

Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Industry, Innovation, Climate Change, Science, Research and Tertiary Education Portfolio
Budget Estimates Hearing 2013-14
3 and 4 June 2013

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION, CLIMATE CHANGE, SCIENCE, RESEARCH AND TERTIARY EDUCATION

TOPIC: Graduate Recruitment

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Bushby

QUESTION No.: BI-117

1. Provide an update on expenditure for 2014 Graduate Recruitment to date. Please itemise and detail costs.
2. Has any travel been incurred for 2014 Graduate Recruitment? Please itemise and detail costs.

ANSWER

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION, CLIMATE CHANGE, SCIENCE, RESEARCH AND TERTIARY EDUCATION

1. As at 31 May 2013, the Department has spent \$47,913 on 2014 Graduate Recruitment as follows:

Itemised costs	Cost \$ (GST exclusive)
Advertising & Marketing	16,584
Careers Fairs	11,021
Shortlisting & Scribing services	20,308
Total	47,913

2. As at 31 May 2013, the Department has spent \$8,310 on travel for recruitment of the 2014 Graduates as follows:

Itemised costs	Cost \$ (GST exclusive)
Flights for Interview Panel	8,310
Total	8,310

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER STUDIES (AIATSIS)

AIATSIS does not currently have a Graduate Program.

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF MARINE SCIENCE (AIMS)

AIMS does not currently have a Graduate Program.

AUSTRALIAN NUCLEAR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY ORGANISATION (ANSTO)

1. Nil.
2. Nil.

AUSTRALIAN RESEARCH COUNCIL (ARC)

ARC does not currently have a Graduate Program.

AUSTRALIAN SKILLS QUALITY AUTHORITY (ASQA)

ASQA does not currently have a Graduate program.

COMMONWEALTH SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH ORGANISATION (CSIRO)

CSIRO does not run an Australian Public Service style entry-level program.

IP AUSTRALIA

1. As at 31 May 2013, IP Australia has spent \$11,548 on 2014 Graduate Recruitment as follows:

Itemised costs	Cost \$ (GST exclusive)
On-line advertising	410
Scribing	2,087
Relocation of one successful applicant from South Australia	9,051
Total	11,548

2. As at 31 May 2013, IP Australia has spent nil on travel for recruitment of the 2014 Graduates.

TERTIARY EDUCATION QUALITY AND STANDARDS AGENCY (TEQSA)

TEQSA does not currently have a Graduate Program.

CLEAN ENERGY REGULATOR (CER)

1. The Clean Energy Regulator intends to run a Graduate Recruitment Program in 2014 but, as at 31 May 2013, has not committed any funding to the 2014 Program.
2. As at 31 May 2013, the Clean Energy Regulator has not committed any funding on travel for recruitment of the 2014 Graduates.

CLIMATE CHANGE AUTHORITY (CCA)

The CCA does not currently have a Graduate Program.