

## Application For 2022

### Christine and T Jack Martin Research Travel Fund

This fund is administered by the ANZBMS in memory of Christine Martin and to honour the outstanding and major scientific contributions of Professor T J Martin to bone and mineral research and his contributions to associates and trainees in teaching, research, and administration.

**Applicants should refer to the attached instructions for application and ensure they meet the eligibility requirements of the award.**

**Principal Investigator** (please attach CV)

Name:		Title:
Position:		
Address:		
Email:		
Tel:	Fax:	

**Host Laboratory(ies) (if applicable):** (attach additional sheet if more than 1)

Host Investigator(s):	
Address/Location:	
Email:	
Tel:	Fax:
<p>If this is a visit to a host lab, I agree to host the above candidate to undertake the project described in this application:</p> <p>Signature:  <i>(insert electronic signature if you have one)</i></p>	

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Supported by a grant from Amgen

This grant is offered by the ANZBMS in memory of Christine Martin and to honour the outstanding and major scientific contributions of Professor T Jack Martin to bone and mineral research and his contributions to associates and trainees in teaching, research, and administration.

The aim of the Grant is normally to facilitate travel to undertake bone and mineral research in any aspect of basic or clinical science. Since international travel remained unavailable due to the COVID19 pandemic, no applications for the grant were received in 2021. ANZBMS Council, with the advice of the ANZBMS Research Committee, and approval of Amgen Australia (who provided funds for the award), has repurposed these monies to uphold the aim of the Travel Fund by providing ANZBMS members the opportunity to apply for funding to support them, in 2022, to:

- Participate in online training courses to acquire new expertise, or
- Travel within Australia and New Zealand to acquire new expertise, or work on a substantially justified cooperative project to achieve aims for this award.

Applications up to \$1,000 (AUD) will be considered, based on merit, and funded with consideration of the proposed budget.

**Eligibility** Any financial member of the ANZBMS with continuous membership for 12 months, or more, is eligible, except for current members of Council who are ineligible. Preference will be given to higher degree students and members within 15 years of completing higher degree (PhD/Masters) considering career disruptions. Applicants with a higher degree (ie. PhD or equivalent) should have completed this degree within the past 15 years (full-time equivalent).

**Applications:** Must be submitted using this form to the Secretariat by **1 March 2022**. The application should include an itinerary for the proposed travel or information about the proposed online training course. In both cases a brief research proposal and a brief curriculum vitae of the applicant should be included.

**Research proposal:** This must not exceed 1 page (A4), including references. The proposal should include the aims and significance of the work or training to be conducted, a brief description of methods to be used or learned and the expected outcomes.

**Curriculum Vitae:** A summary curriculum vitae should be included. This should include publications for the past five (5) years and should not exceed 2 pages.

**Budget:** Applications up to \$1,000 will be considered. The grant may be used for any purpose associated with a laboratory visit or training course. This may include travel and accommodation, course registration fees, and bench fees (maintenance costs) for a project to be undertaken in the proposed host institution. A one (1) page budget proposal should be submitted.

**Supporting documentation:** Applications should include a letter of support from the head of the laboratory where the major work will be undertaken, or information about the training course that will be attended. Higher degree students should also include a letter

of support/endorsement from their principal supervisor indicating that they approve of the proposed travel / project.

**Itinerary (if applicable):** A one (1) page proposal for travel, including the laboratory to be visited. A general statement of the reason for the travel should be included. Indicate the contact person in each laboratory, and a brief purpose for each visit. A supporting letter from the laboratory where the work will be carried out should be included.

**Post Fellowship Reporting:** Any publication arising from the work must acknowledge the support of the Christine and T. Jack Martin Travel Fund of the ANZBMS.

A project report should also be made available for publication in the ANZBMS newsletter, and a brief report may be requested for presentation at the AGM during the Annual Scientific Meeting.

**Assessment:** A sub-committee of the ANZBMS Research Committee will decide on the applications. Notification of the awarding of the grants will be made by email by April 1<sup>st</sup> 2022, and publicised to all members through the ANZBMS Newsletter.

**Application form:** Type your details into the form above, save this Word file and send it as an email attachment to: [ijohnson@anzbms.org.au](mailto:ijohnson@anzbms.org.au)

**Deadline: 1 March 2022**

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