Steve Britton Scholarship

**Code:** 97  
**Faculty:** Science  
**Applicable study:** Masters degree in Geography  
**Closing date:** 13 February  
**Tenure:** 1 year  
**For:** Assistance towards thesis research expenses (see Reg. 3)  
**Number on offer:** 1  
**Offer rate:** Annually  
**Value:** $700

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**Description**

This Scholarship was established by the Department of Geography in memory of Steve Britton who was a Lecturer (and later Senior Lecturer) in the Department from 1979 until his death in 1991. The Scholarship commemorates Steve's work in the geography of development in the South Pacific and is intended to provide financial support for research into this or related geographical fields by Masters students.

**Selection process**

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Scholarships are awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Geography.

**Regulations**

1. The Scholarship will be known as the Steve Britton Scholarship.
2. The Scholarship will have an annual value not exceeding $700 and will be used to cover expenses for thesis research into the Geography of the South Pacific or a related field.
3. The Scholarship will be awarded each year to a student enrolled and who has paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for any Masters degree in Geography at the University of Auckland.
4. The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Director of the School of Environment.
5. Selection will be based on academic merit, the nature of the thesis proposed, and financial need.
6. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there are no candidates of sufficient merit.
7. The University of Auckland Council may vary the conditions for the award of this Scholarship from time to time but so that there is no departure from the purpose of the Scholarship.
8. The closing date for receipt of applications by the Scholarships Office will be 13 February in year of award of the Scholarship.