

Partner action groups

Partner action groups are short-term, action-driven projects initiated by three-or-more partners, First Nations, and/or regional communities/initiatives to facilitate quick collaboration and develop new project ideas.

These groups feature less investment in the co-design process, and are supported by the CRC and partner in-kind commitments.

A face-to-face meeting is funded by the CRC, where needed, and the groups are listed as projects on our website.

This initiative would complement, not replace, our ongoing R&D co-design process and are building blocks for future collaborative projects between partners.



Following feedback from partners, we identified that there was a need for new ways to bring project ideas together.
We're happy to announce partner action groups.

Mike Stewardson, CEO

Collaborating to address our four challenges:



Building capacity to respond to climate change together



Creating and retaining value from digital technologies in irrigated agriculture



Enhancing the water supply system to deliver for multiple uses



Realising value from and within rural industries and communities

How to submit your application:



Three or more partners submit an application through the online form



Application is assessed by sector convenors and approved by the CEO



The partner action group commences work

Partner-led research – collaborative and quick

Partner action groups are established with short timeframes and are expected to be completed within 3-12+ months.



Once approved:



Project setup: Group initiators sign a letter of agreement, with project summaries added to the CRC website.



Work commences: A regular schedule of meetings is created, with the first meeting being face-to-face.



Chair appointed: Group appoints a chair and is supported through a One Basin CRC staff observer to provide advice.



Costs reported: In-kind contributions are reported through a single shared project code.



Outcomes shared: Findings from the completed project are shared with partners to improve collaboration.

