subject Line
- Funds will be transferred to BU/PG supplied once proof of acceptance received
- Applicant can only receive or use one travel grant per calendar year

* ECR applicants must be UWA employees (not casual) with PhD or Masters awarded < 3 years ago

Name _____

UWA Student/Employee ID _____

Email _____

School/Department _____

Research/Study Area _____

Position _____

Supervisor (Required for Students Only) _____

Amount Requested _____

Please provide details of intended travel (travel dates, destination, event) and the costs covered by this grant application.

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If the Grant Amount applied for in this application is not the total cost required for your travel, please provide the total cost of your travel and how you will obtain the additional funds required.

Please describe what you are presenting, its relationship to data science, statistics, machine learning and/or artificial intelligence, the benefits of the travel, its alignment to your area of research expertise and contribution to your career path.

Date by which you will hear if your talk/paper/poster has been accepted OR **Date** when you received your notice of acceptance (please attach proof of acceptance to your application if you already have it)

BU/PG for funds transfer
(funds will only be transferred after we receive proof of acceptance)

In return for this travel assistance, I agree to provide (with photos)

- a minimum 300-word written summary to the UWA Data Institute on the outcomes of the travel, including achievements of relevance to the UWA Data Institute such as potential collaboration, cross-discipline activities, industry engagement, partnerships and opportunities going forward as a result oft his assistance
- evidence of presenting the talk, paper or poster at the conference

Applicant Signature & Date

Supervisor Signature & Date
(Required for Students Only)

UWA Data Institute Administration Use Only

Approved

Denied

Proof of Acceptance Received

Date

Funds Transferred

Date

Director UWA Data Institute Signature & Date