

## Intellectual Property Policies Summary

University Name	Staff IP	Scholarly	Student IP	Policy Summary	URL
Australian Catholic University	Uni	Creator	Creator	University will not assert ownership of IP in books/articles prepared for individual use or conf presentations or other such scholarly work or subject matter generated by staff. University lays no claim for undergraduate students. Postgraduates may be asked, prior to starting study, to grant a non-exclusive licence to the University.	<a href="#">Link</a>
Australian National University	Creator (depends on type of IP)	Creator	Creator	Uni owns copyright in anything created by an employee. For certain types of work (incl. monographs, journal articles, course materials) uni assigns copyright back to employee but retains the right to publish for open access purposes and a licence to use course materials for teaching and research. Employee must provide copies to uni. Uni grants employee right to sub-licence non-commercial material under an open content licence such as Creative Commons. -updated policy 1/7/2010	<a href="#">Link</a>
Bond University				On-Campus Access Only	
Central Queensland University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni owns IP developed by its staff but will assign ownership of IP in publicly published research, books, journal articles, conference papers and proceedings, textbooks, <i>computer programs, software</i> etc to the originators. Uni does not claim ownership of IP which students generate through their studies...	<a href="#">Link</a>
Charles Darwin University	Uni	Not clearly defined	Creator	Uni is the owner of IP created by staff unless otherwise negotiated. Students own the IP that they generate.	<a href="#">Link</a>
Charles Sturt University	Uni	Creator	Creator	CSU owns all staff IP except (books, articles etc, creative, musical). students own their own IP	<a href="#">Link</a>
Curtin University of Technology	Uni	Creator	Creator	The University owns all IP created by Staff Members, but a staff member who is the Originator of a Copyright Work will be the owner of the copyright in that work Student shall, generally, own their IP (inc theses).	<a href="#">Link</a>
Deakin University	Uni	Creator	Creator	University owns the copyright in any teaching materials/computer/designs etc	<a href="#">Link</a>

				created by staff, the Uni transfers IP in scholarly works to the the Originator. Students own all IP in works that they create
Edith Cowan University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni claims ownership of the IP created by staff. Uni will assign its IP interests to the Originator in relation to works of the creative arts and to published books and articles. Students own the IP they create during their studies. <a href="#">Link</a>
Flinders University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni agrees that the originator owns the copyright in any work or subject matter (other than teaching material or computer programs). Uni makes no claim to ownership of IP developed by a student. <a href="#">Link</a>
Griffith University	Uni (except teaching materials)	Creator	Creator	Uni waives its rights to the ownership of IP in scholarly works and creative works created by staff. Students own all IP that they generate & students own the copyright in their theses. <a href="#">Link</a>
James Cook University	Uni (except teaching materials)	Creator	Creator	Uni asserts ownership of all IP created by staff, but does not assert ownership of copyright in any literary work written for the purpose of scholarly research, creative works or teaching materials. Uni makes no claim to automatic ownership of IP created by students <a href="#">Link</a>
La Trobe University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Where an academic staff member creates an Assigned Work (schol, creative), the Uni assigns all copyright to the academic staff member. University owns copyright in Teaching Materials. IP developed by a Student in the course of his or her studies at the Uni will be owned by that Student. <a href="#">Link</a>
Macquarie University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Teaching materials by staff will be owned by the Uni. Uni will not assert ownership of copyright in Scholarly Work. Generally, students retain ownership of IP, however, higher degree research students, and in certain cases honours students, will be requested to provide an assignment of IP in the projects which they undertake as students. In all cases, these students will retain ownership in their theses or other submissions. <a href="#">Link</a>

Monash University	Uni	Creator (only academic staff)	Creator	Uni owns all IP, other than IP created by a student. Where an originator of a copyright work prescribed by the regulations is a member of the academic staff of the university, the university by operation of this statute assigns ownership in the copyright work to the originator.	<a href="#">Link</a>
Murdoch University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Murdoch owns all IP created by its employees including all course and teaching materials. Murdoch will not own copyright in an Employee's Conventional Scholarly Output, except where Murdoch has commissioned the relevant publication. Students own their respective Student IP.	<a href="#">Link</a>
Queensland University of Technology	Uni	Creator	Creator	QUT is the owner of IP created by staff. QUT assigns the right to publish scholarly works to the creator(s). If required, QUT will sign documents to more fully record the staff member's ownership of the right of publication of the copyright in a scholarly work & QUT's non-exclusive licence to that work. Published version or final post-peer review manuscript version can be made available on repository. Students own the IP they generate.	<a href="#">Link</a>
RMIT	Uni (except teaching materials)	Creator (except multiple RMIT authored work)	Creator	The Uni owns all IP created or developed by staff but assigns ownership of teaching material, books, journal & conf papers. Where more than one originator or creator combines their individual work, the Uni claims sole ownership of the resultant composite work. Any IP created solely by a student is owned by that student.	<a href="#">Link</a>
Southern Cross University	Uni	Uni (until disclaimed)	Creator	Uni asserts ownership of all IP rights created or developed by staff. Uni retains a discretion to disclaim its ownership in respect of any work created or developed by Staff (journal & conf papers etc), any work that is not commissioned or course material	<a href="#">Link</a>
Swinburne University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni owns IP created by staff members but disclaims any ownership of copyright in works created by originators as part of their research or scholarship, for the sole purpose of publication (or creative works).	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Adelaide	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni is willing to forego its claim to ownership of IP in respect of a scholarly work and hereby	<a href="#">Link</a>

