Dean's Asia Scholarship in the Faculty of Business and Economics

**Description**

The Scholarship was established in 2011 and is funded by the University of Auckland Business School.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to support Asian international undergraduate students to complete a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Property or associated conjoint degree at the University of Auckland Business School. Selection will be based on academic merit, financial need and demonstrated potential to succeed in business studies at university.

**Selection process**

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- A Selection Committee assesses the applications
- Short-listed candidates may be required to participate in an interview (which may take place in the student’s home country or via video conference)
- The Scholarship is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

**Regulations**

1. The Scholarship will be known as the Dean’s Asia Scholarship in the Faculty of Business and Economics.
2. Up to three Scholarships will be awarded for a period of up to three years and will cover the full tuition fees for international students who enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) or Bachelor of Property (BProp) or the tuition fees of the BCom or BProp component of an associated conjoint degree at the University of Auckland Business School (see Notes I to II)
3. The Scholarship may be awarded to full-time international undergraduate students from any country on the Asian continent. (See Note III).
4. The basis of selection will be academic merit in the most recent year of secondary school education or in university level studies undertaken to date, demonstrated financial need and demonstrated potential to succeed in business
The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the University of Auckland Business School (or nominee), the Associate Dean, Academic Programmes (or nominee) and one Head of Department from the Business School (or nominee).

To continue to hold the Scholarship, recipients must maintain a GPA of 5.00 (equivalent to a B average) in each semester of study.

The Scholarship will be paid as a tuition/compulsory fees credit over three years in two instalments per year, one in the first semester and one in the second semester (see Notes I to II).

The Scholarship may be held concurrently with any other scholarship, award or grant as long as a) the terms of that scholarship, award or grant permit and b) the University of Auckland Council is informed and approves. Preference may be given to students not receiving other financial assistance.

The University of Auckland Council has the power to terminate or suspend a Scholarship if it receives a report of unsatisfactory progress of a Scholar from the Head of the Department in which the recipient is enrolled.

The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award of any or all of the Scholarships if in any year there is no candidate or candidates of sufficient merit.

The University of Auckland has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with the Dean of the University of Auckland Business School, provided there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.

Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 15 November in the year preceding the award.

Notes [I]-[VIII] below are deemed to be regulations.

I. Tuition/compulsory fees are those only related to the relevant programme of study, plus Student Services Fees and international student insurance.

II. In the case of a student enrolling in a BCom or BProp degree, the normal duration of the degree is 360 points of enrolment taken over three years. In the case of a student enrolling in an associated conjoint degree, the scholarship will cover the tuition/compulsory fees for the BCom or BProp component of the conjoint degree programme only.

III. The countries in Asia covered by this Scholarship are: Afghanistan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Georgia, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Lebanon, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, North Korea, Oman, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Syria, Taiwan, Tajikistan, Thailand, Turkmenistan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, Yemen.

IV. For the purposes of this Scholarship, academic merit is assessed as an Admissions Grade Point Average (GPA) or Grade Point Equivalent (GPE).

V. Financial need will be determined by a range of factors including personal and financial circumstances.

VI. For the purposes of this Scholarship, the recipient’s GPA is based on all the courses they undertake in each semester of study.

VII. If a student enrolls at another tertiary institution in New Zealand, the Scholarship will lapse.

VIII. Recipients of a Dean’s Asia Scholarship in the Faculty of Business and Economics will be required to give undertakings that they will comply with the regulations for the Scholarship and will notify the Scholarships Office of any change in their enrolment or funding status. The University of Auckland may, in the event that it can be established that a recipient of a Dean’s Asia Scholarship in the Faculty of Business and Economics is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received from the date of the breach.