

Industry update

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April - June
2019 RD&E
investment



2018/19
RD&E
Investment



Committed
RD&E
investment
(from 1 July
2019)

Upcoming events

11 Sept Rural Women's Award Gala
Dinner, Canberra ACT

**Sept/
Oct** Keep an eye out for the Hay
Agronomy Field Days dates

**18-19
Feb** evoke^{AG} 2020,
Melbourne VIC

Meet Lucinda Staley

AgriFutures Australia is pleased to welcome Lucinda Staley to the AgriFutures team. Lucinda joins the team as Manager, Research – Rice, Export Fodder and Ginger with extensive experience working for the Grains Research and Development Corporation, (GRDC), the Victorian Farmers Federation (VFF) and international beverage logistics German firm, DB Schenker. For any questions and or requests regarding the AgriFutures™ Export Fodder Program please contact Lucinda (lucinda.staley@agrifutures.com.au).



Lucinda Staley Manager, Research

AgriFutures™ Export Fodder Program Advisory

- Peter Baker (Chair)
- Sean Blechynden
- Pat Guerin
- Andrew Hayward
- Steve Woods
- Munro Patchett
- Lucinda Staley (AgriFutures Australia Manager, Research)

AgriFutures Australia is committed to working with industry to deliver research and development outcomes. We work in partnership with advisory panels to decide on research priorities and to make investment decisions that are guided by the RD&E objectives outlined in the five-year plans.

AgriFutures™ Export Fodder Program Investment

The Export Fodder RD&E objectives for 2016-2021 include:

1. Oaten Hay Breeding program
2. Hay agronomy
3. Chemical usage integrity
4. Fodder analysis
5. Animal nutrition research
6. Biosecurity research
7. Work health and safety.

Supporting emerging leaders in ag

Applications are now open for the Australian Rural Leadership Program (ARLP). The ARLP is a 15-month leadership development program that takes places over five sessions across Australia and Vietnam.

Over 30 \$50,000 scholarships are available for people working in or wanting to contribute to the development of rural, regional and remote Australia. AgriFutures Australia is pleased to sponsor a ARLP recipient in Course 27 and welcomes applications from the export fodder industry.

If you're interested in putting forward an application please speak with Lucinda (lucinda.staley@agrifutures.com.au).

Apply now rural-leaders.org.au

Read more about past AgriFutures Australia ARLP recipients and the program agrifutures.com.au/ARLP