

ORGANISATION	GRANT NAME / LINK	CATEGORY	FUNDING AMOUNT	APPROX. DATES
AMEX	<b>Music Backers Grant</b>	Open to music venues, business, artists and fans.	Total Pool of \$1,000,000	Rounds close end of each month
AMP	<b>Tomorrow Fund</b>	This unique grants program is open to individuals of all ages, walks of life, interests and abilities. AMP is now seeking more creative Australians who are working hard to achieve a special goal but just need a financial boost to take it to the next level. Funding can cover a range of activities, including training, living expenses and travel and equipment costs. Amazing musicians of all ages should apply online.	Total Pool of \$1,000,000	April - May
APRA AMCOS	<b>Art Music Fund</b>	The Art Music Fund exists to commission new work that is innovative, displays professional compositional craft and represents a benchmark of excellence in its field. The fund supports a wide range of music styles including: notated composition; electroacoustic music; improvised music (including innovative, original jazz); sound art; installation sound; multimedia, web and film sound and music; and theatrical, operatic and choreographed music.	Total Pool of \$100,000	November - February
APRA AMCOS	<b>Music Grants</b>	Funds projects and organisations promoting the use and recognition of music by APRA AMCOS members.	Subject to Approval	February - May
APRA AMCOS	<b>Professional Development Awards</b>	Bi-annual funding available to emerging songwriters and composers. Categories: Popular Contemporary (three awards are given in this category which covers pop, rock, blues, folk, hip hop and R&B), Country, Jazz, Art Music, Dance/Electronic, Film and Television, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	Nine Winners of \$15,000 each	May - June

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Arts Queensland + APRA AMCOS	<b>Grant McLennan Fellowship</b>	The Fellowship offers the recipient an opportunity to travel to New York, London or Berlin and use the experience of being immersed in a foreign and vibrant musical cultural to further develop their own artistic skills.	\$25,000	July - September
Arts Queensland	<b>Billy Thorpe Scholarship</b>	Provides a structured range of support for an emerging musician to establish their professional career through career planning and the opportunity to record with a local producer.	\$10,000	October - November
Arts Queensland	<b>Individuals Fund</b>	The Individuals Fund is for individual artists and cultural workers (emerging and established) to participate in transformational professional and career development opportunities.	Up to \$10,000 per application	Round 1: March - April Round 2: July - August
Arts Queensland	<b>QLD Arts Showcase Program</b>	The <b>Queensland Arts Showcase Program (QASP)</b> provides funding to support individuals, organisations or collectives to deliver vibrant and accessible arts and cultural experiences for Queensland.	Up to \$60,000 per project or program	Rolling Fund
Arts Queensland	<b>Playing Queensland Fund</b>	The Playing Queensland Fund supports the delivery of performing and visual arts projects that are ready to tour and have demonstrated community interest and confirmed demand. A component of the Fund delivers outcomes under the Queensland Government's Backing Indigenous Arts Initiative (BIA).	No Upper Limit	Rolling Fund

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Arts Queensland	<b>RADF</b>	Partnership between State Government, through Arts Queensland, and local government to support the professional development and employment of cultural workers in regional Queensland.	Various	Various (Contact Local Council)
Arts Queensland	<b>IRADF</b>	IRADF is part of the Backing Indigenous Arts initiative and it's goals are: Cultural Retention - keeping culture strong: Activities in which cultural knowledge and practice is passed on by recognised, respected leaders and peers; and Arts Development: activities where the community and individuals are engaged in arts practice, skills development and capacity building. To be eligible, applicants must show evidence of demand and support for their activities that involve Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islander people	Average request for funding is between \$5,000 and \$15,000	December - April
Arts Queensland	<b>Activate Music (RADF Gold Coast)</b>	Supports the development of the Gold Coast's contemporary music artists and industry. Funding provides support for projects that build cultural capacity, increase employment and create pathways to sustainable music careers.	Total Pool of \$100,000 available annually. There is no cap on the amount that can be requested in a funding round. The program will not support 100 per cent of the expenditure for any project.	April - May

