

Applications are sought from postgraduate and undergraduate students who are undertaking research and involved in the study of employment related law, or the study of industrial relations.

Application



Julian Small Foundation

Annual Research Grant

Background

Julian Small was one of Australia's leading industrial lawyers. He died suddenly in February 1996. His death caused deep mourning in the community. It was his rare combination of legal skill, practical wisdom, humility, compassion and a sense of humour that caused the many people with whom he came into contact to admire him.

Julian helped not only large corporations which could afford his advice, but many people who could afford no one's help. He had great skills as a teacher and taught many people how to think, how to solve problems and never to accept anything less than excellence.

The Foundation was established with a generous donation from Julian's partners at Minter Ellison and has many other supporters. It is hoped that the Foundation will ensure that those things which were important to Julian,

and which should be important to all of us, are passed on to future generations.

Foundation's Objectives

The Foundation's key objective is to promote and foster study, research and development of the law relating to employment and industrial relations in Australia.

About the Grant and Selection Criteria

The Foundation has decided to award one or more grants of up to \$10,000. No grant will be less than \$4,000. A successful applicant will be chosen on the basis of a research proposal which clearly sets out how the research will advance thinking and practice in the area of employment law and industrial relations in Australia. The Foundation will provide assistance for publication of any resulting research. No intellectual property rights in any such work will be assigned to the Foundation.

How to apply?

Application forms may be obtained from Michelle Fiddes t: 02 9921 4814
e: michelle.fiddes@minterellison.com or your participating university.

Note: Applicants must be enrolled at an Australian University.

The closing date for applications is Friday 11 September 2009

Objectives

Please provide a detailed outline (in no more than 2 pages) of your research proposal and summarise how it could advance the thinking and practice of employment law and industrial relations in Australia.

Objectives continued.....

Referees

Please attach two letters from referees. The referees' focus should be on your research capabilities relevant for being awarded this grant.

REFEREE 1

REFEREE 2

Name:

Name:

Address:

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Telephone:

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Signature of applicant

Date

