Sir Owen G. Glenn Study Abroad Scholarship

Description

The Scholarship was established in 2018 and is funded by Sir Owen G. Glenn KNZM.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to give high achieving students an opportunity to participate in a study abroad programme with students from key partner universities Chinese University of Hong Kong (Shenzhen) and University of South Carolina (Darla Moore School of Business).

Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- 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 Sir Owen G. Glenn Study Abroad Scholarship.
2. Up to ten Scholarships will be awarded annually, each for a period of up to one year, and will cover return economy class airfares, accommodation, living expenses, insurance and the cost of the appropriate visitor’s visas, up to the value of $15,000 each.
3. To take up and be paid the Scholarship, the candidate must have completed their first year of undergraduate study in the University of Auckland Business School, and be enrolled for one year of study abroad.
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 and the candidate’s leadership and communication skills, and their suitability as a representative of the University of Auckland. Successful applicants will have a GPA of at least 5.00 (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 Business School (or nominee), one member of Academic Staff from the Business School nominated by the Dean of the Business School, and a representative of the donor.
7. The Scholarship will be paid in one lump sum.
8. The Scholarship 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. It is the responsibility of the recipient to declare to the Scholarships Office all other scholarship, award or grant funding received while in payment for this Scholarship.

9. The University of Auckland Council, in consultation with the donor, has the power to terminate or suspend a scholarship if it receives a report of unsatisfactory progress of a Scholar from the Associate Dean (Academic Programmes).

10. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there are not candidates of sufficient merit.

11. The University of Auckland, in consultation with the donor, has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.

12. Notes [I]-[III] below are deemed to be Regulations.

Notes

I. For the purpose of this scholarship, academic merit is assessed as a Scholarships grade point average (GPA) or grade point equivalent (GPE) obtained over the applicant’s first year of full-time graded study.

II. 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.

III. Recipients who take up this Scholarship but do not complete the one year study abroad programme or who withdraw their enrolment after payment has been made will normally be required to pay back the full sum of monies received.

IV. These regulations are subject to Senate and Council approval.