

Anne Reid Memorial Trust Scholarship

Code:	408
Faculty:	Arts Creative Arts and Industries
Applicable study:	PhD or other approved Doctorate or masters Level study in Art History, English Literature, Music, or Fine Arts at a recognised overseas institution.
Closing date:	2 November 2022
Tenure:	One year (see Reg. 2)
For:	Assistance towards overseas travel, study or work in progress
Number on offer:	At least one
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	Up to \$30,000

Description

The Scholarship is to assist a graduate student from either the University of Canterbury or Waipapa Taumata Rau | University of Auckland to study Art History, English Literature, Music or Fine Arts overseas in an environment that encourages the completion of a course or work in progress, or the undertaking of further training in a recognised institution.

The Scholarship commemorates Anne Reid of Blenheim/Christchurch/ Singapore/Auckland who studied and taught at the University of Canterbury and the National University of Singapore. This Scholarship was established in 2002.

Selection process

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office at the University of Canterbury or Waipapa Taumata Rau | University of Auckland
- Each University will appoint a committee to review the applications received and all supporting documentation and will nominate three candidates to the Selection Committee. Normally each University will seek to identify the best applicant from each of the subject areas specified above
- The Selection Committee will assess the nominations from each University and determine which of the nominees (if any) it wishes to interview
- The Selection Committee will conduct those interviews and will decide the conditions (not inconsistent with the regulations below) under which any Scholarship will be awarded
- The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council or the University of Canterbury Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.

Regulations

1. The Scholarship will be known as the Anne Reid Memorial Trust Scholarship and will be awarded for postgraduate study in the fields of Art History, English Literature, or Music, or Fine Arts.

2. At least one Scholarship will be awarded annually, normally for a period of up to one year. In exceptional circumstances the Selection Committee may i) award more than one Scholarship, ii) award the Scholarship for up to two years, or iii) permit an awardee to reapply for a further award in the following year. The value of the Scholarship will be determined by the Selection Committee, up to a maximum value of \$30,000 per annum.
3. To be eligible for Scholarship consideration, an applicant must be i) a New Zealand citizen, ii) either a graduate of the University of Canterbury or Waipapa Taumata Rau | University of Auckland, or enrolled in a postgraduate degree course at either of those Universities at the time of application, specialising in Art History, English Literature, Fine Arts or Music, and iii) intending to undertake a period of masters or doctoral study, research or creative work in Art History, English Literature, Fine Arts or Music.
4. The Scholarship may be used to cover the cost of tuition fees in an approved masters or doctoral programme at an overseas institution, travel and living expenses while studying away from New Zealand.
5. The basis of selection will be demonstrated artistic ability (see Note I), academic achievement based on the applicant's grade point average in their prior study, the proposed course of study and the standing of the institution, the applicant's potential to contribute to society in their chosen field, and demonstrated financial need as assessed by personal statements and references (see Note II). Short-listed candidates may be required to attend an interview.
6. The short-listing of applicants at Waipapa Taumata Rau | University of Auckland will be undertaken by a committee comprising the Head of the School of Humanities (or nominee), the Head of the School of Music (or nominee) and the Head of the Elam School of Fine Arts (or nominee). The committee will seek to identify the best applicant from each subject area.
7. The Trustees of the Anne Reid Memorial Trust will appoint the Selection Committee which will comprise three trustees and one nominee of the Vice Chancellor of Waipapa Taumata Rau | University of Auckland and one nominee of the Vice Chancellor of the University of Canterbury. It will be chaired by one of the trustees who may exercise a casting vote to determine a matter. Except as specified in these Regulations the Selection Committee may regulate its own procedures.
8. The Scholarship will be awarded by the relevant University Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.
9. To be paid the Scholarship, awardees must provide confirmation of enrolment in a masters or doctoral programme of study, research or creative work at an overseas institution.
10. The Scholarship will be paid in one instalment.
11. The Scholarship may be held concurrently with any other scholarship, award or grant as long as the regulations for that scholarship, award or grant permit and the University of Auckland Council, or the Dean of Postgraduate Research at the University of Canterbury, is informed and approves. It is the responsibility of the awardee to declare to the Scholarships Office all other scholarship, awards or grant funding received and for which the awardee receives payment while also in payment for this Scholarship.
12. The Trustees of the Fund may from time to time vary the conditions of the Scholarship awarded to a particular applicant upon the recommendation of the Vice Chancellor (or nominee) of the University of Auckland or the University of Canterbury provided there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.
13. Applications close with the Scholarships Office of relevant Universities on 2 November in the year preceding the award.
14. Notes [I]-[IV] below are deemed to be regulations.

Notes

- I. *Artistic ability will be assessed from the supporting documentation supplied in the application. Supporting documentation may include CD's, images and publications. Music students must provide their sample of work on CD or DVD to the Scholarships Office.*
- II. *Financial need will be determined by a range of factors including the candidate's current and expected income, the cost of the proposed programme of study and expected expenditure, and other scholarships and awards held by the candidate.*

- III. Payments under the terms of this Scholarship remain tax-free as long as they are used for the payment of costs associated with an awardee's programme of study and/or to assist the awardee with living costs while studying. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the termination of the Scholarship.*
- IV. Awardees will be required to comply with the regulations for the Scholarship and must notify the Scholarships Office of any change in their enrolment or funding status. Waipapa Taumata Rau | University of Auckland may, in the event that it can be established that an awardee is not complying with these Regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received.*