

Edna and Denis Moloney Scholarship

Code:	740
Faculty:	Medical and Health Sciences
Applicable study:	MD or PhD in cancer research at the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences
Closing date:	3 May
Tenure:	One conference
For:	Travel grant, assistance
Number on offer:	one per year
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	Up to \$5,000

Description

The Scholarship was established in 2009 by a bequest from the late Denis Anthony Moloney and is funded by the Edna and Denis Moloney Charitable Trust, administered by the Public Trust.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to fund travel and other costs for a postgraduate student based in the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (FMHS) to present an oral paper at a conference in a field relating to cancer research.

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 Scholarship will be known as the Edna and Denis Moloney Scholarship.
2. One Scholarship of up to \$5,000 will be awarded annually for a period of one year.
3. To take up and be paid the Scholarship the recipient must have paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for full-time enrolment in a MD or PhD in cancer research, in the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences at the University of Auckland.
4. The Scholarship is tenable by students who are citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand.
5. The basis of selection will be academic merit (measured by the grade point average (GPA) or grade point equivalent (GPE) obtained in the applicant's most recent qualifying programme for doctoral study), the potential to contribute to the field of cancer research, and demonstrated need for financial assistance to attend and present an oral paper at a conference in a field relating to cancer research (see Notes I and II).
6. The Scholarship 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 Associate Dean of Research of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (or nominee) and one representative of the Donor (appointed by the Edna and Denis Moloney Charitable Trust).

7. The Scholarship will be paid in one lump sum (see Note II).
8. The Scholarship may be concurrently held with any other award or grant as long as a) the terms of that award or grant permit and b) the University of Auckland Council is informed and approves.
9. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
10. The University of Auckland has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with the Donor, provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.
11. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 3 May in the year of the award.
12. Notes [I]-[III] below are deemed to be regulations.

Notes

- I. Where the qualifying programme is an undergraduate honours degree (or equivalent undergraduate degree or integrated undergraduate and postgraduate degree), the grade point average or equivalent will be calculated over the final two years of full-time study (or equivalent) in the programme. In all other cases, the grade point average or equivalent will be calculated over the entirety of the programme.*
- II. Payment may be made in advance of travel commencing on receipt of evidence of expenses being incurred to attend the conference.*
- III. The recipient will be required to submit a short report on the conference attended to the Edna and Denis Moloney Charitable Trust.*