BHERT’s Collaboration Awards are the largest and longest-running in Australia, and are widely acknowledged as the pre-eminent recognition of great cross-sector partnerships for the last 21 years. In 2018 BHERT received a record number of entries, and selected a set of outstanding Award winners.

BHERT conducts a two-stage application process for the 2019 Awards, with the first stage requiring only a one-page “Expression of Interest”. Expressions of Interest (EOIs) to apply for Awards will be accepted from Thursday 7th March to Tuesday 16th April, via the BHERT website.

After a shortlisting period, BHERT will select the top applicants in each Award category, who are invited to complete a full application through our Online Portal from Monday 13th May to Tuesday 9th July. These full applications will be judged by our expert panel, and winners will be announced at our BHERT Awards Dinner in November 2019.

After reviewing the criteria below, please fill out your Expression of Interest application (separate word document) and submit via the BHERT website.

Successful Expressions of Interest illustrate the outcomes and impacts of the project, and clearly define the project’s collaborative nature. Brevity and clarity of explanation are highly valued in BHERT Applications:

- Please choose a title which accurately reflects the Project’s activity: “Improving Carbon Manufacturing Efficiency” or “Skilling Civil Engineering Graduates” rather than “A new paradigm for Australia” or “Creating Hope for All”.
- We also suggest you avoid repeating information in different sections.

All fields in the application form are mandatory. Please also include the name of the project director or leader if the person submitting the application is not the applicant. Only the application form needs to be submitted (page below) and in word format. Applications are only accepted through the SUBMIT function on the BHERT website.
THE AWARD CATEGORIES ARE:

OUTSTANDING COLLABORATION IN RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT *(multiple Awards will be given, including for spinout companies and entrepreneurial activities)*
OUTSTANDING COLLABORATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION & TRAINING
OUTSTANDING COLLABORATION IN COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
BEST COLLABORATION FOR NATIONAL (Non-Economic) BENEFIT

CRITERIA TO BE ANSWERED:

SUMMARY:

Provide an overview of the collaborative project, including its year of inception and its duration.  
*Suggested word count: 150 words*

PARTICIPATION:

Name your major collaborative partner(s) and describe briefly (1-2 lines each, for top 3-4 partners) their roles. There must be partners; BHERT will not be celebrating purely internal efforts
*Suggested word count: 200 words*

OUTCOMES and IMPACT:

List the major economic, financial, social, educational, environmental or community benefits that have been achieved through the project or programme. Tangible measures (numbers, achievements) are highly valued.
*Suggested word count: 400 words*
2019 BHERT Awards Expression of Interest Form
(SAMPLE ONLY – PLEASE DOWNLOAD SEPARATE WORD DOCUMENT)

AWARD CATEGORY:

TITLE OF PROJECT:

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CONTACT INFORMATION
Name of person submitting application:
Name of project director or leader:
University/ organisation:
Faculty/ department:
Email address:
Phone number:

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SUMMARY:


PARTICIPATION:


OUTCOMES and IMPACT: