

OpenCreds Investment Fund – Application Form

This Application Form is intended for use by private higher education providers, vocational education and training organisations, industry associations, and professional bodies (education providers) to apply for OpenLearning's OpenCreds Investment Fund (OIF).

The OIF is available to education providers in fast tracking the development of micro-credentials in the form of OpenCreds. The OpenCreds will be developed on the OpenLearning platform with support from the OpenLearning Learning Services Team and made available via the OpenLearning marketplace.

In FY20/21, \$350,000 has been set aside for use in the development of up to 35 OpenCreds. OpenLearning will consider all applications for funding on a case by case basis with the first applications to be submitted by Friday 7th of August 2020.

Completed applications should be submitted to: opencreds@openlearning.com

For further information, please contact your OpenLearning Partnership Manager or contact Cherie Diaz, Managing Director Australia via cherie@openlearning.com.

Section 1: Application Contact

Primary Contact		Secondary Contact	
Title		Title	
Name		Name	
Position title		Position title	
Email		Email	
Phone		Phone	

Section 2: Education Provider Details

Provider name	
Faculty / department (if relevant)	

Section 3: Signature

Full name of authorized representative

Signature

Date

Section 4: Application Details:

Please provide a detailed description of the OpenCreds that you would like to develop. If applying for multiple OpenCreds, please complete a separate table for each OpenCred.

Topic	
Learning outcomes	
Target audience	
Indicative Hours of Learning	(must be one of 2.5 hours, 10 hours, 25 hours or 50 hours)
Suggested price point*	
Suggested title*	
OpenCreds classification	(must be one of Pathway, Credit-bearing or Industry Recognised)
Delivery mode**	
Why do you feel that this course is relevant to the current and/or future needs of Australian lifelong learners?	
Total funding required for the education provider***	
Pathway / Agreements in place	

* Pending market analysis and agreement by OpenLearning

** Examples include start anytime/set start dates, facilitated/self-paced

*** Please refer to the OpenCreds Investment Fund Information Booklet for funding limits