

# August Scholarships Update

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## **SCHOLARSHIPS OFFICE RELOCATED**

The Scholarships Office team has moved to the Gateway building.

To hand in any applications or to make any enquiries, please come downstairs in the Gateway building and speak to the receptionist.

Of course the best way to gain access to our range of services is still via our web-site.

Go to [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) to:

- > Find advice about searching and applying for scholarships
- > Download scholarship regulations and application forms
- > Subscribe to the Scholarships Update e-newsletter
- > Find useful links to national and international funding websites
- > Contact the University of Waikato Scholarships Office.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS OF THE MONTH**

### **Vice-Chancellor's Adult Learners Awards**

**Closing date: 15 August**

*Level: Undergraduate*

The Vice-Chancellor's Adult Learners Awards were established to celebrate the achievements of adult students. To be eligible for nomination for the award, a nominee must:

- Be at least 25 years old, and
- Be enrolled at the University of Waikato, either full-time or part-time, and
- Still be enrolled in the B semester of the year of awarding, and
- Be studying towards the completion of an undergraduate tertiary qualification.

More information is listed below. Further information and nomination forms are available from the Scholarships Office website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

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### **University of Waikato Summer Research Scholarships 2011/2012**

**Closing date 31 August 2011** (for the Faculty of Science and Engineering, Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences, and the **Faculty of Education**)

**Closing date 30 September 2011** (for the other Faculties/School)

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

The University of Waikato Summer Research Scholarships are an initiative to provide promising undergraduate, honours, and first-year masters students with the opportunity to experience the challenges and rewards of research work.

More information is listed below. For further information check our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)) for a list of research projects and an application form.

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## Dame Silvia Cartwright Scholarship

**Closing date 31 August 2011**

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Zonta Club of Hamilton-Waikato is offering a Scholarship of up to \$2,000 to a Waikato woman aged 25 years or over who is currently enrolled in a full-time undergraduate degree or diploma course of two or more years. The Scholarship will be applied to fees and/or textbooks for full-time study in the 2012 year.

More information is listed below. Application forms can be found in the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road), or can be requested by emailing [janetf@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:janetf@waikato.ac.nz) or [hamiltonwaikato@zonta.org.nz](mailto:hamiltonwaikato@zonta.org.nz).

## **New Scholarships**

### **Smartrak Software Development Scholarship**

**Closing date 19 August 2011**

*Level: Undergraduate*

This Scholarship was established in 2010 by Smartrak Limited. Smartrak is offering a scholarship to support a high achieving academic student who is majoring in software development. The student must be in their **penultimate year** (2<sup>nd</sup> to last year of degree), studying full-time towards a BE in Software Engineering, BCMS in Software Development or a BSc (Tech) majoring in computer science with an emphasis on software development at the University of Waikato.

More information is listed below. Further information and application forms can be found on our website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).

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### **University of Waikato Academic Merit School Leavers Scholarship**

**Application to enrol by 1 December 2011**

*Level: School Leaver*

Scholarship regulations for school leavers (plus application forms for gap-year students **only**) can be found on our website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).

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### **Vice-Chancellor's Academic Excellence School Leavers Scholarship**

**Application to enrol by 1 December 2011**

*Level: School Leaver*

Scholarship regulations for school leavers (plus application forms for gap-year students **only**) can be found on our website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).

## **Scholarships Currently Open for Application**

**Please note:** We have tried to indicate the 'Level' of each award. Please treat this information as a guide only; you still need to check the regulations to confirm your eligibility.

### **John Allan Scholarship in Education**

**Extended Closing date: 7 September 2011**

### **Peter Freyberg Memorial Fund for Curriculum Research in Education Scholarship**

**Extended Closing date: 7 September 2011**

## **Arts Waikato Scholarship**

*Closing date 12 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

Arts Waikato established this scholarship with a focus is on developing skills which will be of benefit to the Waikato community arts sector. Applicants can be either an individual or a community arts organisation wishing to fund professional development for 1 or more staff or volunteers. The applicant and/or group must be based in the greater Waikato Region.

Study should be for a recognised qualification or training, and courses can include arts degrees, community / arts development, management and business studies, Maori art, or further study in all areas of the arts. Short courses and workshops are also eligible for funding, provided they provide an opportunity for skill development for the benefit of the community.

Up to a maximum of \$5,000 may be awarded for any one application. How much is available to distribute is determined by Arts Waikato each year but is usually \$20,000.

For further information and an application form, please visit <http://www.artswaikato.co.nz/scholarships.html>.

## **The Vice-Chancellor's Adult Learners Awards**

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- Be at least 25 years old
- Be enrolled at the University of Waikato, either full-time or part-time
- Still be enrolled in the B semester of the year of awarding, and
- Be studying towards the completion of an undergraduate tertiary qualification.

The Selection Panel will focus on statements of support that show that the nominee:

- Learns with infectious enthusiasm;
- Demonstrates a strong determination to complete his/her studies;
- Supports and encourages other learners to engage in learning activities;
- Willingly shares new skills, knowledge and abilities with others;
- Challenges him/herself and others with new ideas and perspectives;
- Has had an interesting learning pathway to the University.

Further information and nomination forms are available from the Scholarships Office website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **WMS International Exchange Scholarship**

*Closing date 15 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

These scholarships are offered to New Zealand citizens or permanent residents who are full-time students at the Waikato Management School (WMS) and have completed at least one year of study in the WMS. The awards of up to \$2,500 (depending on the target country) are to cover travel costs for students to attend a foreign University for a semester, while gaining credits for their UoW degree and only paying their regular New Zealand fees.

Regulations and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Smartrak Software Development Scholarship**

*Closing date 19 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

Smartrak Limited is offering a scholarship to support a student, achieving at a high academic level, who is majoring in software development. The student must be in their penultimate year (second-to-last year of their degree), studying full-time towards a BE in Software Engineering, BCMS in Software Development, or a BSc(Tech) majoring in computer science, with an emphasis on software development at the University of Waikato.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Genesis Oncology Trust Grants**

*Closing date 19 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Genesis Oncology Trust invites applications for grants to support New Zealand-based initiatives that will lead to improvements in the prevention, detection, diagnosis or treatment of cancer, or improvements in the palliative care of cancer patients. These initiatives can be biomedical, clinical, epidemiological, or psychosocial and may relate to:

- Education and training
- Continuing professional development
- Research projects
- Other projects.

Regulations and application forms are available from the Genesis Oncology Trust website (<http://www.genisoncology.org.nz>). Please note that the closing date for Postgraduate Scholarship applications will be 7 October 2011.

## **Bren Low Memorial Scholarship**

*Closing date 19 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

This Scholarship of up to \$4,000 offers support for students who will be enrolling full-time in their final year of study towards the BCS or BCS(Hons), or the BMS or BMS(Hons) in 2012, majoring in Public Relations or Management Communications. Along with their application form, applicants will submit an application letter, curriculum vitae, and a 300-word essay. The essay should consist of a response to the question: 'Discuss the role of the PR or Management Communication practitioner at a senior management level in organisations'

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Ngārimu VC and 28<sup>th</sup> (Māori) Battalion Memorial Scholarships**

*Closing date 26 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Ngārimu VC and 28<sup>th</sup> (Māori) Battalion Memorial Scholarships Fund Board has asked us to advertise the following awards:

- **Undergraduate Scholarships**  
Three undergraduate Scholarships valued at \$10,000 p.a. for up to five years.
- **Masters Scholarship**  
One masters Scholarship valued at \$15,000 p.a. for up to two years.
- **Doctoral Scholarship**  
One Doctoral Scholarship valued at \$25,000 p.a. for up to two years.
- **Manakura Scholarship**  
One Manakura Scholarship for enterprising, innovative and influential people who want to make a quantum shift in their lives and more of a contribution to whānau, hapū, and iwi. This award is valued at \$30,000.

