



## ELIGIBILITY EXEMPTION REQUEST *Linkage Projects for funding commencing in 2011*

### TYPE 1 – APDI FELLOWSHIP CANDIDATE

#### Closing time for Eligibility Exemption Requests:

LP11 Round 1: 5.00 pm (AEDT), Wednesday 31 March 2010

LP11 Round 2: 5.00 pm (AEST), Wednesday 29 September 2010

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- Each ARC online application system pre-submission Eligibility Exemption Request should relate to a **single eligibility issue only**.
  - For cases involving more than one APDI Fellowship candidate, you **MUST** submit a separate Eligibility Exemption Request for each candidate involved in a Proposal.
  - Each Eligibility Exemption Request must be reviewed and submitted by the Research Office of the Administering Organisation.
  - For the purposes of an Eligibility Exemption Request for relaxation of the timing requirements, the choice of a non-research career for three or more years will not be considered a valid reason for a research career interruption.
  - **Relevant additional information to support each Eligibility Exemption Request should not exceed 5 pages, as per the Instructions to Applicants for Eligibility Exemption Requests.**
  - For each separate APDI Fellowship Eligibility Exemption Request, please ensure the pro forma provided below is completed and merged with all supporting documentation in a single PDF, as per the Instructions to Applicants for Eligibility Exemption Requests.
  - For further information concerning eligibility criteria for APDI Fellowships please refer to Section 8.4 of the *Linkage Projects Funding Rules for funding commencing in 2011*.
  - For more detailed information on how to complete an Eligibility Exemption Request please refer to the Instructions to Applicants for Eligibility Exemption Request which is available from [http://www.arc.gov.au/ncgp/lp/lp\\_eligibility.htm](http://www.arc.gov.au/ncgp/lp/lp_eligibility.htm).
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Proposed Project Leader (CI or APDI Fellow): \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed APDI Fellowship Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Administering Organisation: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Proposal Title: \_\_\_\_\_



**Type of APDI Fellowship Eligibility Exemption Requested:** *Please mark a cross in the box applicable*

1	Proposed APDI Fellow has been awarded a PhD more than three years before the closing time for submission of Proposals for the relevant round.	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Proposed Fellow does not hold a PhD but has an equivalent research degree or experience – provide evidence that their research degree or experience is equivalent to a PhD.	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Date of PhD or Equivalent Qualification awarded** (*Day/Month/Year*): \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Date of Award:</b> (dd/mm/yy)		<b>Qualification:</b>	
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**Research Experience Gained:** (*Please describe as fully as possible and specify total months/years since PhD. Maximum 700 words*):

**STATEMENT:** Please justify the special circumstances in support of this Eligibility Exemption Request (Maximum 700 words)

**Non-employment and Employment History** (*Indicate non-employment and employment history (in years/months), in chronological order from most recent back to the date PhD awarded or PhD-equivalent status having been attained*)

<b>Time Period:</b> Month/Year – Month/Year	<b>Non-employment and employment history (include position, title)</b>	<b>Was employment research related:</b> Yes/No	<b>Total period in months/ years</b>	<b>Full Time Equivalent</b>	<b>Documentation attached:</b> Y/ N
<i>eg Jan 07 - now</i>	<i>Research career interruption, non-research employment, misadventure, carer responsibilities</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>1 year</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>Yes</i>

(Add more or delete rows as required)