

Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarship



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REGULATIONS FOR 2012

BACKGROUND

These Scholarships were established in 2009 by the Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences.

REGULATIONS

1. The Scholarships will be known as the Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarships.
2. The Scholarship will have a value of up to \$5,000 and will be credited directly towards tuition fees of the successful applicants. It will not be refundable to recipients who withdraw from their degree in the Faculty of Computing & Mathematical Sciences. It will be the responsibility of the student to pay the balance of their fees.
3. One Scholarship will be awarded per year.
4. The Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarship is open to applicants who are enrolling in the first year of study towards an undergraduate degree with a major in Computer Graphic Design at the University of Waikato. Successful applicants will enrol in the Faculty of Computing & Mathematical Sciences.
5. The Scholarship should normally be taken up in the year in which it is offered. In exceptional circumstances, the Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences may allow a candidate to defer their Scholarship for up to one year. Students wishing to defer their Scholarship must apply in writing to the Scholarships Office, and applications for deferment will be considered on a case by case basis.
6. In selecting the successful applicant(s), the Selection Panel will take into account the quality of the applicant's portfolio, their academic abilities, and any additional information supplied in the student's statement. The applicant's enthusiasm for their chosen programme of study and financial circumstances may also be taken into consideration.
7. Candidates should normally be completing their secondary schooling in the year prior to taking up the Scholarship, OR have attended a New Zealand secondary school two years prior to taking up the Scholarship (and have spent the previous year at a secondary school overseas or on a relevant experiential programme). Candidates not meeting these requirements will only be considered in exceptional circumstances.
8. Successful applicants will be offered the Scholarship on condition that they are approved for entry into an undergraduate degree with a major in Computer Graphic Design and enrol fulltime in an appropriate programme of study in A Semester of the year of tenure.

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9. All students wishing to be considered for the Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarships must apply on the official Scholarship application form and submit this with their portfolio. To be eligible for consideration for this Scholarship, these documents *must* be received by 15 October of the year preceding the year of tenure.
10. The panel will include the Chairperson of the Department of Computer Science, and two computer graphic design lecturers from the Department.
11. The Selection Panel may refrain from making a recommendation, or recommend that the Scholarships be re-advertised, if it finds no candidate of sufficient merit.
12. In exceptional circumstances a Scholarship may be shared.
13. The Scholarship will be awarded by the Scholarships Committee on behalf of the Academic Board of the University of Waikato.
14. The Scholarships Committee may terminate a Scholarship at any time if it is satisfied that the holder is not following the approved programme of study or is not otherwise complying with the conditions governing the Scholarship. The holder of a Scholarship shall have the right to appeal to the Academic Board against any decision to terminate the Scholarship.
15. The Scholarship may be recognised at a function organised to promote Scholarships more widely throughout the University.
16. The Scholarship may be held with any other bursary, scholarship or award, provided that the regulations of the other award allow this.
17. The University may from time to time vary these regulations
18. Applications must be submitted on the official application form by **14 October 2011**

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APPLICATION FORM

This application must be sent to the Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences with your pre-entry exercises and portfolio.

Applications for this Scholarship close at 5.00 pm on **14 October 2011**

Enquiries can be directed to: (07) 858 4489 or
(07) 838 5136 or
scholarships@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.

YOUR PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME

Surname:

Given name(s):

Date of birth:

University of Waikato ID Number:

POSTAL ADDRESS

For correspondence regarding this application

Street number and name:

Suburb:

Town/City:

Country:

Telephone:

Email:

Cell Phone:

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APPLICATION DETAILS

SECONDARY SCHOOL/S ATTENDED

Please indicate secondary schools which you have attended.

School: _____ Years: _____

School: _____ Years: _____

School: _____ Years: _____

SECONDARY SUBJECTS

Please state your NCEA Level 2 subjects (or other qualifications at this level) below.

Please state subjects you will be sitting examinations in for NCEA Level 3 and/or the NZ Scholarships assessments, or other qualifications recognised for University Entrance (for example the Cambridge International Examinations), in the year prior to the year of tenure of the Scholarship.

STUDY INTENTIONS

Please indicate the qualification for which you intend to be enrolled as a full-time student in 2012.

Qualification: _____ Major: _____

School / Faculty: _____

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ATTACHMENTS

Please attach the following to your application form:

All applicants

- A certified copy of your Level 2 NCEA results
- A one-page statement explaining your reasons for wishing to major in Computer Graphic Design.

If you are applying after a gap year

- A statement giving information on your activities during this year, your reasons for choosing to spend the year in this way, and the benefits which you believe you gained from this year. You may also wish to attach any further supporting documentation which you deem to be appropriate

IMPORTANT NOTE

This application must be sent to the Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences with your pre-entry exercises and portfolio by 15 October 2011.

CONDITIONS

I understand that:

1. If I am offered a Scholarship, and accept the offer of the Scholarship, I will only be eligible to be formally awarded the Scholarship if I will be enrolled at The University of Waikato in the year of tenure and complying with any other specific requirements of the scholarship/s for which I have applied.
2. The Scholarships Committee may terminate a Scholarship at any time and recoup any funds awarded, if it is satisfied that the holder is not following the required programme or is not otherwise complying with the conditions governing the Scholarship. The holder of a Scholarship shall have the right to appeal to the Academic Board against any decision to terminate the award.

▼ PRIVACY DECLARATION

The information requested in the attached application form will be used solely for the purposes of assessing your application for a Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarship. Personal information contained in this application will be made available to members of the Selection Committee, members of the Scholarships Committee 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.

▼ SIGN HERE

Signature: _____

Date: _____
