

Going Global: Leading Locally, Leveraging Serendipity and Snowballing.

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My story of the Ian Chubb Career Development Award



- learnings gained
- opportunities made
- connections forged

Taking control of your PD

Take the lead in your professional development: Applying for scholarships and awards

You need to take the lead in ensuring that you are equipped to meet the challenges of the future. When resources are limited, however, you can still find professional development opportunities through applying for scholarships and awards.

Rubin and Hudson (2015)

Why do PD?

- Advancing your career
- Exposes you to new possibilities, new knowledge, new skill sets
- Personal and/or professional recognition
- Networking for improvement

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My background



SRHE

*Society for Research into Higher Education
Advancing knowledge, Informing policy, Enhancing practice*

2013



ATEM Awards & Grants



- ATEM Grants and Awards

- Regional Grants - Bass, Central, NSW/ACT, Western
- Partner association conference awards
- Peter Karmel International Travel Grant
- Maurie Blank Study Scholarship
- Ian Chubb Career Development Award (ICCD)



Ian Chubb Career Development Award

Purpose:

- For a member to undertake an intensive period of professional development.

Eligibility:

- ATEM members of at least two years consecutive standing.
- It is expected that applicants would be at the stage of their career where the award of the Grant would enable them to enhance their career development and their professional standing.

Award:

- \$7,500

My project

Contributions of professional (services) staff to student outcomes: an international comparative case study.

1. Investigate the contributions that professional services staff make to student outcomes in one university in the UK.
2. Do a comparative analysis with research outcomes from my earlier Australian study.
3. Further enhance the relationship and partnership between ATEM and the AUA.
4. Disseminate the research outcomes to foster improved understanding of the work done by professional (services) staff, both in Australia and the UK.

Going global



From Sydney to Chester



Serendipity and snowballing



Portfolio career

- Higher Education Management Consultant
- Research Associate, Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences, UTS
- Accredited Facilitator, eLAMP, LH Martin Institute
- eLAMP and MTEM capstone supervisor, LH Martin Institute
- Association Secretary and Associate Fellow, ATEM



Questions to ponder

- Where are you in your career?
- Do you have a career plan?
- Where do you want to take your career?
- What's the next step?
- What PD do you need?
- How would a grant help you?

Learnings gained



Opportunities made



Connections forged



(Not quite) The End

