

## SSEIT Visiting Research Scholar Scheme 2020 (VRSS20)

To foster an excellent research culture, develop grant application skills, promote external research collaborations, and improve research visibility, the School of Science, Engineering and Information Technology establishes an annual Visiting Research Scholar Scheme (VRSS).

Staff are encouraged to apply for a research grant up to \$4,000 each to support international visiting scholar(s) or \$2,000 each to support domestic visiting scholar(s), using the application template below. The applications will be reviewed and ranked by the school leadership team based on merit and the profile of the visiting scholar.

All grants need normally to be spent by the end of 2020. Grants will support activities including inviting research collaborator(s) for short-term stay, bringing in experts for research seminars, and organizing conferences/workshops. Grants cannot be solely used for conference attendance.

All visiting scholars must present research seminars at one of the campuses of the university that will need to be broadcast to other campuses via video links.

Applications should be normally no more than 3 pages, using the headings listed in the template below. Weightings of the four areas are also shown in the template.

Reports of any form of research funding received from the school in 2018–2019 must be submitted along with the application, no more than 1 page.

Staff should submit applications to [AssocDean.ResearchSoSEIT@federation.edu.au](mailto:AssocDean.ResearchSoSEIT@federation.edu.au) by the closing date **Friday 26 June 2020**.

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### Application template

Applicant name(s):

Name and short biography of visiting research scholar(s) **(30%)**

Purpose of the visit **(20%)**

Expected outcomes, and potential impact to your research discipline and your future research **(30%)**

Budget and justification **(20%)**

Budget items should be listed in order of priority with labels essential/optional so that the school leadership team can approve funding less than requested by removing some items.