



2021-2022 STUDENT PROJECT OPPORTUNITY

| PhD



Course Name: Master by Research (IAS) CRICOS Course Code: 053295G | Course Name: Doctor of Philosophy (IAS) CRICOS Course Code: 053291A

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Evaluation of housing repair and maintenance program in NT remote Aboriginal communities

WELLBEING AND PREVENTABLE CHRONIC DISEASES**PhD**

The student will work with a project to monitor and evaluate the activities, outputs and outcomes of the Healthy Homes program. Adequate housing is fundamental to health and well-being. The Northern Territory (NT) and Australian governments have invested significant funding to overcome the challenge of providing adequate housing for NT Aboriginal people living in town camps and remote communities.

The NT Government has established the Healthy Homes program to deliver an enhanced approach to preventive and cyclical housing repairs and maintenance across remote communities and selected town camps, to ensure that houses' health hardware is functioning to support the nine Healthy Living Practices in the National Indigenous Housing Guide.

Menzies School of Health Research has been contracted by the NT Government to monitor and evaluate the activities, outputs and outcomes of the Healthy Homes program.

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Eligibility: The successful applicant will meet the eligibility criteria for admission to a Master by Research or Doctor of Philosophy degree at Charles Darwin University.

Scholarship Provisions:

Candidates will be encouraged to seek Research Training Program (RTP) scholarship funding through Charles Darwin University. Further information about RTP scholarship application process, eligibility criteria and key dates can be found on this [CDU webpage](#)

A successful candidate who is a recipient of a primary scholarship such as RTP will be eligible to apply for a Menzies top-up scholarship to the value of \$10,000 per annum for up to 3.5 years. Successful candidates will receive \$3,500 per annum for up to 3.5 years to cover direct costs of the research.

Application Process

Applicants should submit the following:

- Brief summary of why they want to complete the project
- Current CV
- Copies of certified academic transcripts
- Proof of Residency (not required for Australian citizens)

All applications should be submitted to Prof David Thomas david.thomas@menzies.edu.au by 30th September 2021.