All applicants must be:

- New Zealand Māori
- Studying at an approved tertiary institution (except in the case of the Manakura applicants)
- Able to show characteristics of the ideal applicant as detailed in the application outline document
- Able to describe their contribution to whānau, hapū or iwi following successful completion of their study.

Additionally, postgraduate and Manakura applicants must:

- Be able to show the link between Māori and the outcome or benefit of their study or work. The applicant needs to share their passion for their chosen area of study with the Ngārimu VC and 28<sup>th</sup> (Māori) Battalion Board
- Submit a brief about their study or field. This brief will be assessed against the following criteria:
  - Is it innovative? Is it a new area of study? Is it a new approach to the subject?
  - What difference will it make to policy, thinking, practice or action?
  - What impact will it have on Māori or Māori issues?
- Describe their contribution to whānau, hapū or iwi following successful completion of their study; and
- Agree to present reports to the Ngārimu VC and 28<sup>th</sup> (Māori) Battalion Board

Further information on these awards can be found in the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road) or by visiting ([www.minedu.govt.nz/ngarimuscholarships](http://www.minedu.govt.nz/ngarimuscholarships)).

## **Mathematics Fees Scholarship**

*Examination date: 30 August 2011*

*Level: Entrance / School Leaver*

The Mathematics Fees Scholarship is open to applicants who are enrolling in the first year of study towards an undergraduate degree with a major in Mathematics at the University of Waikato. Successful applicants will usually be intending to enrol in the Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences, although in exceptional circumstances the Selection Panel may consider applicants who are enrolling in a Mathematics major through another Faculty. The Scholarship will be awarded on the recommendation of the Chairperson of the Department of Mathematics at the University of Waikato. The decision will be based on the results of a competitive examination held in August. Results will be circulated to participants by the end of September. Those interested in participating should **contact the Department of Mathematics for more information on (07) 838 4713**.

## **Brian Smith Memorial 499/ 599 Scholarship**

*Closing date 31 March and 30 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

The Brian Smith Memorial 499 / 599 Scholarship was established in 1999 by the Waikato Management School in memory of Professor B V Smith, Director of Undergraduate Studies from 1991 to 1998. The award has a value of

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\$1,500. This Scholarship is open to Management students enrolled in their 499 or 599 Report of an Investigation, who have not completed the paper. The Selection Panel will focus on each applicant's academic merit and personal character, their enrolment in the Bachelor of Management Studies, and the academic merit and practical significance of the investigation proposal, among other things.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

### **The Michael Baldwin Memorial Scholarship**

*Closing date: 30 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Michael Baldwin Memorial Scholarship is open for application from students studying at any level who are citizens of South Pacific nations (other than New Zealand or Australia). Applications are particularly encouraged from students who are citizens of Papua New Guinea, or who can demonstrate a need for financial support in order to undertake tertiary study. This Scholarship has a value of up to \$10,000.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

### **AGMARDT Postdoctoral Fellowships**

*Closing date: 30 August 2011*

*Level: Postdoctoral*

AGMARDT supports postdoctoral fellowship research to underpin the agricultural, pastoral, horticultural and forestry industries within New Zealand. This is to ensure that the research and training capabilities and capacity are maintained at a level needed to achieve and maintain New Zealand's competitive advantage within our international markets. The award offers two postdoctoral fellowships. For further information and an application form, visit [http://www.agmardt.org.nz/grant\\_applications/postdoctoral\\_fellowships/](http://www.agmardt.org.nz/grant_applications/postdoctoral_fellowships/).

### **Bay of Plenty Alumni Adult Learners Award**

*Closing date 31 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

This award was established to assist adult students studying in the Bay of Plenty. Candidates may apply themselves or be nominated by lecturers teaching / or by fellow students at the University of Waikato in Tauranga.

To be eligible for this award student must:

- be 25 years or over
- be enrolled in the year of awarding in a full-time or part-time programme of undergraduate study at the University of Waikato in Tauranga
- be enrolled in courses in both the A and B semester in the year in which the award is made.

Regulations and application forms are available from the Scholarships Office website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

### **Dame Silvia Cartwright Scholarship – Zonta**

*Closing date 31 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The Zonta Club of Hamilton-Waikato is offering a Scholarship of up to \$2,000 to a Waikato woman aged 25 years or over who is currently enrolled in a full-time undergraduate degree or diploma course of two or more years. The Scholarship will be applied to fees and/or textbooks for full-time study in the 2012 year.

Application forms can be found in the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road), or can be requested by emailing [janeff@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:janeff@waikato.ac.nz) or [hamiltonwaikato@zonta.org.nz](mailto:hamiltonwaikato@zonta.org.nz).

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*Closing date 31 August 2011 (for the Faculty of Science and Engineering, Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences and the Faculty of Education)*

*Closing date 30 September 2011 (for all other Schools/Faculties)*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

The University of Waikato Summer Research Scholarships are an initiative to provide promising undergraduate, honours, and first-year masters students with the opportunity to experience the challenges and rewards of research work. For 2011-2012, the Scholarships will have a value of \$5,000 and will run for a ten-week period during the 2011-2012 summer study break. To be eligible, students must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate, honours or masters degree at a New Zealand or Australian university.

Check our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)) for a list of research projects and an application form.

### **Te Pua Wānanga ki te ao Graduate Excellence Awards**

*Closing date: 31 March and 31 August 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

These Awards are offered to Honours, Masters, and Postgraduate Diploma students within the School of Māori and Pacific Development, whose studies have particular relevance to the School, to encourage and affirm excellence in

students. The awards are worth up to \$2,000 for full-time students and up to \$1,000 for part-time students and the number available varies.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Te Pua Wānanga ki te ao Postgraduate Excellence Awards**

*Closing date: 31 March and 31 August 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

These Awards are offered to students who qualify for, or are currently enrolled in, postgraduate (MPhil, PhD) within the School of Māori and Pacific Development, and whose research has particular relevance to the priorities of the School, to encourage and affirm excellence in students. The awards are worth up to \$5,000 for full-time students and up to \$2,500 for part-time students and the number available varies.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Acorn Foundation Eva Trowbridge Scholarship**

*Closing date 31 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

This \$3,000 Scholarship is open to applications from adult learners (25 years and over) who will be studying at the University of Waikato's Tauranga campus in 2011, and who reside in an area administered by the Tauranga City Council or the Western Bay of Plenty District Council. In selecting the successful applicant, the Selection Panel may take academic merit, financial circumstances, and contribution to the community into consideration.

Further information and application forms are available on our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Cayne Dunnett Memorial Scholarship**

*Closing date 31 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

This scholarship is open to application from students undertaking a Bachelor of Management Studies at the University of Waikato and enrolled in their final year in 2012. The recipient of this Scholarship will receive the chance to undertake up to two months of sponsored summer holiday work, in the Markets (Treasury) environment of the Bank of New Zealand in Wellington or Auckland. Subsequent to summer holiday work, if the candidate is employed in a full-time role within BNZ markets, a one-off grant of \$10,000 will be made towards paying off that student's loan.

