



Memorandum

To:	All SLSNSW Clubs
From:	SLSNSW
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Subject:	Grant Opportunity – Aus Gov 2022 Women Leaders in Sport (WLIS) Program – Individual Development Grants Stream (closing 15 October 2021)

The **Aus Gov Women Leaders in Sport (WLIS) Program – Individual Development Grants Stream** is currently open, closing **15 October 2021**. The objectives of this program are to provide leadership development opportunities for women; help sporting organisations create inclusive cultures and achieve gender equity; and drive a positive narrative around women leaders in sport.

In this round, the WLIS program will offer funding under two streams:

- 1. Individual Development Grants – the subject of this memo**
- 2. Organisation Development Grants** – these grants are only available for national and state/territory sporting organisations.

Please note: The funding stream regarding Leadership Workshops is not included in this round but will open as a separate grant round in early 2022. More information will be sent out regarding this stream once it opens in 2022.

Individual Development Grant:

In this round, a total pool of \$200,000 is available across the following three tiers of individual grants

Tier	Funding amount
Tier 1: More than 5 years leadership experience* in sport with demonstrated management experience	Up to \$10,000
Tier 2: 3–5 years' leadership experience* in sport	Up to \$8,000
Tier 3: Less than 3 years' leadership experience* in sport	Up to \$4,000

*"Leadership experience" is defined as having a formal position where you lead people or a team

- Applicants who have previously undertaken a WLIS Leadership Workshop are encouraged to apply for courses or training that relate to the goals that they developed from the workshop.
- The course/training must take place in 2022. An example of courses that have been funded in previous rounds can be found as a guide at Attachment A.
- Consideration may be given to support travel and accommodation costs borne by the successful recipients residing in rural/remote areas for attending the approved course/training.
- To be eligible to apply, an applicant must
 - identify as a women, be 18 years or over, and be an Australian citizen or permanent resident; AND at least ONE of the below:
 - 1. Be currently or previously (lost job due to COVID-19) involved in a paid or volunteer capacity for a local, State, National Sporting Organisation or National Sporting Organisation for people with a Disability, recognised by Sport Australia and have a letter of support from the CEO or manager/supervisor to continue to support their career development: OR
 - 2. Currently involved in a paid position for the National Institute Network and have a letter of support from a recognised state or national sporting organisation and a letter of support from their CEO or manager/supervisor to continue to support their career development; OR
 - 3. Work or volunteer as a sports journalist and obtain a letter of support from a superior within your organisation or a letter of endorsement from a professional reference.



- The following are not eligible:
 - Individuals who have received a grant under this WLIS program within the last two years (this does not include attendance at a WLIS Workshop) or have any outstanding reports/acquittals with Sport Australia are not eligible to apply.
 - Applications for more than one course/activity, a university degree, one off conferences and retrospective events are not eligible.

Full details, including guidelines and application form, are located at www.sportaus.gov.au/grants_and_funding/wlis/individual

As the Individual Development Grant is an individual application, the SLSA Grant Seeking Unit is unable to assist with the drafting of applications. For specific enquiries regarding the Individual Development Grant program, please contact the WLIS Grant Team via email at wlis@ausport.gov.au or phone on 02 6214 1463.

Should you however have any general questions, as always please contact one of the team members on:

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Kind regards

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Attachment A

Women Leaders in Sport – Individual Grants program

Please note: the below list is an example of courses previously applied for. We recommend you use this as a guide only and undertake your own research to meet your training and development needs.

Individual Courses	
Course Title	Course Provider
A Woman's Pace	The Optimisation Hub
Accelerated Leadership Program	UNSW AGSM
Advanced Certificate in MYOB	The Career Academy
Advanced Organisational Design	Australian Human Resource Institute
Agile Project Management	Australian Institute of Management
AHRI Short Courses	Australian Human Resources Institute
ASCA Level 2 S&C Coach Accreditation Course	ASCA (Australian Strength & Conditioning Association)
Boardroom Effectiveness for Women	Australian Institute of Company Directors
Boards and risk - risk governance and prevention in a chaotic world	IMD Business School
Certificate In Applied Sports Nutrition	Sports Nutrition Australia
Certificate in Governance Practice	Governance Institute of Australia
Certificate IV in Elite Athlete Wellbeing Management	Wellbeing Science Institute
Certificate IV in Training and Assessment	Swinburne University
Certificate IV in Training and Assessment - TAE40116	RMIT University
CEW Leaders Program	Chief Executive Women
Change Management Certification Program	PROSCI
Chief Executive Women's Leaders Program	Chief Executive Women Pty Ltd
Company Directors Course	Australian Institute of Company Directors
Compass Leadership Course	Dattner Group
Confident communication for leaders-one on one mentoring	Carol Fox-online no specific date as of yet
Creative Digital Communications	University of Melbourne
Developing a Growth Mindset	Australian Online Courses
Emerging Leaders	Odyssey Training
Enterprise Risk Management	Risk Management Institute of Australia
Everything DiSC Certification - Full Package	Integro Learning Company
Executive Coaching	Bendelta
Executive leadership program 1:1	Artem Group



Executive Master of Business Administration	RMIT
Executive Ready	Women & Leadership Australia
FGC Individual Executive Coaching	Foresight's Global Coaching
Finance for Non-Financial Managers	Melbourne Business School
Foundations in Creative Leadership and Advanced Design Thinking	IDEO U
Foundations of Directorship	Australian Institute of Company Directors
Foundations of Directorship- 3 short Courses	Australian Institute of Company Directors
Foundations of Directorship: Strategy & Risk for Directors	Australian Institute of Company Directors
Governance Foundations for Not-for-Profit Directors	Australian Institute of Company Directors
Individual Coaching Program	Other Side of the Table
Individual Leadership Coaching and Mentoring	Leading Teams
Influential Women	National Institute of Dramatic Art (NIDA Corporate)
Leadership 360	Alison Crabb Institution
Leadership Development Program	Melbourne Business School
Leading Change	AGSM
Leading Edge	Women & Leadership Australia
Leading from the Chair	INSEAD
Leading Well Mentorship	Leading Well Coaching professionals
Leading with Emotional Intelligence	Australian Institute of Management (AIM)
Manage Business Effectively (Online)	Australian Institute of Management Education and Training (AIM)
Mastering Design Thinking	MIT Sloan School of Management
Media and Presentation Training	Media Potential
Microsoft office	Applied Learning
New Leader Development Program	Melbourne Business School
Online Executive Ready Program	Women & Leadership Australia
Project Management short courses	University of Sydney
Resilient Leadership	Melbourne Business School
Strategic Leadership	Australian Institute of Management
The Conscious Negotiator Program	Other Side of the Table
Transformational Leadership PACE	The Optimisation Hub
WordPress Advanced Course	Dynamic Web Training