

Dr Stephanie Quail | Senior Manager

Stephanie is an experienced evaluator and project manager. With a background in experimental psychology and over 7 years' experience in evaluation, she brings a strong grounding in research methods and understanding of the practical application of evaluation design and delivery across a range of sectors to her work.

Stephanie is one of ARTD's most experienced quantitative analysts. She uses a range of sophisticated techniques to maximise the utility of available data and is skilled at using data visualisation techniques to clearly communicate complex data to a range of audiences.



Being able to apply my research skills to solving problems that support government and NGOs to have a positive impact on society drew me to evaluation. I enjoy helping clients understand the stories in their programs, and what it means for their work.

Education:

- Doctor of Philosophy (Psychology), University of Sydney, 2018
- Bachelor of Psychology (Honours I), University of Sydney, 2012

Sector experience: Domestic, family and sexual violence

Stephanie has conducted and managed evaluations of national, state-wide and local programs and services in the DFSV sector. She is experienced in engaging staff and sector stakeholders and analysing available administrative data.

- Evaluation of the Partners in Prevention of Sexual Violence Pilot (Department of Social Services (DSS), 2025–2027)
- Evaluation of the DFSV Capability Building for Social Responders Program (NSW Office for Women's Safety Commissioner, 2025–2026)
- Evaluation of the NAP10 and NAP21 Initiatives (Attorney-General's Department, 2026–2027)
- The Independent Evaluation of 1800RESPECT (DSS, 2024–2025)
- Evaluation of the Southport Specialist Domestic and Family Violence Court (Queensland Department of Justice and Attorney General, 2023)
- Evaluation of Safer Pathways (Women NSW, 2018)

Sector experience: Housing and homelessness

Stephanie has managed large multi-year evaluations of housing and homelessness programs. This has involved designing and using qualitative and quantitative tools to supplement administrative data analysis.

- Evaluation of the Safe and Secure Housing Program (South Australian Department of Human Services, 2025–2026)
- Evaluation of the Sustaining Tenancies and Tenancy Management Pilots (NSW Department of Communities and Justice, 2023)
- Evaluation of the Reintegration Housing Support Program (Community Restorative Centre, 2023)
- Evaluation of the Assertive Outreach Pilots in Newcastle and Tweed Heads (NSW Department of Communities and Justice, 2023)

Sector experience: Criminal justice

Stephanie has led analyses of administrative data for some of ARTD's most complex projects in the criminal justice sector.

- Evaluation of the Queensland Drug and Alcohol Court (Queensland Department of Justice and Attorney General, 2024)
- Evaluation of the Post Release Supported Accommodation Service (Queensland Corrective Services, 2022–2023)
- Evaluation of Bail Support Programs (Queensland Corrective Services, 2021–2022)

Project experience: Quantitative methods

Stephanie regularly designs and leads the analysis of large-scale surveys and administrative data sets across a range of sectors. She is experienced in data linkage and cleaning, data visualisation, and using code to develop reproducible monitoring reports.

- iCanQuit Digital Implementation Evaluation (Cancer Institute NSW, 2024–2026)
- Be You Evaluation (Beyond Blue, 2024–2026)
- Client Experience Survey and Reporting Support (Bonnie's Support Services, 2024–2025)
- Snapshot Evaluation of NSW Health Management Development Programs (Health Education and Training Institute, 2020)

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