Regulations and applications forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **The Macmillan Brown Prize for Writers**

*Closing date 31 August 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

Candidates for this Award submit one of the following: an essay, a short story, a poem or group of poems, a short play, or other work in an appropriate form, dealing imaginatively with any theme. This (approx) \$2,500 Prize (administered by the University of Canterbury) is open to all undergraduates, and graduates of not more than three years' standing. Application forms can be downloaded by visiting the website (<http://www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarshipsearch/ScholarshipDetails.aspx?ScholarshipID=6935.190>).

## **Simpson Grierson Law Scholarship**

*Closing date 1 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The Simpson Grierson Law Scholarship is available to New Zealand citizens or permanent residents who will be enrolled full-time **in the penultimate year** of an LLB or LLB(Hons) in 2012. This \$3,000 Scholarship also includes a summer clerk position with Simpson Grierson (in either Wellington or Auckland) during the 2011-12 break, and a \$1,000 clothing allowance for the summer clerkship.

Regulations and application forms are available from the Law School, [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) and on Simpson Grierson's website <http://www.simpsongrierson.com/Scholarships.html>,

## **Todd Foundation Postgraduate Scholarship in Energy Research (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 September 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

This scholarship is offered to students who are undertaking research in the field of energy (towards a doctoral degree at a New Zealand university or approved research institution in New Zealand) which may have wide relevance including value to New Zealand. It is available for up to three years with a value of \$25,000 per annum, including tuition fees. An additional \$3,000 will also be available during the period for conference attendance.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **John Allan Scholarship in Education**

***Extended Closing date 7 September 2011***

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

This is a Scholarship for (currently registered) qualified teachers. Applicants must have qualified for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma in Education (PGDipEd) or the Bachelor of Teaching with Honours (BTchg(Hons)) or equivalent qualifications, and be enrolled full- or part-time in the thesis year of a masters degree in the Faculty of Education at the University of Waikato in 2012. Selection will be made on the basis of the academic achievement of the applicants, and their (proposed) research topics. Preference will be given to applicants intending to conduct research related to professional practice in education, especially research into ways of making teaching more effective. The Scholarship has a value of up to \$2,000.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Peter Freyberg Memorial Fund for Curriculum Research in Education Scholarship**

**Extended Closing date 7 September 2011**

*Level: Registered Teachers*

This is a Scholarship for (currently registered) qualified teachers. Applicants must have completed Part 1 of the EdD, and be enrolled full- or part-time for Part 2 of the EdD in the School of Education at the University of Waikato in the year of tenure of the Scholarship. 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 curriculum development and teacher effectiveness. The Scholarship has a value of up to \$3,000.

Further information and application forms are available from our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **Manhire Prize for Creative Science Writing**

*Closing date 9 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

The *New Zealand Listener* and the International Institute of Modern Letters at Victoria University of Wellington are supporting this Prize administered by the Royal Society of New Zealand. The theme for 2011 is 'Chemistry and our World'. There are two categories: fiction and non-fiction. Two winners (one from each category) will be chosen to receive \$2,500. There is no age restriction.

Visit <http://www.royalsociety.org.nz/programmes/competitions/manhire-prize/2011/> for more information on the topic, full guidelines, judging criteria, etc.

## **Harkness Fellowships in Health Care Policy and Practice**

*Closing date 13 September 2011*

*Level: Academics*

The Commonwealth Fund of New York offers a unique opportunity for mid-career professionals/academic researchers to spend up to 12 months in the United States conducting a policy-orientated research study working with leading US policy experts and gaining an in-depth knowledge of the health care systems. For further information about eligibility and the application process please visit the Fulbright website ([www.fulbright.org.nz](http://www.fulbright.org.nz)).

If you would like to discuss an application for an award, please contact UoW Scholarships Advisor Gwenda Pennington ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz) or 858 5195) **before** applying.

## **New Zealand Coastal Society**

*Closing date 15 September 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The New Zealand Coastal Society (NZCS) was inaugurated in 1992 to promote and advance knowledge and understanding of the coastal zone. This includes fostering coastal research and capacity building. The society offers two scholarships annually to students conducting research that has the potential to contribute towards the aims of the society: NZ\$5,000 to support PhD research, and NZ\$2,500 to support Masters research.

For further information and an application form, email the Scholarships Office [scholarships@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@waikato.ac.nz).

## **Child Injury Prevention Foundation of New Zealand Summer Research Scholarships**

*Closing date: 16 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Postgraduate*

The Scholarships are open to both undergraduate and postgraduate students for the summer break. Projects must relate in some way to child accident prevention and preference will be given to those that will be of immediate practical benefit to the community. The scholarships have a value of \$5,000. Further information and application forms are available from the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road), or by emailing Dr D Geddis, [dgandbw@hotmail.com](mailto:dgandbw@hotmail.com).

## **Ministry of Fisheries Postgraduate Scholarships in Quantitative Fisheries Science**

*Closing date 20 September 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

In collaboration with NIWA, the Ministry of Fisheries is offering awards for masters and PhD students. Applicants with majors or 'minors' in mathematics, statistics and / or biology are encouraged to apply. It is expected that applicants will have a strong quantitative background and it is recommended that only those students who have

taken statistics, calculus or mathematics at, or above, second-year level submit an application. Stock assessment modelling will be a major, but not exclusive, focus of the Scholarship programme.

The Masters Scholarship has a value of up to \$25,000 per annum for up to two years. The PhD Scholarship has a value of \$30,000 per annum for up to three years.

Information and application forms are available from the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road), or from Rich Ford at the Ministry of Fisheries, [richard.ford@fish.govt.nz](mailto:richard.ford@fish.govt.nz), or phone (04) 819 4664

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## **University of Waikato International Doctoral Scholarships**

*Closing dates: (Round 1) 30 September 2011 and (Round 2) 31 March 2012*

*Level: Postgraduate*

New Zealand or Australian citizens or permanent residents are **not** eligible to apply for a University of Waikato **International** Doctoral Scholarship. Provided they are not New Zealand citizens, Pasifika candidates are particularly welcome to apply.

Applicants will need to demonstrate academic excellence and the strong support of their Waikato-based Chief Supervisor. Before applying for a University of Waikato International Doctoral Scholarship, the applicant must gain the approval of the University of Waikato's Postgraduate Studies Committee to undertake doctoral studies.

International students already enrolled in a doctoral degree at the University of Waikato may apply, however the Scholarships Committee is likely to favour applications from new students, i.e. those about to start, or still in the first year of, doctoral enrolment.

These Scholarships have a tenure of up to three years, pay a living allowance of \$22,000 per annum (paid in monthly instalments), and also cover a student's domestic tuition fees for the duration of the Scholarship.

**The 2012 regulations and application forms will soon be available on our website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).** (In the meantime, the 2011 documents on the same website will give readers an idea of the likely application processes.)

## **Ada Wells Memorial Prize**

*Closing date 30 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduates / Graduates*

The prize is awarded for an essay, the subject of which involves the exposition of some subject chosen from literature having reference to social ideals. The subject of the essay shall be prescribed from year to year. Details of the topic for a particular year may be obtained from the Registrar. This \$800 Award is open to all undergraduates, and graduates (domestic & international) of not more than three years' standing. Application forms are available from the website: [www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships) or by emailing: [scholarships@canterbury.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@canterbury.ac.nz) . .

