Faculty of Arts Entry Level Undergraduate Scholarship

Code: 445  
Faculty: Arts  
Applicable study: First year of a BA or BGlobalSt or conjoint degree in the Faculty of Arts  
Closing date: No application required (see Note I)  
Tenure: Up to one year  
For: Assistance  
Number on offer: Varies  
Offer rate: Annually  
Value: Up to $5,000

Description

The Scholarship was established in 2004 and is financed by the Arts Alumni Annual Appeal.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to support students in their first year of university and to encourage excellence in the study of subjects in the Faculty of Arts.

Selection process

- A Selection Committee assesses candidates short-listed from eligible applications for the University of Auckland Top Achiever Scholarship, the University of Auckland Māori Academic Excellence Scholarship, the University of Auckland Pacific Academic Excellence Scholarship and the University of Auckland Academic Potential Scholarship – School Leavers
- 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 Faculty of Arts Entry Level Undergraduate Scholarship.
2. Scholarships will be awarded annually, each for a period of one year, and will be of the value of up to $5,000 each.
3. To take up and be paid the Scholarship the student must be enrolled and have paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for enrolment in the first year of full-time study for a Bachelor of Arts (BA) or Bachelor of Global Studies (BGlobalSt) or associated conjoint degree in the Faculty of Arts in the year of offer.
4. The Scholarship is tenable by students who are citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand.
5. The basis of selection will be academic excellence and all round ability (see Note I).
6. The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the Faculty of Arts (or nominee) and two additional members of academic staff of the Faculty of Arts (appointed by the Dean).
7. The Scholarship will be paid in two instalments: one in the first, and one in the second semester (see Note II).
8. The Scholarship may not be held concurrently with any Faculty Entry Level Undergraduate Scholarship however, it may be held 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 (see Note III).

9. 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 Dean of the Faculty of Arts.

10. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there is no candidate of sufficient merit.

11. The University of Auckland has power to amend or vary these Regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.

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

Notes

I. Candidates are nominated from short-listed eligible applicants for the University of Auckland Top Achiever Scholarship, the University of Auckland Māori Academic Excellence Scholarship, the University of Auckland Pacific Academic Excellence Scholarship and the University of Auckland Academic Potential Scholarship – School Leavers, who are intending to enrol in the Faculty of Arts for full-time study in a BA or BGlobalSt or associated conjoint degree.

II. Payment will be made in the third week of each semester upon confirmation of eligible enrolment.

III. Awardees who are offered more than one Faculty Entry Level Undergraduate Scholarship will be required to select which Scholarship they wish to take up.

IV. Payments under the terms of this Scholarship remain tax-free as long as they are used directly for the payment of costs associated with an awardee’s programme of study. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the termination of the Scholarship.

V. Recipients of a Faculty of Arts Entry Level Undergraduate Scholarship 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 Faculty of Arts Entry Level Undergraduate Scholarship is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received from the date of the breach.