

## KEY DATES AND INFORMATION

### 2016 UNSW VICE-CHANCELLOR'S POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

- 4 May 2015: Applications open.
- 4 May –3 July 2015: *Applicants to contact Heads of Schools regarding advice on whether their proposed research is aligned with School research priorities and if their track record is considered competitive, and who may be contacted as an appropriate academic mentor if not identified.*  
*Heads of Schools are advised to reject non-competitive applications by advising applicants that they will not be considered.*  
 For general enquiries regarding the application process, please contact Ms Nalisa Mam, U1NSW Division of Research, email [nalisa.mam@unsw.edu.au](mailto:nalisa.mam@unsw.edu.au) phone +61 2 9385 5638. Heads of Schools can refer any questions from applicants re eligibility, timing, requests for further information etc. to Ms Mam who can correspond directly with prospective applicants.
- 3 July 2015: ***Closing date for applicants to submit completed application to Heads of School.***
- 17 July 2015: *Heads of Schools to notify applicants if they have been shortlisted for consideration by close of business on this date.*
- 7 August 2015: Medicine Faculty Deputy Dean (Research) to recommend a maximum number of applications\* to Central UNSW Fellowship Committee, with justification of their rankings and inform unsuccessful applicants (copied to HoS) by 14 August.
- 7-28 August 2015: Referees Reports called for final short-listed applicants (closing date of 28 August to receive Referees Reports); Referees Reports are to assist the Central UNSW Fellowship Committee.
- 31 August-11 Sept 2015: Central UNSW Fellowship Committee ranks applications  
 Chair: Pro Vice-Chancellor (Research Training)  
 A panel of Scientia Professors will be appointed with broad expertise to rank applications similar to an ARC/NHMRC assessment process. Applicants will be reviewed by Research Strategy Office for competitiveness for external fellowships.
- By end September 2015: Announcement of up to 12 UNSW VC Postdoctoral Fellowships.
- 29 February 2016: Latest date for Fellows to take up position at UNSW

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\*The maximum number of ranked applications per Faculty for consideration is

Eng	Sci	Med	FASS	ADFA	ASB	COFA	LAW	FBE	<b>Total</b>
8	8	8	3	3	3	2	1	1	<b>37</b>

Up to 12 Fellowship offers will be made. All unsuccessful applicants will be targeted for other externally available Fellowships by the Research Strategy Office.