## **BAYERBoost Scholarships**

*Closing date 30 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The BAYERBoost Scholarships are offered to year 13 school students and undergraduate tertiary students. Ideally, applicants will be studying environmental sciences or related subjects, and be intending to continue their study in this area. Students can be awarded up to \$6,000 to assist them to work on a project over the summer in consultation with a host organisation.

Guidelines for students, academic supervisors, and host organizations, along with application forms and lists of host institutions can be found at <http://www.bayerboost.co.nz/>.

## **Chinese Poll Tax Heritage Trust**

*Closing date 30 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

Members of New Zealand's Chinese community are being invited to apply for funding from the 2011 funding round of the Chinese Poll Tax Heritage Trust. The Trust aims to create heightened understanding of the Chinese community within New Zealand and strengthen the unique identity of Chinese New Zealanders. The Chinese Poll Tax Heritage Trust provides recognition of the hardship caused by the poll tax, and is a gesture of goodwill to poll tax payers, their descendants, and future generations.

For an application form, or to learn more about the Trust, visit the Department of Internal Affairs' website [http://www.dia.govt.nz/diawebsite.nsf/wpg\\_URL/Services-Trust-%26-Fellowship-Grants-Chinese-Poll-Tax-Heritage-Trust?OpenDocument](http://www.dia.govt.nz/diawebsite.nsf/wpg_URL/Services-Trust-%26-Fellowship-Grants-Chinese-Poll-Tax-Heritage-Trust?OpenDocument).

## **New Zealand Federation of Graduate Women (NZFGW) Harriette Jenkins Awards**

*Closing date 30 September 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

The purpose of these \$2,000 Awards is to encourage members of the New Zealand Federation of Graduate Women (who joined not less than six months ago) to carry out or complete a piece of research, or to further their studies. The Awards are to be used for incidental expenses connected with the project, for example books, equipment, child care, travel.

Detailed regulations and application forms are in the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road), or from the Federation's website (<http://www.nzfgw.org.nz/awards1.htm>).

## **Valder Conservation Grants**

*Closing date 30 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

Student grants are available from the Waikato Branch of the Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society. Usually \$1,000-\$2,000 is given to individual projects. These Grants are open to all students, especially for conservation projects to be undertaken in the coming year. Relevance to the Waikato-Coromandel region would be helpful, and the highest priority will be given to local projects. Applications from Forest and Bird members are preferred.

For details of what the Grants will and will not cover, and for guidelines for proposals, visit [http://cber.bio.waikato.ac.nz/F&B\\_Grants\\_Waikato.html](http://cber.bio.waikato.ac.nz/F&B_Grants_Waikato.html). Send your proposal to the Secretary, Waikato Branch, Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society, PO Box 11-092, Hillcrest, Hamilton.

## **Waikato Students' Union Scholarship for Cultural Contribution**

*Closing date 30 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

This Scholarship is awarded annually by the WSU to an undergraduate student who makes an outstanding cultural contribution to the University (independent of academic performance).

Cultural input will be assessed on:

- Contributions of an ethnic nature, or
- Artistic contributions, or
- Involvement in promoting and enhancing activities that adds to the student experience on campus

Further information and application forms are available on our website ([www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)).

## **YWCA Young Women's Education Scholarships**

*Closing date: 30 September 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

The YWCA Young Women's Tertiary Education scholarship is for New Zealand resident young women aged between 16 and 30 years as at 1 January who are participating in tertiary study in the Hamilton area.

A Scholarship recipient needs to be confident, have excellent time management skills, and be a general all rounder with a wide range of skills and experiences. The recipient is expected to fill a role of working member of the Hamilton YWCA Board. She must be a good representative of the YWCA's philosophy, and relate well to young women. Further information and application forms are available from the YWCA website [www.ywcahamilton.org.nz](http://www.ywcahamilton.org.nz).

## **Freemasons University Scholarships**

*Closing date: 1 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

These \$6,000 Scholarships are awarded each year to students studying full-time in the **last** year of a bachelors degree, an undergraduate diploma, a bachelors degree with honours, or a postgraduate diploma, or the **first** year of a two-year masters degree. **Candidates will normally be studying for at least half of 2012.**

Applicants must:

- Have a good academic record
- Be a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident
- Demonstrate good citizenship
- Show leadership potential.

These Scholarships are awarded without restrictions on gender, ethnic background, creed or age. Family association with Freemasonry is not a criterion for the award of a Scholarship.

Regulations and application forms can be downloaded and completed (at least in part) in electronic form from the Freemasons website [www.freemasons.co.nz/charity/](http://www.freemasons.co.nz/charity/). If you have trouble downloading the form, you can ask our office for an electronic or paper copy by e-mailing [scholarships@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@waikato.ac.nz) with your request.

**Despite what the application form says, applicants at this University should not attach a UoW Academic Record.**

## Freemasons Postgraduate Scholarships

*Closing date: 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

These \$10,000 Scholarships are awarded each year to students **completing** a masters degree with thesis or a doctorate degree. **Candidates will normally be studying for at least half of 2012.**

Applicants must:

- Have a good academic record
- Be a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident
- Demonstrate good citizenship
- Show leadership potential.

These Scholarships are awarded without restrictions on gender, ethnic background, creed or age. Family association with Freemasonry is not a criterion for the award of a Scholarship.

Regulations and application forms can be downloaded and completed (at least in part) in electronic form from the Freemasons website [www.freemasons.co.nz/charity/](http://www.freemasons.co.nz/charity/). If you have trouble downloading the form, you can ask our office for an electronic or paper copy by e-mailing [scholarships@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@waikato.ac.nz) with your request.

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## Andrew Justice Memorial Scholarships (UNZ)

*Not currently offered*

## Bing's Scholarship (UNZ)

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

This \$2,000 Scholarship is offered to students who, in 2011, will be completing the research year of a masters degree in the fields of Medicine or Veterinary Science.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## Cambridge Commonwealth Trust Prince of Wales Scholarship (UNZ)

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The Cambridge Commonwealth Trust offers several prestigious awards each year to enable PhD students of high academic ability to study at the University of Cambridge in Britain. This Scholarship covers the recipient's fees (see regulations for further information) and also offers a means-tested allowance.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## China-New Zealand Doctoral Research Scholarships (CNZDRS) (UNZ)

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

This Scholarship is a reciprocal Government Doctoral Research Scholarship Programme which has been established between the New Zealand Government and the Government of the Peoples Republic of China. The China-New Zealand Doctoral Research Scholarship (CNZDRS) is funded by the Government of the Peoples Republic of China and administered by the China Scholarship Council. The CNZDRS provide financial support for up to 10 New Zealand students each year to undertake a doctoral degree in Chinese universities. Applicants must be NZ citizens or permanent residents who have completed the requirements for a Masters degree in a field appropriate to their intended study, at a New Zealand university. The Scholarship is available for three to four years according to the course of study.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## Dick and Mary Earle Scholarship in Technology (UNZ)

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

This Scholarship is offered to students studying towards a masters or doctoral degree in the following fields: for the support and encouragement of postgraduate research into aspects of technology in New Zealand universities. The values are \$17,000 at masters level, and \$20,000 per annum at doctoral level.

