

Request For Services

Options and design analysis for a potential Philanthropic Data & AI Fund

Frequently Asked Questions

	Question	Answer
Selection Criteria and Eligibility		
1	Can successful applicants for this Request for Services process be based outside of Australia?	Applicants must be Australian based (Australia Office and/or Australian ABN). However, international applicants may form part of a consortium with an Australian based provider(s) if the Australian based provider is the lead applicant.
2	Does PRF intend to weight any criteria higher than another?	PRF will preference a strong understanding of disadvantage and inclusive practice. We expect applicants to have a strong understanding of and relationships within the Australian not for profit sector.
Conflict of Interests		
1	Does helping design the fund exclude organisations from later receiving money from a potential future fund?	There is a risk that working on the design of the fund could present a perceived conflict if the same organisation then seeks funding from a mechanism they helped design. It is the discretion of the applicant whether that is something they would want to navigate later.
Approach		
1	What guidance can you provide on what PRF is looking for in responses?	PRF are not seeking to tell applicants to follow a specific approach in their response. We will value responses from applicants that articulate why an approach makes sense with demonstrated rationale/reasoning.
Pricing		
1	Is the indicative budget GST inclusive or exclusive?	The indicative budget is exclusive of GST.
Format		
1	Is there a page limit for the proposal?	We have not specified a page limit. However, responses that read clearly and succinctly are preferred.
2	Is there a preferred structure for the proposal?	While there is no structure, the pricing template supplied at the end of the RFS must be included in the response.