



SPONSORSHIP PROSPECTUS 2026



AUSTRALASIAN CORROSION
ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION



Please review our Sponsorship Prospectus for 2026 and support the corrosion community

It's packed with everything you need to know about becoming an ACAF sponsor including opportunities benefits, and all the exciting ways your Company can get involved.

Our mission is to sponsor the education of participants in the corrosion workforce and to stimulate interest and knowledge about corrosion science and engineering to the wider community.

Ready to make an impact and empower the corrosion industry.

Let's make 2026 unforgettable together!

[**Sponsor Expression of Interest Form**](#)

About Us



The ACA Foundation is a registered charity affiliated with the Australasian Corrosion Association Inc. (ACA). Established to support the corrosion community, the Foundation raises funds to provide scholarships, bursaries, and awards aimed at advancing knowledge and management of corrosion prevention. It is registered with the Australian Taxation Office (ATO) and the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC), ensuring that donations are tax-deductible.

KEY INITIATIVES

OF THE ACA FOUNDATION



1. Scholarships and Bursaries

In collaboration with the ACA, the Foundation offers annual scholarships to assist members in attending training courses and the Annual Corrosion & Prevention Conference. These scholarships are made possible through the generous support of corporate partners and aim to foster professional development across all sectors of the corrosion industry.

2. Educational Outreach

The Foundation invests in future leader development and supports special projects targeting corrosion education in secondary education and the broader community.



ELEVATE YOUR BRAND AND SUPPORT THE CORROSION INDUSTRY

Become an ACA Foundation Award Sponsor

As a corporate sponsor of the ACA Foundation Awards, your organisation will play a pivotal role in supporting the corrosion industry while gaining significant visibility.

Through funding the ACA Foundation, you will provide essential awards for conference attendance, ACA or AMPP training courses, and other key initiatives, making a tangible impact on the industry's growth and future.

Sponsorship of the ACA Foundation Awards also offers your company prominent exposure, as the awards are promoted across the ACA & Foundation websites, in our journal, Corrosion & Materials, and at various ACA branch functions throughout Australia and New Zealand. The awards are named in honour of your organisation and can be presented either as individual awards or over multiple years



Why Sponsor?

Your involvement as a sponsor will:

- Showcase your company's commitment to the fight against corrosion and to science education in the community.
- Increase brand visibility through promotion on ACA platforms including our website, journal, newsletters, and events across the year.
- Give you a unique opportunity to be directly associated with the development of future corrosion professionals and industry leaders.
- Support the long-term goals of the ACA Foundation by providing scholarships that bear your organisation's name.

We invite you to help us advance the goals of the ACA Foundation by offering a scholarship award in your organisation's name.

How Sponsorship Works?



Sponsorships start from \$3,000 Per Annum and include the following benefits:

■ **Naming rights to individual awards.**

■ **Targeted awards for specific groups such as the following**

- **Students**
- **Professional services**
- **Post- graduates**
- **Specialist technicians**

■ **Geographic flexibility** – awards can be open to ACA members, specific territories, or the broader community.

■ **Customizable award types** including ACA Conference attendance, ACA or AMPP training courses, or company-specific awards.

■ **Bespoke awards options are available** – for example, international educational travel or distribution of educational materials to schools.

■ **Extensive promotion** through ACA and ACA Foundation websites, direct emails, newsletters, and events throughout the year.

■ **Active promotion** by your organization of your involvement in the awards program is highly encouraged.

■ **Opportunity to present your award** at the prestigious ACA Annual Conference Dinner, giving your organization a unique platform to highlight your support for the corrosion industry.

■ **Sponsorship of the 2026 awards is available until 30 May 2026; future sponsorship will be directed to the 2027 awards after this date.**

■ **Sponsorship duration can be for a single year or multiple years (multi-year sponsorships are preferred).**

■ **Awards applications typically open in May each year, with the application period closing in mid June, for awards finalised in July.**

■ **Please note –all sponsorships are fully Tax-deductible.**



WORK WITH US!

We would be pleased to consider any corporate sponsorship proposals you may wish to put forward. To express your interest in becoming a naming sponsor of an ACAF Award, please complete the Expression of Interest form via the link below. A member of our Sponsorship Committee will be in contact with you within 24 hours of submission.

[Sponsor Expression of Interest Form](#)

*For urgent enquiries or if you would prefer to discuss your interest directly, please contact ACA Conference Manager, Rachelle Rigby, on 0421 440 806. She will either assist you directly or refer your enquiry to the appropriate Sponsorship Committee Director.

Terms and Conditions of Sponsorship



- Awards are intended to be granted each year. In the event suitable applications are not received, the award may be postponed until the following year.
- A small administrative fee (up to 15%) may be deducted from the sponsorship amount to cover the administration and overhead costs of the Foundation.
- Sponsorship funds for the 2026 awards are due by 30 June 2026.
- Sponsorship funds are to be paid in Australian Dollars (or New Zealand Dollars if applicable).