The purpose of the scholarship is to provide funds for individuals to undertake research towards a masterate or doctorate degree in one or both of the two fields:

- Innovation and product development

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- Bioprocess technology

Applicants are required to have completed the requirements for a BTech, BEng, BE degree or equivalent at a New Zealand University. This award has a tenure of up to three years, depending on the recipient's course of study. Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)). Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Edna Waddell Undergraduate Scholarships for Women in Technology & Engineering (UNZ)**

*Closing dates 1 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

There are three Scholarships offered, up to \$5,000, to provide funds to help women undertake undergraduate study for degrees in engineering and technology. The Scholarships are available for women entering their first year of full-time study for an undergraduate degree, who have not previously studied full-time at that level in technology and engineering. The Scholarships are intended for school leavers and mature women; if the latter, preference will be given to those who have worked in industry for at least three years and/or have passed sub-degree courses in technology or engineering.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

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## **Edward and Isabel Kidson Scholarships (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

These \$5,000 Scholarships The object of each scholarship is to enable a graduate of a university of New Zealand, who is of good character and who has shown an ability in physics or a combination of physics and mathematics, to undertake further advanced study or research whether in New Zealand or elsewhere, in Meteorology. If there is no suitable candidate for an award of a scholarship in Meteorology, then it may be granted to support advanced study or research in some other branch of science, whether in New Zealand or elsewhere.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Fish and Game New Zealand Research Scholarships (UNZ)**

*No longer offered*

## **Frank Knox Memorial Fellowships (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Frank Knox Memorial Fellowships are offered to assist New Zealand students to study at Harvard University in the United States of America. Candidates will be selected on the basis of future promise of leadership. Strength of character, keen mind, a balanced judgment and devotion to the democratic ideal will be qualities borne in mind in making the final selection. The value of this award will be at least US\$20,000, plus full tuition and health insurance fees.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Freyberg Scholarships (New Zealand Defence Scholarships) (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

Freyberg Scholarships are awarded for the purpose of encouraging graduate study into areas relevant to national security in the widest sense of that term. Study should be undertaken at a recognised institution in an Asia-Pacific country, including Canada and the United States. The scholarships are not available for study within New Zealand. Preference may be given however to applicants who have enrolled in the Graduate Studies Programme in Strategy and Defence at the Australian National University. Proposals for a course of studies at an overseas institution located elsewhere will be considered on their merits. It is intended that graduates will return to New Zealand, where it is hoped they will be better fitted to make a positive contribution towards debate and analysis of Defence issues in such fields as government service, tertiary education or journalism. One or more Scholarships, payable from a NZ\$70,000 fund, may be awarded annually.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

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## **Henry Kelsey Research Scholarships (UNZ)**

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*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The purpose of this \$6,000 Scholarship is to provide funds for individuals to undertake research towards a postgraduate degree at a New Zealand university or research institution, for the purpose of studying muscular function, including the causes and treatment of muscular dysfunction. Applicants will have completed the requirements for a bachelor's degree or equivalent, with honours where they are awarded, in a field appropriate to their intended study. The Scholarship is available for up to two years for master's study and up to three years for PhD study.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

### **New Zealand Law Foundation Doctoral Scholarship (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The \$35,000 New Zealand Law Foundation Doctoral Scholarship is offered to encourage postgraduate study and research in law in New Zealand. The Scholarship will be awarded to a doctoral candidate who intends to carry out research in a defined area of the law which is for the benefit of New Zealand and its legal system, and which encompasses the wider objectives of the New Zealand Law Foundation.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

### **Pukehou Poutu Scholarships (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

This Scholarship shall be tenable in any university in New Zealand for postgraduate study in either agricultural science or silvicultural science. The value of the one-year Scholarship will be changed from time to time by the NZVCC; the current maximum value is \$10,000.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

### **Road Safety Trust Research Scholarships (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Ministry of Transport, through the Road Safety Trust, offers Scholarships each year for study at either masters or doctoral level. The Scholarships shall be awarded to those carrying out full-time (or, in agreed circumstances, approved part-time) study in areas consistent with the road safety priorities in the Road Safety to 2010 Strategy, published by the National Road Safety Committee. The value of the Scholarships at masters level shall be \$10,000 per annum, plus a contribution of up to \$2,500 towards university tuition fees. The value of the Scholarships at doctoral level shall be normally \$20,000 per annum, plus a contribution of up to \$2,500 per annum towards university tuition fees. Each award may also include a contribution towards actual and reasonable research expenses of up to \$2,500 per annum.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

### **Tertiary Education Union (TEU) Crozier Scholarship (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

This \$5,000 Scholarship, now offered by the TEU, was established for the support and encouragement of postgraduate research into aspects of university (or higher) education and issues of union involvement therein, and including issues relating to the health and well-being of staff and students. The award is offered to students undertaking research for a research project, thesis or dissertation at an honours, masters, or doctoral level, in the fields of:

- The history, management, organization, economics, economic and social impact, sociology, pedagogy, and international relations of New Zealand universities/higher education, including comparative studies with other countries or kinds of education
- The health and well-being, careers and career choices and issues of recruitment and retention of staff and students
- Issues to do with ethnicity, gender and/or other socio-economic factors affecting staff and students.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **The Todd Foundation Awards for Excellence (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The Todd Foundation Awards for Excellence are open for applications from students who hold a degree or diploma (or are completing one this year) and now wish to undertake a project or programme, which may or may not lead to a further qualification, in a field of study which is likely to be of direct relevance to New Zealand and its people. The Todd Foundation Awards for Excellence are available in three categories:

- Science and Technology (includes Agriculture and Conservation)
- Engineering and Manufacturing (includes Architecture and Design)
- Business and Commerce.
- Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **William Georgetti Scholarship (UNZ)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The purpose of the William Georgetti Scholarships is to encourage postgraduate study and research, normally in New Zealand, in a field that, in the opinion of the Scholarship Board, is important to the social, cultural or economic development of New Zealand.

Among other conditions, applicants must have resided in New Zealand for a period of at least five years immediately preceding the year of selection, and must hold a degree or other academic qualification reasonably equivalent (in the opinion of the Scholarship Board) to a degree of a university in New Zealand.

For students studying in New Zealand, the Scholarship has a value of up to \$20,000 per year for masters study, and up to \$30,000 per year (for up to three years) for doctoral study. For students studying overseas, the Scholarship has a value of up to \$45,000 per year.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website ([www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz)).

Prospective applicants should contact Gwenda ([gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz)) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Dan Watkins Scholarship in Weed Science (NZPPS)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

This scholarship has been established in the memory of Dan Watkins and to recognise his contribution to weed science within New Zealand. The NZPPS administers this scholarship, which aims to encourage research into the biology and control of weeds in New Zealand. Students enrolled at New Zealand Universities or registered in other recognised New Zealand tertiary institutions will be considered. The value of the scholarship is up to \$5,000. Recipients will be encouraged to become members of the Society and present a paper about their research to one of the Society's conferences.

Further information and application forms are available from <http://www.nzpps.org/scholarships.php> or by contacting the secretary ([secretary@nzpps.org](mailto:secretary@nzpps.org)).

## **New Zealand Plant Protection Society Research Scholarship (NZPPS)**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

This scholarship is to encourage research in relevant disciplines (entomology, plant pathology, weed science, zoology, ecology, and plant protection sciences), on topics relating to control of pests, pathogens and / or weeds in primary production (pastoral and arable agriculture, horticulture, forestry), or the natural or human environments. Students enrolled at New Zealand Universities or registered in other recognised New Zealand tertiary institutions will be considered. The value of the scholarship is up to \$3,000. Recipients will be encouraged to become members of the Society and present a paper about their research to one of the Society's conferences.

Further information and application forms are available from <http://www.nzpps.org/scholarships.php> or by contacting the secretary ([secretary@nzpps.org](mailto:secretary@nzpps.org)).

