



Student Research Summary

Submission Guidelines

Please provide a summary of the research project you are working on (either in progress or has been completed in 2024) using the following format:

- Project title
- Student name, affiliation (University & department) and contact details (email and phone numbers)
- Student supervisor(s)
- When the research was (will be) completed
- Research objective
- Problems or questions you are trying to address
- How your research will benefit the water industry
- Findings to date
- Papers arising from the work that have been published to date

The submission should include a graphical presentation of the topic, where possible, to depict, for example, the R&D objectives, present key results etc.

The submission should have a word count of approximately 250-500 words and be contained within one A4 page (including graphs, figures, etc). Text should be presented in single spaced, size 11 Arial font.

Frequently Asked Questions

When do our submissions need to be provided? What is the deadline?

- Please submit by **Friday 8 November 2024**

How do we submit?

- Submissions to be entered via the online portal for the **Water e-Journal** at [Scholastica](https://www.scholastica.com.au) (you may need to create an account if you don't already have one). Any queries please email Jenny Hiller journal@awa.asn.au

Would this be a special issue on students' summaries, or would a few be published in a number of different issues of the journal?

- *The intention is to publish a special issue on students' summaries. However, if we receive more material than we need for one issue, some summaries may also be published in some later issues of the journal.*

How many projects are you looking for? Could we provide you with a list for you to short list suitable ones?

- *At this stage, it is unclear how many projects we will need for this issue of the journal. If you are interested in submitting any of your projects, please do so and we will facilitate publishing – either in the special student edition or at some other time.*

Would the Student Research Summary need to undergo peer review?

- *No. It is not the intention for these summaries to be considered as per reviewed manuscripts. Hence they will not be subject to the usual peer review process*

May I submit a full paper?

- *Absolutely! This can be done in addition to or instead of the Student Research Summary. Papers should be submitted via [Scholastica](#). Please note that full papers will undergo the usual peer review process required by the association.*

I have already completed my research. May I still submit?

- *We will accept work completed in calendar year 2024, however any work completed in previous years will not be accepted. Please ensure that your submission states when the work was (will be) completed.*