The Graduate Development Program in the Department of Innovation is a great way to start your career in the Australian Public Service. The 10-month Program is based in Canberra and will commence early February 2012. Applications close on 29 April 2011.

Our graduate program provides exciting opportunities for university graduates to participate in developing policies and delivering programs that will provide lasting economic and social benefits to all Australians.

To be eligible for a graduate position within the Department of Innovation, you must:

- Have completed a minimum of a three-year undergraduate degree, or have completed one by the end of 2011.
- Be an Australian citizen
- Be prepared to relocate to Canberra.

As a graduate, we will provide you with:

- three work placements (two of your choosing) to experience the diversity of roles and responsibilities across the Department;
- the opportunity to collaborate with other graduates on a major project, tackling real-life industry issues, engaging with our stakeholders, and presenting your findings to the Department’s Executive;
- comprehensive training and development opportunities designed to give you the skills you need to meet the challenges working in the Public Sector, leading to a Certificate IV in Government;
- a competitive salary, with flexible working conditions under a comprehensive Enterprise Agreement, including health-related lifestyle subsidies, salary packaging options and generous superannuation; and
- a commitment to continuing professional development after your graduate year.

We are recruiting approximately 40 graduates from various disciplines for 2012. We welcome applications from graduates from all disciplines, particularly: economics; commerce; public policy; business; law; science or engineering.

For further information visit www.innovation.gov.au/graduates or email graduates@innovation.gov.au.