## **The Betty Loughhead Soroptimist Scholarship Trust**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

This scholarship has been established to assist women intending to pursue an educational programme. It is a women's service organisation and is offered to women enrolled to train or re-train in an NZQA programme at a New Zealand tertiary institution. Applicants must be 25 years and over, have a proven record of academic achievement, be NZ citizens, and be prepared to participate in Soroptimist promotional activities.

Application forms can be obtained by email from the Secretary, ([secretary@blsst.org](mailto:secretary@blsst.org)) or by post: Secretary, 76 Gilchrist Road, Waikaka Valley, RD 5, Gore 9775, Southland. As applicants are requested to complete their forms by word processing, the email form is sent in Word format. For further information visit the website <http://www.blsst.org>.

## **Ryoichi Sasakawa Young Leaders' Scholarship**

*Closing date: 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

Candidates for these masters and doctoral Scholarships will not have passed their 35<sup>th</sup> birthday as at the closing date. These Scholarships provide opportunities to research in a wide range of disciplines in Business, Creative Arts, Design, Education, Humanities and Social Sciences. Applicants will demonstrate leadership qualities or high potential for future leadership in either public or private life. Applicants will also have an excellent academic record and be able to show a sense of commitment towards their proposed research topic.

Recipients will receive a Scholarship of up to \$15,000 for one (research) year at masters level, or up to \$25,000 per annum for up to three years at doctoral level. In addition, the Scholarship covers tuition fees and approved research expenses.

While the award is administered through the Massey University Scholarships Office, recipients can study at any NZ university.

Regulations and application forms can be downloaded from [www.sasakawa.co.nz/](http://www.sasakawa.co.nz/), or are available from the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road).

## **W & B Miller Scholarship (Neurological Foundation of New Zealand)**

*Closing dates 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

This Scholarship is for graduate students whose proposed programme of research for a higher degree, usually a PhD, is in the field of neuroscience. The Neurological Foundation will accept applications designed to further the knowledge and treatment of primary neuropsychiatric or neuropsychological disorders, as long as the research takes a mechanistic approach to discovering or treating a component of the disorder that might be due to an underlying neurological problem. **Applications which deal only with the clinical management of mental health disorders will not be considered.** For further information, visit [www.neurological.org.nz](http://www.neurological.org.nz) in the first instance.

## **Philip Wrightson Postdoctoral Fellowship (Neurological Foundation of New Zealand)**

*Closing dates 1 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

Postdoctoral Fellowships are intended for the support of outstanding graduates who have recently completed a degree at doctoral level and who propose to conduct research in scientific fields of relevance to the Neurological Foundation. The purpose is to provide personal support for two years of research, usually to widen their experience in a different institution, and to assist them at the end of their Fellowship to become established as independent researchers in New Zealand. The Neurological Foundation will accept applications designed to further the knowledge and treatment of primary neuropsychiatric or neuropsychological disorders, as long as the research takes a mechanistic approach to discovering or treating a component of the disorder that might be due to an underlying neurological problem. **Applications which deal only with the clinical management of mental health disorders will not be considered.** For further information, visit [www.neurological.org.nz](http://www.neurological.org.nz) in the first instance.

## **Georgia Rotary Student Program**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The Rotarians of the State of Georgia, USA, operate a programme by granting scholarships to students to study in the colleges and universities in Georgia. By using the means of scholarships, they are trying to promote international goodwill through the bonds of friendship and understanding with one another. The Rotarians of the State of Georgia believe that the bonds of international friendship can be strengthened with Rotarians in other countries by nominating students for the scholarships offered. The Rotary Clubs in Georgia select the students and provide them with a host family, even though recipients are required to live on the college campus. Applicants must be at over 18 and under 25 years of age as at August 1 of the scholastic year. The Scholarship pays all scholastic costs, including tuition, book allowance, college provided room and food. It does not cover transportation expenses to or from the United States or medical costs. The scholarship covers one scholastic year, from August to May, and is only for colleges and universities located in the State of Georgia, USA.

For further information and application form visit: [http://www.grsp.org/scholarshipinfo\\_copy\(1\).htm](http://www.grsp.org/scholarshipinfo_copy(1).htm).

## **June Opie Fellowship**

*Closing date 1 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate*

The award, which is expected to be about NZD\$12,000, is available to citizens and permanent residents of Australia, Canada and New Zealand, is designed as an incentive for students of high academic achievement who have a severe disability. It is intended for those who plan to undertake graduate study with a view to preparing themselves for a role in the professions, in politics, or more particularly, in university teaching and research and who have disability issues as a continuing interest. The award is made to enable the recipient to secure such assistance, by travel, by the preparation of computer software, or by other means, as will facilitate effective study and preparation for the future.

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### **Miss E. L. Hellaby Indigenous Grasslands Research Trust**

*Closing dates: 10 October 2011 and 10 March 2012*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The trust fund provides fellowships for thesis work on topics relating to the indigenous grassland zone and of some value to the primary industries of New Zealand. The Trust welcomes applications for postgraduate research, particularly PhD, into the ecology and management of New Zealand's indigenous grasslands but especially investigations into aspects of the sustainable management, uses and conservation of these grassland ecosystems (e.g. Plant biology, sustainable production systems, plant-animal interactions, pedology, hydrology, climatology).

For further information visit: [http://www.massey.ac.nz/massey/admission/scholarships-bursaries-awards/other-scholarships/search-results/search-results\\_home.cfm?scholarship\\_id=137&hide\\_back=1&page=award\\_display](http://www.massey.ac.nz/massey/admission/scholarships-bursaries-awards/other-scholarships/search-results/search-results_home.cfm?scholarship_id=137&hide_back=1&page=award_display) .

### **Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarship**

*Closing date: 14 October 2011*

*Level: Entrance / School Leaver*

The Computer Graphic Design Fees Scholarship is open to applicants (Domestic & International) 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. 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 pre-entry exercises and portfolio. Further information and application forms can be found on our website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)

### **Mexican Government Scholarships for Foreigners 2012**

*Closing date: 14 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The Mexican Government is now accepting applications for Scholarships from foreign students who wish to undertake postgraduate studies at Mexican Universities and research Institutes in 2012. Potential candidates must first be accepted by the institution of their choice in Mexico. One Scholarship is available for New Zealand students as part of the bilateral programme. The closing date for applications for these programmes is the 18 November 2011. Special programmes and research stays, do not open until 27 January 2012 and close on 30 November of that year. For more information, visit <http://www.sre.gob.mx/becas/> and follow the link 'Scholarships for Foreigners / Convocatoria para Extranjeros'.

### **Korean Foundation Fellowships**

*Closing date: 15 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate / Postdoctoral*

The Korean Foundation is offering postgraduate and postdoctoral fellowship opportunities. If you are interested and require further information, please contact: [c.suh@unsw.edu.au](mailto:c.suh@unsw.edu.au) or the [scholarships@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@waikato.ac.nz).

### **EUCN Postgraduate Scholarships and Research Awards**

*Closing date: 21 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The New Zealand European Union Centres Network invites applications for their scholarship round for the 2011 Academic year. Scholarships are open to post-graduate students at one of the EUCN Partner Universities and whose study focuses on the European Union. There are two different types of EUCN Scholarships available

- **Course Fees Scholarships** of up to NZ\$5,000 used to cover tuition fees charged at an EUC Network Partner University for the course of study being undertaken by the student; and,
- **Research Awards** of up to NZ\$2,000 will be awarded for direct research costs associated with the course of study being undertaken by the student.