				assigns to the originator the copyright in any scholarly work (except commissioned) created in the course of the originator's employment with the University. Students own the IP in their work	
University of Ballarat	Uni	Uni	Creator (except postgrad)	IP created by staff will be owned by the Uni. IP created by a postgrad research student will be owned by the Uni, but will own copyright in his or her thesis. IP created by a student will be owned by the student.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Canberra	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni claims ownership of all IP created by a staff member. Uni agrees that originators retain copyright in any materials, other than course materials. students own the IP created by them.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Melbourne	Uni	Creator	Creator	All rights to IP created by staff in the course of their employment are owned by the Uni, except in the case of scholarly works. University has no rights to intellectual property solely developed by students, honorary appointees or visitors.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of New England	Uni	Uni (until assigned back to creator)	Creator	University owns all knowledge assets created by staff. Books and other scholarly works which staff wish to publish must be disclosed & approved for publication as designated in the appropriate discipline area. University does not assert ownership over that created by students/PhD except where required for on-going research.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of New South Wales	Uni	Creator	Creator	University does not assert its right to ownership of any intellectual property in scholarly books, articles, course materials, or other scholarly works or subject matter generated by staff or students, except is specifically commissioned or using exceptional uni resources.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Newcastle	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni owns all IP created by staff members except for artistic, Indigenous & scholarly works. University owns the copyright in course materials. Students will generally own their work, theses are owned by the student but uni has right to lodge a copy in digital thesis database.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Queensland	Uni	Creator	Creator	University owns IP (teaching materials, computer programs, admin) created by staff in the course of their employment BUT staff retain ownership of the copyright in scholarly works.	<a href="#">Link</a>

University of South Australia	Uni	Cannot access detailed version	Creator	IP generated by staff is automatically owned by the Uni. Students will generally own the IP they develop during the course of their studies. (from IP Management Framework: <a href="http://www.unisa.edu.au/res/legal/intprop.asp">http://www.unisa.edu.au/res/legal/intprop.asp</a> Actual IP policy restricted to UniSA)	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Southern Queensland	Creator (unless claimed by uni)	Creator	Creator	Uni may claim ownership of all IP, not being copyright, created by staff - if the Uni does not claim ownership then the ownership rests with the originator. Ownership of Copyright in any materials produced by an employee of the Uni shall rest in the employee except where otherwise stated in the Contract of Employment of the employee. Uni makes no claim to automatic ownership of IP created independently by students.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Sydney	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni asserts ownership of all IP created by a staff member in pursuance of the terms of his or her employment with the Uni, including teaching material & computer programs. Uni does not assert copyright ownership over any work created by staff that is a work of a scholarly nature, including, without limitation, a journal article, conference paper, creative works or proceeding or text	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Tasmania	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni will assert ownership of IP created by staff (excluding copyright in Scholarly Works). Generally the Uni will not assert ownership of IP rights developed by students. University does not assert any claim in respect of intellectual property created by students.	<a href="#">Link</a>
University of Technology, Sydney	Uni (except teaching materials)	Creator Creator	Creator Creator	Uni asserts ownership of IP created or developed by a staff member (except course & educational materials or creative or scholarly works). Students own the copyright in their theses. Uni will not generally claim ownership of IP created by students	<a href="#">Link</a> <a href="#">Link</a>
University of the Sunshine Coast	Uni			Uni claims ownership of all IP created by staff. Uni agrees that originators retain copyright in any materials, other than course materials, created by the originators in the course of fulfilling their contract of employment with the University	

				except where an agreement to the contrary has been negotiated between the Uni and the staff member. Enrolled students of the Uni own the IP created by them in pursuit of their studies
University of Western Australia	Uni	Creator	Creator	University owns IP created by staff (patents, software, trademarks, designs etc). Staff own copyright in all copyright works created by them (books, journals, theses etc). Students own IP which they create. Students also own the copyright in their thesis. <a href="#">Link</a>
University of Western Sydney	Uni	Creator	Creator	Uni owns IP, but Scholarly Works or Creative Works creator has copyright. Uni owns Copyright in Course Materials created. Students generally own the Intellectual Property that they create, Student will retain Copyright in theses. <a href="#">Link</a>
University of Wollongong	Uni (except teaching materials)	Creator	Creator	Staff own teaching material, creative material and scholarly material, uni owns other IP. <a href="#">Link</a>
Victoria University	Uni	Creator	Creator	Ownership of intellectual property consisting of copyright in books, articles or other written scholarly literary works shall vest in their authors, unless otherwise agreed in a specific instance. <a href="#">Link</a>