



**Media alert: 2009 ARIA AWARDS MEDIA ACCREDITATION NOW OPEN!**

The 2009 ARIA Awards will be held at the Acer Arena, Sydney Olympic Park on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November. All media that wish to cover the event must be officially accredited.

If you wish to apply for media accreditation to cover the red carpet and/or media room for the 2009 ARIA Awards, it is essential you complete a media accreditation request form and return it to ARIA Awards Publicity by no later than 5.00pm on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> November 2009.

The Media Accreditation Request Form is now available on the official ARIA Awards website ([www.ariaawards.com.au](http://www.ariaawards.com.au)). Please go to the following link to download a PDF version:

<http://www.ariaawards.com.au/media-centre.php> (under downloads)

If you are unable to access the ARIA Awards website or download PDF format, please hit reply and request a version which will be emailed to you as a word document.

For organisations or programs wishing to send more than one person, please note that we require names, contact phone numbers, emails and their exact role for every person in the crew.

You will be advised of your accreditation, how and when you can collect your passes by Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> November 2009.

**KEY DATES**

CUT OFF DATE FOR MEDIA TO APPLY FOR ACCREDITATION:	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> November
NOTIFICATION OF THE STATUS OF YOUR REQUEST:	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> November
2009 ARIA AWARDS	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> November

If you have general media enquiries about the 2009 ARIA Awards you can contact:

2009 ARIA Awards Publicity - Ph: (02) 8569 1144 - Email: [nhart@aria.com.au](mailto:nhart@aria.com.au)

We look forward to working with you on the 2009 ARIA Awards.

Thank You,

ARIA Communications and Publicity Team