Further information and application form is available from [www.eucnetwork.org.nz/activities/scholarships/](http://www.eucnetwork.org.nz/activities/scholarships/).

### **Sarah Beanland Memorial Scholarship**

*Closing date: 20 October 2011*

*Level: Postgraduate*

This doctoral Scholarship shall be awarded to the student who shows that they are likely to make in their career a significant contribution to research of relevance to New Zealand in the fields covered by GNS Science. Possible research areas include geophysics, geology, social science related to geological hazards, geomicrobiology, isotope science, nanotechnology, ion-beams physics, and non-invasive scanning. Evidence is required of collaboration in the research between a GNS Science staff member and the applicant's university. This would normally be demonstrated by a GNS Science staff member being an associate-supervisor, and the student's intent to spend part of each year at GNS Science in Lower Hutt, Wairakei, or Dunedin. The Scholarship has a tenure of up to three years. It offers \$27,000 in stipends, NZ domestic tuition fees, and up to \$4,000 towards other expenses, per annum. Further information can be found at [www.gns.cri.nz/news/fellowships/](http://www.gns.cri.nz/news/fellowships/)

### **Bryant Residential Scholarships**

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Closing date **31 October 2011** and 31 March 2012

Level: School Leaver / Undergraduate

This Scholarship offers the recipient up to \$5,000 to be applied to board and lodgings in Bryant Hall (or if necessary or appropriate, one of the other University halls of residence that better suits the needs of the student). To be accepted, applicants must be intending to study full-time in 2011. Students enrolled in non-degree studies at the University, e.g. Foundation and Bridging programmes will not qualify for a Bryant Residential Scholarship. These Scholarships will be offered to students whose financial or other circumstances make accommodation within a hall of residence environment beneficial to their academic progress in the University.

**Updated** information and application forms will be available from our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) in the near future. In the meantime, the 2011 documents that can be viewed there may help candidates plan their application.

## **Bryant Residential Tutorship Scholarship**

Closing date: 31 October 2011

Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate

This Scholarship is offered to a full-time student in either an undergraduate degree or a graduate or postgraduate programme of study. The recipient will be required to live in one of the University's Halls of Residence, and will be required to offer tutorial assistance within the areas of his / her academic expertise to residents as determined by the Residential Manager of the Hall. This Scholarship is valued at \$3,500, to be applied to the recipient's board and lodgings.

**Updated** information and application forms will be available from our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) in the near future. In the meantime, the 2011 documents that can be viewed there may help candidates plan their application.

## **Hilary Jolly Memorial Scholarship**

**Closing date: no longer 31 October (likely to be early in the new year)**

Level: Graduate / Postgraduate

The Scholarship is open to domestic and international students for applications from full-time masters, or doctoral students in the field of Freshwater Ecology at the University of Waikato. Areas of present staff research include plankton ecology and taxonomy, conservation ecology, ecotoxicology, fish physiology and ecology, invasive species and population genetics. The Scholarship is tenable for up to two years, and has a value of up to \$6,000 p.a. for masters students, and is tenable for up to three years, and has a value of up to \$15,000 p.a. for doctoral students. Further information and application forms can be found on our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).

## **Sir Edmund Hillary Scholarships**

Closing date: 31 October 2011

Levels: Entrance / Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate

The Sir Edmund Hillary Scholarships provide support for students studying at the University of Waikato who also excel in either a sporting code or a creative/performing art. Recipients of this Award receive a full-fees Scholarship, along with access to relevant University and/or community services and facilities, subsidised participation in particular development or training opportunities, and a programme designed to enable students to excel both academically and also in their sporting code or creative/performing art. Further information and application forms can be found on our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).

## **Statistics Fees Scholarship**

Closing date: 31 October 2011

Level: Undergraduate

The Statistics Fees Scholarship is open to applicants who are enrolling in their second or third year of study towards an undergraduate degree with a major in Statistics at the University of Waikato. Successful applicants will usually be intending to enrol in the Faculty of Computing and Mathematical Sciences, although in exceptional circumstances the Selection Panel may consider applicants who are enrolling in a Statistics major through another School or Faculty.

Further information and application forms can be found on our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).

## **University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships**

Closing dates: (Round 1) **31 October 2011** and (Round 2) 30 April 2012

Level: Postgraduate

The University of Waikato Doctoral Scholarships are offered to New Zealand citizens and permanent residents studying, or intending to study for a doctoral degree. Scholarships are awarded on academic merit with a **minimum** grade of A<sup>-</sup> expected for eligibility. These Scholarships have a tenure of up to three years, pay a living allowance of \$22,000 per annum (paid in monthly instalments), and also cover a student's tuition fees for the duration of the Scholarship.

Further information and application forms will be available from our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) in the near future. In the meantime, the 2011 documents that can be viewed there may help candidates plan their application.

### **University of Waikato Masters Research Scholarships**

*Closing date: (Round 1) 31 October 2011 and (Round 2) 30 April 2012*

*Level: Graduate*

These Scholarships are offered to students studying in the final year of their masters degree in order to encourage research at the University of Waikato. This Scholarship has a value of \$12,000, of which \$3,500 is to be applied to tuition fees for the Masters degree. The remaining \$8,500 will be paid out in two payments of \$4,250 in the year of tenure. Applicants are expected to have a minimum of at least an A<sup>-</sup> average.

Further information and application forms will be available from our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) in the near future. In the meantime, the 2011 documents that can be viewed there may help candidates plan their application.

### **Waikato Students' Union John Houstoun Memorial Scholarship**

*Closing date: 31 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

The John Houstoun Memorial Scholarship was established in memory of John Houstoun, former President of the Waikato Students Union, and is awarded to a student who shows both academic diligence, and considerable contribution to the student life and / or cultural and sporting life of the University of Waikato. This award has a value of up to \$2,500. Further information and application forms can be found on our Scholarships website [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships) or in the display racks outside the Scholarships Office, downstairs in the Gateway building (which is located just inside Gate 5 on Hillcrest Road).

### **NZICA Leading Light Scholarships -PhD Scholarships**

*Closing date: 31 October 2011*

*Level: Doctoral*

NZICA is pleased to launch a new scholarship programme for accounting students – NZICA Leading Light Scholarships. The Leading Light Scholarships gives you the chance to set yourself apart and provides a platform to take you anywhere. The purpose of the scholarships is to grow future academics in the accounting profession by nurturing our brightest achievers who will directly contribute knowledge to the New Zealand accounting profession or academic accounting community. To apply you will need to be a NZICA Student Affiliate and committed to the NZICA pathway. NZICA are offering two awards with a value of \$20,000 over a period of three years.

For further information and an application form, visit <http://www.nzica.com/PhDscholarships.aspx>.

