Casement Aicken Memorial Bursary

Scholarship description

Casement Gordon Aicken, FRCA, was a scholar of Auckland Grammar School and graduated from Otago University in 1905. He was an honoured surgeon in Auckland from 1913 to 1936. The Bursary was founded by subscription from the public and members of the medical profession.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to support a medical student enrolled in the first year of study on the MBChB degree programme (MBChB Part II).

Selection process

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- A Selection Committee assesses the applications
- The Scholarship is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

Regulations

1. The Bursary will be known as the Casement Aicken Memorial Bursary.
2. The Bursary, which will be of the annual value of $2,000, will be awarded annually by the University of Auckland Council after consultation with the President for the year of the Auckland Branch of the New Zealand Medical Association.
3. The Bursary will be open to students who, having taken their first year of study at the University of Auckland, have successfully completed their studies at the November examination just prior to the date of application and have been offered a place on the University of Auckland medical programme. The Bursary will be tenable for the first year of medical study.
4. Selection will be based on academic merit and financial need. In making the award the University of Auckland Council will receive a recommendation from the Medical and Health Sciences Faculty on the academic and financial need of the candidates deemed worthy of the Bursary.
5. The Bursary will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (or nominee), the Head of the Medical Programme (or nominee) and the FMHS Student Services Manager.
6. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 17 January in the year of the award.