

## Elder Conservatorium of Music

### Research Committee Meeting – Minutes 03 / 2024 Monday 15 July 2024, 2:05pm – 3:00pm Schulz 10.06

**Committee Members:** Luke Dollman (Chair), Anna Goldsworthy, Carl Crossin, Stephen Whittington, Emily Dollman, Dan Pitman, Luke Harrauld, Dylan Crismani, Tom Hajdu, Emma Gregan, Lyndon Gray, Debra Friend (Minutes).

#### Business Arising from the minutes:

- Stephen Whittington **approved previous minutes. Seconded by** Emily Dollman.
- It is noted that Emma Gregan was at the meeting held on 15 April 2024.

#### Actions:

Item	Action	Responsibility	Status / Due Date
4.1	<b>Future Making Fellowship scheme and International Fellows Award</b> – If anyone has any candidates in mind for either of the above, please advise Luke. D.	All Committee members	In Progress
5.1	<b>HDR Supervision</b> - Put through some ideas where we would like specialising for HDR's	All Committee members	In Progress
AOB	<b>Stakeholder Survey</b> - Please do Stakeholder Survey, emailed from Russell Brewer	All Committee members	In Progress

#### 1. Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Kaurna people, the original custodians of the Adelaide plains and the land on which the University of Adelaide campuses are built.

#### 2. Apologies: Anna Goldsworthy, Carl Crossin, Lyndon Gray, Tom Hajdu

#### 3. Additional items and ordering of agenda

##### 3.1 Business arising from the minutes.

##### 3.2 Action items from previous meeting 02/2024

**Item 5.3, Research points** – Luke. H to investigate definition of publication for online resources and report – **Outcome** - Luke. D Spoke to the owners, no clear answer, up to yourselves to make a request. **Stephen Whittington** noted some publishers only publish things online, depending on the publisher. Luke. D suggested to take on a case-by-case basis.

**Item 5.5, Grants** – Luke. D to circulate Trailblazer video. **Outcome** - completed and circulated on 12/7/24. If anyone interested in further details, Luke could put you in touch with Tim Legrand.

#### 4. Research Report:

##### 4.1 Faculty update from Luke Dollman:

- **School Research Excellence Awards and Faculty of ABLE Research Excellence Awards** – The school research awards, which was run last year, is also to be run this year. School Research award winners will be automatically nominated for the same award category for the FABLE Research Excellence awards. The deadline for Faculty submissions will be 30 September. Further details to come from Faculty.  
**Note:** Deb has confirmed from Tim Legrand, that the Faculty ABLE Research Excellence Awards will now be open to ALL to apply.
- **Confirmation of Naxos funding** – Funding has been approved, a good indicator that Faculty will support big opportunities. If you have big opportunities/ideas – put forward your case.
- **Faculty Internal Grant Funding, Recent round 2** – 2 x unsuccessful applications – Faculty looking at ARC linkage projects. All funds are now exhausted for this funding for 2024, unless any monies are left over or returned.
- **Future Making Fellowship scheme** – Essentially, a good scheme, a little bit difficult for Elder, as the focus will be on Healthy Societies research at its centre. Recipients get a very good package, an ECR receives a 3-year research only role. – applicants do need to fall into the societies research and be fellowship-ready, e.g. NHMRC or DECRA. Dan Pitman queried if environmental research could fall under the Healthy Societies banner? Luke. D advised wellbeing could work, and it would be up to the Elder Con applicant to pitch the environmental angle. Link for further information: <https://careers.adelaide.edu.au/cw/en/job/514424/future-making-fellow>
- **International Fellows Award** – International Fellows, receive an honorarium payment, of up to \$20,000 each are available to bring international collaborators to Adelaide to work with our researchers and students on key global challenges. Applications close 19 August. Need to have a minimum 0.5FTE status at another Uni, outside of Australia. Link below for further information:  
<https://www.adelaide.edu.au/staff/news/news/list/2024/07/04/international-fellows-award-applications-now-open#:~:text=Applications%20are%20now%20open%20for,students%20on%20key%20global%20challenges>.  
If anyone knows a good candidate, to pass on details to Luke. D.

