



Eligibility Criteria for AusSRC Science Enabling Project Expression of Interest

Expressions of Interest submitted for AusSRC Science Enabling Projects (ASEP) must satisfy the eligibility criteria outlined below. These criteria are intended to ensure that proposed projects are appropriately connected to the Australian research community and aligned with AusSRC's strategic objectives.

1. Australian Research Community Involvement

Proposals must demonstrate a clear connection to the Australian research community by meeting at least one of the following requirements:

- The Lead/Principal Investigator (PI) at an Australian institution, organisation, or university; **or**
- More than 50% of the proposing team comprises researchers at Australian institutions, organisations, or universities.

2. Alignment with AusSRC's Strategic Priorities

All proposals must be linked to at least one of AusSRC's strategic objectives. Eligible projects should clearly demonstrate how they contribute to one or more of the following:

- Advancing the path to SKA science;
- Supporting the analysis or exploitation of SKA precursor data;
- Contributing to community tools, workflows, software, or infrastructure;
- Strengthening Australian capability in radio astronomy and data-intensive science; or
- Aligning with broader SRCNet priorities.