

## Joint Churchill Fellowships

### [About this option](#)

A joint Fellowship is for applicants who have a project on issues that affect Australian First Nations peoples that is justifiably strengthened by having at least one Indigenous Australian's perspective on the topic. For example, a joint Fellowship could comprise two applicants, one Indigenous Australian and one non-Indigenous Australian, collaborating on the project; or could comprise two Indigenous Australian applicants collaborating on the project.

### [Eligibility](#)

- At least one of the applicants must be Indigenous Australian
- The project must focus on issues that primarily affect Australian First Nations peoples

### [Is there any information required from the applicant \*in addition\* to application form?](#)

The applicant will need to indicate within the application form that they would like to be considered for the "Joint Fellowship" within the Alternative Fellowship Type field. When selected a new field will open asking how you are eligible for this Alternative Fellowship Type.

Applications that indicate they would like to be considered for a "Joint Fellowship" will be assessed jointly and if successful, both applicants will be recognised as Churchill Fellows.

Applicants will complete one application form individually. Within the form there is a field called "name of your joint applicant" which is where they can state their application partner's name.

Applicants will complete their own details in the following sections of the form:

- Contact details and demographics
- Education and study
- Employment and volunteering
- Achievements
- Personal reference

- One question in the Reason for Application section “What experience do you have to undertake the project?”

Applicants will need to input the same information into the following sections:

- Project overview
- Project description
- Reasons for application (except for the question “What experience do you have to undertake the project?”)
- Video pitch
- Proposed itinerary
- Project reference

The video pitch can be completed individually or together, it is up to the joint applicants.

[Are there any different funding or insurance details the applicant should be aware of?](#)

The Churchill Trust will provide the joint Fellows with adequate funds to complete their Churchill Fellowship. Travel and overseas living expenses will be budgeted as a standard individual Churchill Fellow and funds transferred into their individual bank accounts for them to manage individually. Funds that may be shared are for items that can be collectively used such as car hire. Each individual Fellow will be covered by the Churchill Trust’s insurance policy while travelling.

[Are there any differences with the interview process for joint applicants?](#)

When applying as a joint application, you will not be considered individually as you have advised that the project requires the two people listed within the application. Joint applicants will be interviewed together and may be given an extended interview time. If required, we can make arrangements for joint applicants to be interviewed in different states through online interviews.

**If you are interested in applying for this Alternative Fellowship Type, please contact the Churchill Trust to discuss on 02 6247 8333.**