UQ Summer 2018-19 Research Project Description School of Social Science

Project title:	Indigenous Agreements with Resource Extraction Companies: collating and analysing the available material.
Project duration:	5 weeks (50 hours)
Description:	1 Student will identify, collate information, read, and analyse the indigenous agreements made with resource extraction companies as held in public databases. The student will be provided with sources of this information and be tasked with collating information. The student will be provided with a basic database to facilitate their task of preliminary analysis of agreement outcomes. The larger project seeks to evaluate outcomes of agreements between Indigenous peoples and resource (largely mining) companies in Australia. The student will identify: Where have these mostly been made and between what kinds of entities? What are the primary aspects of matters to be agreed? The student will be provided with background training in order to complete the research.
Expected outcomes and deliverables:	Scholars will gain skills in data collection and preliminary analysis. The student will have the chance to contribute to a publication on this topic. The student will be asked to produce a report on results.
Suitable for:	This project is open to applications from students with at least a single major in anthropology, and at least a 3 rd year student.
Primary Supervisor:	Dr Sally Babidge
Further info:	