



## REGULATIONS FOR 2011

### BACKGROUND

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This Scholarship was established in 2010 with donations from current and former staff and students of the Faculty of Education, formerly named the Hamilton Teachers College, who attended the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations of teacher education provision in Hamilton. It is awarded in the form of a grant to the applicant, enrolled in a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Education or a Doctor of Education (EdD) part two only, whose doctoral study has a focus on teaching.

### REGULATIONS

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1. The Scholarship will be known as the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Teacher Education Scholarship.
2. To be eligible for the award, the candidate must be enrolled full- or part-time in a PhD or EdD (part 2) in the Faculty of Education at the University of Waikato in the year of tenure of the Scholarship.
3. Candidates are required to be qualified teachers, currently registered with the New Zealand Teachers Council for teaching in New Zealand.
4. Candidates for the Scholarship must be citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand.
5. The selection of a scholar will be made by a Selection Panel including the Director of the Centre for Postgraduate Studies in the Faculty of Education, the Chairperson of the Scholarships Committee, and the Faculty of Education representative on the Scholarships Committee, or nominees.
6. Selection will be made on the basis of the academic achievement of the applicants, and their research topics. Preference will be given to applicants conducting research related to teaching.
7. Applicants must provide a one-page outline of their (proposed) research intentions.
8. The tenure of the award is one year, or two years if part-time.
9. The Scholarship has an overall value of **up to \$4,000**.
10. The Scholarship may be held in conjunction with any other scholarship or award.
11. Applications should be made on the application form available from the Scholarships Office or the University's website, or the Faculty of Education Centre for Postgraduate Studies.
12. All candidates will be advised in writing of the result of their application.
13. The due date for applications is **extended to 4 November 2011**.



## APPLICATION FORM 2011

This application must be submitted to:     The Scholarships Office  
The Gateway – Te Kūaha  
The University of Waikato  
Private Bag 3105  
HAMILTON 3240

Applications close at 5.00 pm on **4 November 2011 - extended.**

Enquiries can be directed to:                     (07) 838 4489 or  
  (07) 858 5136 or  
  [scholarships@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@waikato.ac.nz)

or

The Director Centre for Postgraduate Studies  
Faculty of Education  
(07) 838 4600  
[educ\\_grad@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:educ_grad@waikato.ac.nz)

**Please ensure that all questions are answered and that all the required attachments accompany this application form. You may jeopardise your chances of success if you do not complete your application properly.**

**When preparing your application form and attachments, please do not use staples, special binding, coloured ink or paper. To fasten documents together, please use paper clips or bulldog clips. This is because all documents will be photocopied.**

## YOUR PERSONAL DETAILS

### **NAME AND ID**

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Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

### **POSTAL ADDRESS**

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*For correspondence regarding this application*

Street Number and Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_ Town/City: \_\_\_\_\_

Post Code \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



## APPLICATION DETAILS

### PREVIOUS STUDY

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#### A. AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WAIKATO

If you are, or have been, a student at the University of Waikato, please give details of study undertaken that provides evidence of your academic eligibility for a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Teacher Education Scholarship.

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#### B. AT ANOTHER INSTITUTION

If you have transferred, or will transfer, from another tertiary institution, please give details of the institution(s) and study undertaken to provide evidence of your academic eligibility for a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Teacher Education Scholarship.

**You must attach verified copies of your academic transcripts from other tertiary institution(s) attended.** Please also attach grade scales where available.

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### STUDY INTENTIONS

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Application for registration for the **Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)**:

Have you applied to the Postgraduate Studies Committee to register for the PhD?

(please tick the appropriate boxes)

Yes  No

If yes, has that application been successful?

Yes  No

Are you enrolled, or do you intend to enrol, as a full-time or part-time student? (please tick the appropriate box)

Full-time  Part-time



## PROFESSIONAL STATUS

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Are you a qualified teacher? (please tick the appropriate boxes)

Yes

No

Are you currently registered with the New Zealand Teachers Council for teaching in New Zealand?

Yes

No

## ACADEMIC REFEREE

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Please provide the name and address of the person you have asked to forward a reference to the Scholarships Office.

Your referee should be your Chief Supervisor or another academic similarly qualified to comment on your (proposed) research.

Title and Name of Referee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## ATTACHMENTS

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**All applicants** please attach the following to this application form:

- A one-page outline of your proposed research intentions.

**Students new to the University of Waikato** please also attach the following:

- Verified copies of academic transcripts from the other tertiary institution(s) you have attended (please attach a grade scale if possible).



## **CONDITIONS**

I understand that if I am offered a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Teacher Education Scholarship, and accept it, I will only be eligible to be formally awarded the Scholarship if I meet the following criteria:

- I am enrolled in the PhD in the Faculty of Education at the University of Waikato in the year of tenure.

I also understand that:

- The Scholarships Committee may terminate my Scholarship at any time if it is not satisfied that I am following the required programme or am otherwise complying with the conditions governing the Scholarship. I shall have the right to appeal to the Academic Board against any decision to terminate the award.

## **PRIVACY DECLARATION**

The information requested in this application form will be used solely for the purposes of assessing your application for the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Teacher Education Scholarship. Personal information contained in this application will be made available to members of the Scholarships Committee, Selection Panel, and staff of the Scholarships Office.

The University of Waikato undertakes to store your application in a secure place in the event that you are successful in gaining an award or are selected as a reserve candidate for an award. The University of Waikato undertakes to destroy your application to preserve its confidentiality, in the event that you are unsuccessful in gaining an award. Should you have reason to believe that information held about you in either your application or your academic record is incorrect, you have the right of access to, and correction of, that information.

The University may contact the persons you have named in your application as referees for further information. Any such direct contact with these referees will be made on a strictly confidential basis. The University may not divulge details to you about the content of such communication without the written authorisation of the referee concerned.

## **SIGN HERE**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## REFEREE'S REPORT

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Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID: (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide a reference (on, or attached to, this form) for the above-named applicant for a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Teacher Education Scholarship. This reference will only be used by the Selection Panel in determining the applicant's suitability for the Scholarship.

### **Please comment on the applicant's (proposed) research.**

While you are welcome to give the reference to the applicant, it would be appreciated if you could send it directly to the following address (or e-mail it as an attachment to [scholarships@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@waikato.ac.nz)) by **4 November**.

The Scholarships Office  
The University of Waikato  
Private Bag 3105  
HAMILTON 3240

Referee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_