Auckland Centennial Music Festival Scholarships

Scholarship description

In the year 1940, the Auckland Provincial Centennial Council donated to the Council a sum of £Stg2,400, of which £Stg800 represented the profits from the Centennial Music Festival held in Auckland in 1940, to establish Music Scholarships.

Selection process

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- Consideration is given to the record and attainment of the applicants, reports and recommendations of their teachers of music, as well as their financial resources
- The Scholarship is awarded by the University of Auckland Council as a result of an examination in Performance

Regulations

1. The annual value of the Scholarship will be $1,000, but the University of Auckland Council may in the event of fluctuations in income from the fund increase or decrease the value of the Scholarship.
2. The tenure of each Scholarship will be one year. The Scholarship will be open to candidates who have qualified by examination or otherwise to enter on a programme of study for the degree of Bachelor of Music in Classical Performance or Jazz Performance in the year following the year of entry for the Scholarship.
3. The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Head of the School of Music (or nominee), with the assistance of the Head of Performance Studies (or nominee) and one other member of academic staff of the School of Music.
4. Each candidate will be examined in Performance. (Note: Time allowed for each examination will not normally exceed twenty minutes.)
5. Payment of the Scholarship will be in one instalment in each year.
6. A successful candidate will be required to pursue a full-time programme of study in Music specialising in Performance at the University of Auckland.
7. The tenure of the Scholarship may be terminated at any time by the University of Auckland Council on receipt of an unfavourable report from the Head of the School of Music on the conduct or progress of the Scholar.
8. The University of Auckland Council will have the power to amend these regulations but so that there is no departure from the main purpose of the fund.

9. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 1 November in the year preceding the award.