**ACTION: If anyone has any candidates in mind for the Future Making Fellowship scheme and/or the International Fellows Award scheme, please advise Luke D.**

## 5. Elder Conservatorium business:

### 5.1 Update from Pillar leads

#### Luke Dollman – Health/Arts:

- GAHA (Global Arts and Health Alliance), asked the government for \$8m did not get, they have a website now and they have tax deductible status.
- Grant opportunities will be coming up. Possible linkage/discovery opportunities

#### Dylan Crismani – Indigenous:

- CASM, a lot happening – Composition of new music, will not fund -Indigenous arts ARC project was expecting an answer in June -
- \$46K from Adel City Council, progress is going well
- Negotiations with Sony ongoing still
- Music therapy project still ticking along.
- Piece for Honk Kong has been delivered

#### Emily Dollman – Music Education:

- Ongoing projects with Women's & Children's Hospital, Collaborative Composition & Schools.
- Emma and Emily working on instrumental tuition looking at primary schools, advertising summer scholarships.
- Emily going to Helsinki to present on education skills for music students, ISME conference.

#### Emma Gregan – Classical

- Emma is Coordinating with Carl

**Carl Crossin:** - Apology, did not attend

#### Luke Harrauld - Creative Practice:

- Variety of projects running, ARC project still ticking along.
- Going to University of NSW for creative robotics projects

**Tom Hajdu– Sia Furler:** - Apology, did not attend

#### Stephen Whittington - International:

- Accepted 1 x PhD applicant from China, some issues regarding a supervisor to be approved.
- Signed agreement with Vietnam Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism.
- Post Graduate Coordinator, Oliver will be helping Stephen solve some challenges around supervision for HDR's. Watch this space.
- Need to try and match specific research supervisors to HDR.

**ACTION FOR ALL – Put through some ideas where we would like specialising for HDR's**

#### Dan Pitman – Technical

- setting up collab with engineering dept –
- put in an ARC EOI, did a summer school, finished project, currently broadcasts live.
- Talked about running another EOI and collaborate with acoustics, have a robot go through
- Acoustic engineering society – robotic ambisonic convolution reverb. Look at how this works. Hoping to have more of an emphasis on performing on this.
- Project, solar powered PA System – opened up the project to undergraduate and engineering students, the engineering student component did not run smoothly. There is a gap to move engineering into this project space.
- Engineering has a brilliant workshop, with 3D printers, Dan has been collaborating with them.
- Virtual space, to use for broadcasting, 3D platform recreation of Elder Hall stage.
- Discussed establishing pathways to get students to PhD

#### 5.2 School Research funding:

- School research funding (Staff and HDR) – Summary of grants awarded. Money remaining.
- There is approximately \$18k left to allocate. Luke. D suggests running a third round.
- Luke would like members to come up with some ideas around what monies can be spent on.

**ACTION: Luke. H to Put forward ideas on what the monies can be spent on for third round – deadline beginning of August**

#### 5.3 Figshare Update:

- Luke D. had meeting with librarians – Library will put together an internal trial model of Figshare
- Luke D. suggested to pick a couple of research projects which have good video/photo evidence, e.g. ARC project, to put on internal Figshare – will not be public.

#### 5.4 Grants – Linkage dates:

- Dates are a bit sooner than expected.
- Possible linkage grant with Flinders/Uni Sa – Discovery Indigenous Grant, can this be scaled up?
- Current Grant income doing well and ahead of targets.

#### 5.5 HDR updates: Discussed and covered previously in Item 5.1

##### Any other business:

- **MOD Gallery**, exhibition showcasing research in 2026, suggestions in fine tunings could be showcased. Any ideas, The VR Tech, Dan, said could work – Email Luke. D any ideas.
- **Summer Research Scholarships closes today** – if you want to apply. Student gets paid \$1500 – the student to apply.
- **Stakeholder Survey** – Russell Brewer is trying to harvest data, the Faculty is presently seeking to map these external engagements, so that we can more effectively support our staff. The **survey should take approximately 10-15 minutes** for you to complete, and can be accessed here:  
[https://adelaideuniwide.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_03wi80RaTmaa38a](https://adelaideuniwide.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_03wi80RaTmaa38a)

**ACTION: Please do Stakeholder Survey, emailed from Russell Brewer**

Meeting finished: 2:53pm

Next meeting: Monday 16, September, 2pm – 3pm Schulz 10.06