Gabby Marsh Award

**Description**

This Award was established in 2017 in memory of Gabby Marsh, a dedicated, passionate and involved third year University of Auckland Bachelor of Commerce and Law student. Gabby was an exceptional young woman who involved herself in University life, both curricular and extracurricular, and her family wish to honour Gabby and the way she lived her life.

The intention of the Award is to encourage the development and provide financial assistance to an enthusiastic female undergraduate Stage III Bachelor of Commerce student for tuition fees, books and course materials or other approved uses.

**Selection process**

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

**Regulations**

1. The Award will be known as the Gabby Marsh Award.
2. One Award will be made annually, for a period of up to one year and will be of the value of up to $2,500.
3. To take up and be paid the Award the candidate must have paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees for full-time enrolment in Stage III of a Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Commerce conjoint degree in the Faculty of Business and Economics.
4. The Award is tenable by full-time female students who are citizens of New Zealand.
5. The basis of selection will be academic merit and the quality and nature of the applicant’s personal statement describing their strive to succeed academically, the core values in their life outside of study despite any challenges that life may have thrown their way and what it would mean to them to receive the award. Successful candidates will have a minimum GPA/GPE of 5.00 (see Note i).
6. The Award will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee.
Committee comprising the Associate Dean (Academic Programmes) of the Faculty of Business and Economics, an academic staff member from the Faculty of Business and Economics nominated by the Dean of the Faculty of Business and Economics, and a representative of the donor.

7. Payment will be made in one lump sum in the third week of Semester One.

8. The Gabby Marsh Award may be held with any other study award or grant where the Regulations for that award or grant permit and where the University of Auckland Council so approves.

9. The University of Auckland Council 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 Award.

10. Note [I] below is deemed to be a Regulation.

Notes

1. Academic merit is assessed as the GPA or GPE obtained over the applicant’s two most recent years of full-time graded study (or equivalent).