



**RE**  
**IMAGINING**  
**DIS** **CREATING INCLUSIVE FUTURES**  
**ABILITY**

## **COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES**

*Looking to be a more inclusive workplace?*

Our team of research professionals provides tailored expert advice and training to help solve problems for not-for-profit, industry and government organisations. We offer workshops, consultancy, research partnerships, and collaborative PhD and Research Fellow projects that support disability inclusion, through education training pathways, and workplace innovations. We partner with consultants with disability in a co-design approach.



## Benefits for your organisation



Get robust data to develop a deeper understanding of your organisation and develop strategies for improvement



Develop and deliver bespoke training packages for staff



Build workforce capacity through development of employment pathways for people with disability



Develop inclusive leadership training



Co-design workplace innovation to support your employees with disability to perform



Promote a disability-inclusive culture within your organisation



Promote research that matters to your clients and the community



Be a leader in diversity and inclusion in your industry



Work with leading international researchers to create new Intellectual Property.

## What does research involve?

- A co-design approach with researchers and citizen researchers (people with disability);
- Identifying workplace challenges and identify, develop and implement innovative solutions;
- Developing bespoke training programs for your staff or contractors;
- Conducting surveys, interviews and focus groups in the field or in your business;
- Reviewing the academic, policy and practice-based literature;
- Evaluating your business and/or industrial relations policy and practice;
- Developing case studies and conducting pilot studies within your business.



## How do we get involved?

Projects generally require a dedicated PhD student researcher or experienced PhD-qualified research fellow supported by a supervisory team of experienced research experts. Supporting a researcher is an economical way for you to do high quality research based in your organisation.

## Funding an industry PhD researcher

**Scholarships:** Applications for Griffith University PhD scholarships and Australian Government Research Training scholarships are considered through a competitive, merit-based selection process, with scholarships awarded throughout the year.

**Sponsorships:** PhD sponsorships must also follow the rigorous application process and the candidate must meet the criteria to enter a PhD program. This form of funding attracts GST but has excellent opportunities for material benefit.

**Benefits:** A relatively low-cost option for a researcher to work within your organisation for three years, focusing on your specific projects. The PhD researcher is supervised by experienced researchers.

## Funding a Research Fellow

Research Fellows are researchers with advanced research skills and have a strong academic profile. These positions (usually 2-3 years) are extremely competitive and yield strong domestic and international candidates.

**Benefits:** An advanced researcher able to bring together current research trends and skills to be applied to specific areas within your organisation, for 2-3 years.

## About us

*Griffith Inclusive Futures* is an interdisciplinary alliance of people with disability, researchers, designers and educators, as well as health and social services providers, industry and government bodies.

*Inclusive Futures* seeks to shape policy and provide people with a disability innovative solutions to improve quality of life, encompassing sport and exercise, employment and entrepreneurship, transport and design.

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