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Austrade	<b>Export Market Development Grant</b>	Encourages small- and medium-sized Australian businesses to develop export markets. Reimburses up to 50 per cent of eligible export promotion expenses above \$5,000 provided that the total expenses are at least \$15,000. Provides up to eight grants to each eligible applicant.	Up to \$150,000	You must complete and submit your online application, including all required documents, between 1 July and midnight (AEDT) 30 November, or use an approved EMDG Quality Incentive Program (QIP) Consultant who can lodge a claim on your behalf until midnight Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) 28 February.
Australia Council / Flying Arts Alliance Inc	<b>RAF Community Project Grants</b>	The Community Project Grants stream supports applications which benefit the community, increase access and participation, and/or provide direct benefits to artists/arts workers.	Up to \$30,000	June - August
Australia Council / Flying Arts Alliance Inc	<b>RAF Quick Response Grants</b>	Quick Response Grants are intended to assist regional artists, arts organisations and communities to take up professional or skills development or small project opportunities.	Up to \$3,000	July -August
Australia Council / Flying Arts Alliance Inc	<b>RAF Stream: Arts Ablaze Presenter Travel Subsidy Grants</b>	For attendees of Arts Ablaze Conference	Up to \$1,500 for MMM 6-7; Up to \$750 for MMM 2-5	May - June

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Australia Council for the Arts	<b>Career Development Grants for Individuals &amp; Groups</b>	If you are an individual artist, arts worker or group of artists, a Career Development Grant can provide support to further develop your skills or improve your capacity to build an enduring career in the arts. These grants can support a broad range of activities such as skills and professional development, mentorships, showcases, residencies and other projects directly related to your career development. Supported activities must last no longer than two years from the proposed start date.	\$5,000 to \$25,000.	Feb / Jun / Oct
Australia Council for the Arts	<b>Arts Projects for Individuals and Groups</b>	The arts projects program funds a range of activities that deliver benefits to the arts sector and wider public, including national and international audiences. Examples of activities this grant supports include the creation of new work, creative development, touring, festivals, productions, exhibitions, publishing, recording and market development activity.	\$10,000 to \$50,000	Feb / Jun / Oct
Australia Council for the Arts	<b>Contemporary Music Touring Program</b>	The Contemporary Music Touring Program supports national touring activity undertaken by Australian musicians performing original contemporary music. It provides support of up to \$15,000 for tours in Australia that include performances in regional and remote areas. Up to an additional \$15,000 can be requested for remote and very remote touring.	Up to \$15,000	Feb / Oct

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Australia Council for the Arts	<b>Fellowships</b>	Australia Council Fellowships support outstanding, established artists' creative activity and professional development for a period of up to two years.	\$80,000	Open year-round, applications close in June
Australia Council for the Arts	<b>Arts and Disability Mentorship Funding</b>	If you are an individual artist or arts worker with disability, these grants can provide support to extend your arts practice, networks, skills and ambition. Applications to this initiative do not count as one of your three permissible applications to the Australia Council Grants Program in a calendar year.	Six grants of \$30,000	February - April
Josh Pyke + APRA AMCOS	<b>Josh Pyke Partnership</b>	For an Australian musician to establish and execute a business plan, which will support the progression of their music career as well as a grant to kick start their career and a mentorship with Josh Pyke & meetings with Gregg Donovan (Wonderlick Entertainment) and Stephen Wade (Select Music).	\$7500 grant + Mentorship	February - March
PPCA / Australia Council	<b>PPCA Recording Grants</b>	Supports Australian artists to create new sound recordings. You can apply for any costs primarily associated with the creation of a sound recording, which may also involve costs associated with the promotion of that recording.	\$15,000	February - March

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PPCA	<b>PPCA Performers Trust Foundation</b>	Must be for one or more of the following purposes: Performances at concerts at or for charitable institutions such as hospitals or homes for the aged; Scholarships for the promotion and encouragement of musical and theatrical education; The promotion and encouragement of the performing arts to the general public; The aid or assistance of any beneficiary who is unable to adequately maintain herself/himself by her/his own exertions and other income. A grant under the PPCA Performers' Trust Foundation can be used for costs associated with the above, including: Tuition fees; Travel costs (hire, airfares, petrol); Accommodation; Venue hire/ PA hire. A grant cannot be used to cover wages, salaries, commissions etc.	Up to \$3,000 for an individual / Up to \$5,000 for a group or organisation	Applications considered 4 times per year - contact PPCA for next consideration dates
The Seed Fund	<b>The Seed Fund Workshop</b>	Management workshop for artist managers or self managed artists.	Travel + Accommodation	September - October
Smugglers of Light Foundation	<b>Music &amp; Media Award</b>	Provides a promising Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander music or media practitioner a grant of \$12,000.	\$12,000	May - June