

# Let us help you realise your aspirations and achieve your full potential!

Providing \$1,000 - \$10,000 per applicant for training, education and/or research in the South Australian food and beverage industries.



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## Some of the people we've helped...

#### Keva Freeman - Pastry Chef



#### Kris Lloyd - Head Cheesemaker and Owner, Woodside Cheese Wrights

Kris's philosophy is to continuously challenge what you are doing through learning. The funding provided by Food and Beverage Development Fund enabled her to attend a senior management programme. This training significantly impacted her management style and business understanding which has assisted her in taking her business to the next level, winning many awards including Gold at the World Cheese Awards in 2009.





#### Lynn Green - Owner, Geraldton Hill, Artisan Toffees & Sweet Creations

Lynn created her artisan toffee home based business in 2006 following years of sharing her passion for all things toffee and chocolate with family and friends. She now manages her own established home based wholesale business and thanks to the assistance from the Food and Beverage Development Fund, she is using the knowledge she has acquired from attending Savour Chocolate courses to continually refine her chocolating skills.

#### Corey Barr and Alan Holloway - Meat Industry

For Alan and Corey the ultimate goal has been to get a job with AQIS in Australia. Thanks to the sponsorship from the Food and Beverage Development Fund they are well on their way to completing all the necessary requirements to be able to get their dream job. Whilst being sponsorship recipients they have also met a lot of people at the annual Food and Beverage get together who have been able to help them along their journey.





#### Justin Murdock - Director & Head Brewer, Yorke Brewing

Justin has an enthusiasm, passion and love for all things beer. Thanks to the help of the Food & Beverage Development Fund he will use the tertiary knowledge he gained from Malting and Brewing studies to further strengthen his skills. He has been able to better implement laboratory quality control procedures and with a greater understanding of raw ingredients he can ensure that perfect brew, everytime!

### Let us help you realise your aspirations and achieve your full potential!



The Food and Beverage Development Fund wants to help dedicated people realise their aspirations and achieve their full potential. We provide financial support to help individuals to further their skills and knowledge through training, education and/or research within South Australia's critically important food & beverage industries. Applications are accepted from individuals intending to study, apprentices or trainees, post secondary students, university students and research students.

#### **Support Payment Packages**

We are proud to be able to support the learning of individuals in our baking, beverage, food processing and meat industry sectors and provide between \$1,000 and \$10,000 to each successful applicant based on the needs of the individual and the level of support required.

As part of the application process, applicants are asked to provide specific details of the nature of the support they are seeking through the support payment. Applications should include evidence of anticipated costs associated with expenditure items such as course fees, travel costs, books, equipment, etc.

Final package details and expected completion date is to be agreed between successful applicant and selection panel. Please note: Support Payment funding may or may not be taxable depending upon your individual circumstances. We strongly suggest you seek independent financial advice.

#### **Application and Selection Process**

Application forms are available from the Food and Beverage Development Fund by phoning 08 8362 9066 or download at www.foodandbeveragefundsa.com.au.

Completed applications should include:

- support payment application form
- evidence of anticipated costs
- current resume
- additional information (if necessary).

Applications will be assessed from information provided in application submissions. Finalists will be invited to attend an interview with the Food & Beverage Development Fund selection panel. Successful Support Payment Applications will be determined by Food & Beverage Development Fund Board and offered to individuals based on application information, interview and their commitment to furthering their skills and knowledge within the industry.

#### **Entry Conditions**

Applicants for scholarships must:

- be Australian citizens or permanent residents of Australia
- be committed to research or study in a food and/or beverage industry related area
- be prepared to attend interviews as required
- agree to abide by the decision of the Food and Beverage Development Fund SA Inc in relation to their application.

Successful applicants who have requested support payment expenditure against course fees must provide proof of enrolment before support payment benefits are paid. Please discuss with us if your course fee must be paid before proof of enrolment can be provided.

Successful apprentice or trainee applicants must have a contract of training arrangement registered and approved with the State Training Authority and provide evidence before support payment benefits are paid.

Support for successful research applicants is provided to support the conduct of the research and to publish or subsidise the publication of results of academic research project(s).

Expected completion date is to be agreed between successful applicant and selection panel.

The number and value of support payments to be made available in any year is determined by the Board and support payments will not necessarily be offered in each of the relevant areas.

All decisions relating to offers of support payments shall be final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Please ensure your application is complete prior to submission. Food and Beverage Development Fund SA Inc accepts no responsibility for incomplete applications leading to ineligibility for Support Payments.



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