### **Canadian Studies Undergraduate Essay Competition**

*Closing date: 31 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The competition recognizes and encourages scholarship in Canadian studies by undergraduate students enrolled in any faculty at universities in Australia and New Zealand. The essay must be on Canada or have a substantial Canadian component (e.g. a comparative study between Canada and another country/region). Entries should aim to demonstrate an understanding of Canada. We welcome entries from across a broad range of faculties, however the competition is especially suited to the humanities and social sciences. The competition has a cash prize of AUD \$1,200. For further information, visit [www.acsanz.org.au/forms/canadianstudies\\_essayprize.pdf](http://www.acsanz.org.au/forms/canadianstudies_essayprize.pdf)

### **ESITO Scholarships**

*Closing date: 31 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate*

Scholarships are now available for electricity supply industry related training for the 2012 academic year. The electricity supply industry is looking for people who can demonstrate a high level of motivation and commitment. These scholarships provide financial assistance, one-to-one industry support, industry site visits and assistance with arrangement for holiday employment where possible. There are a minimum of two scholarships for Maori students, two scholarships for Pacific Island students and two scholarships targeted for women. The value of the scholarships is up to \$3,000. For further information and application form, visit [www.esito.org.nz/career\\_centre/industry/pre-employment\\_scholarships.aspx](http://www.esito.org.nz/career_centre/industry/pre-employment_scholarships.aspx)

### **Mr M & Mrs T Olechnowicz Scholarship**

*Closing date: 31 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

This Scholarship is available to students of Polish origin. The Trustees must be satisfied that the applicant was born in Poland or that at least one of his or her direct ancestors was born in Poland. For this purpose 'born in Poland' means born within the geographical limits of the country known as Poland either at the time of birth, or at 31 December 1921, or at 28 May 1984.

Application forms are available from the Scholarships Office, Victoria University of Wellington, or e-mail them at [Scholarships-Office@vuw.ac.nz](mailto:Scholarships-Office@vuw.ac.nz).

## **PADET Scholarships**

*Closing date: 31 May and 31 October 2011*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

PADET Scholarships are designed to support masters and doctoral students enrolled, or intending to enrol, in research of interest to the Peace and Disarmament Education Trust (PADET), i.e. to advance education and thereby promote international peace, arms control and disarmament. Preference will be given to topics relevant to current New Zealand disarmament and arms control policy. Suggested topics include the following:

- Proliferation control regimes
- Arms control negotiations
- Conflict assessment, management, and resolution
- Political sociology of arms control and disarmament

Scholarships will be awarded for up to \$14,000 for a masters thesis year, and up to \$21,000 per annum for up to two years for a doctoral thesis.

Information and applications forms can be found on [www.dia.govt.nz/padet](http://www.dia.govt.nz/padet).

## **Rosemary Seymour Research & Archives Award**

*Closing date: 31 October 2011*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

In 1974 Rosemary Seymour, a Waikato University sociologist, initiated a newsletter and a network of women interested in women's studies, that evolved into the Women's Studies Association. In 1985 a scholarship fund was established in her memory. The criteria for grants are the quality of the research project, financial need and the relationship between the research project and the aims of the Women's Studies Association. Two awards of \$500 each are available each year; one for which only Maori women may apply; the other open to all women. In some years, the Association has been able to increase the number of awards granted. For further information, visit [www.wsanz.org.nz/awards.html](http://www.wsanz.org.nz/awards.html) or contact [Julie.Benjamin@vodafone.co.nz](mailto:Julie.Benjamin@vodafone.co.nz).

## **Fulbright New Zealand Travel Awards**

*Closing dates: 1 April, 1 July, and 1 November 2011*

*Level: Academics*

These awards are for New Zealand academics, artists or professionals to visit the US for 12 to 90 days in order to present papers at conferences, deliver lectures, collaborate with American colleagues, or visit relevant institutions in the United States. Approximately twelve awards valued at up to NZ\$5,000 are offered each year. Recent grantees have included a postdoctoral chemist and an academic expert in international relations.

Further information is available from Fulbright website [www.fulbright.org.nz](http://www.fulbright.org.nz). If you would like to discuss an application for an award, please contact UoW Scholarships Advisor Gwenda Pennington, [gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Fulbright-Ngā Pae o te Māramatanga Travel Awards in Indigenous Development**

*Closing date 1 April, 1 July, and 1 November 2011*

*Level: Academics*

The Fulbright-Ngā Pae o te Māramatanga Senior Scholar Award is for academics, artists, or professionals with distinction to visit the US for 12 to 90 days in order to present their work to American audiences. Travel Award exchanges must include at least one major presentation, which fit within one of Ngā Pae o te Māramatanga's [research themes](#). Grantees are encouraged to maximise the impact of their award by supplementing their main proposed activity with others including additional public talks, collaboration with American colleagues, visits to sites of interest, etc. These Awards are **not** intended principally for research trips.

Further information is available from Fulbright website [www.fulbright.org.nz](http://www.fulbright.org.nz). If you would like to discuss an application for an award, please contact UoW Scholarships Advisor Gwenda Pennington, [gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Fulbright Specialist Awards**

*Closing dates: 1 April, 1 July, and 1 November 2011*

*Level: Academics*

These awards are for New Zealand academic institutions to host US academics, artists or professionals for lectures, seminars, workshops, conferences or symposiums for two to six weeks. Approximately six awards valued at up to NZ\$8,400 (plus travel expenses) are offered each year. Recent hosts of Fulbright Specialists have included the University of Auckland, who hosted HIV/AIDS expert Cynthia Poindexter from Fordham University, and the University of Otago, who hosted medical ethics expert Associate Professor Van McCrary from Stony Brook University Medical Center.

Further information is available from the Fulbright website [www.fulbright.org.nz/](http://www.fulbright.org.nz/). If you would like to discuss an application for an award, please contact UoW Scholarships Advisor Gwenda Pennington, [gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:gwenda@waikato.ac.nz) in the Scholarships Office **before** applying.

## **Scholarships with varying or no set application dates**

### **Building Research Scholarships (BRANZ)**

*No set closing date:*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

Building Research offers funding to assist students with outstanding academic credentials to research in fields which are deemed to be of importance to the construction sector. Details on areas which they are currently funding, such as Economics and Technology, can be found on their website ([http://www.branz.co.nz/cms\\_display.php?sn=72&st=1&pg=1259](http://www.branz.co.nz/cms_display.php?sn=72&st=1&pg=1259)).

There is no set closing date: for these awards; applications are accepted at any time.

### **Canadian Studies Awards**

*Closing dates vary*

The Canadian Studies Program funds research and teaching in Canadian studies. The term 'Canadian studies' is defined as research in the humanities or social sciences which aims at a better understanding of Canadian society and or culture. Purely scientific subjects and proposals that focus exclusively on technological or methodological issues are not eligible.

Awards include the following:

- **ICCS Graduate Students Scholarship**

***Closing date: 30 September***

The International Council for Canadian Studies (ICCS) offers up to ten grants worldwide to masters and doctoral candidates to undertake thesis-related research on Canada at a Canadian university for 4-6 weeks.

- **Canadian Studies Internships**

Teaching or research internships (assistantships) of 1-3 months duration at a Canadian or foreign university with a Canadian Studies Program. Applicants must have completed a doctoral degree on a topic primarily related to Canada, and not be employed in a full-time university teaching position.

- **International Research Linkages (IRL)**

This programme aims to promote and facilitate international collaborative research between research teams from Canada and (one or more) countries where Canadian Studies are represented.

- **The Canada-Asia-Pacific Award in Canadian Studies (CAPA)**

Aimed at promoting the understanding of bilateral and multilateral relations between Canada and the Asia-Pacific, this award assists scholars in higher education institutions or research and policy planning institutes in the Asia-Pacific region to undertake short-term research, including collaborative research.

- **ACSANZ Postgraduate Travel Award**

***Closing date: 30 September***

Up to five grants are awarded each year to postgraduate students for a short research trip to Canada. Research must be related to the student's thesis topic and in Canadian Studies.

- **ICCS Canadian Studies Postdoctoral Fellowship**

***Closing date: 30 September***

This programme enables Canadian and foreign academics who have completed a doctoral thesis on a topic primarily related to Canada to visit a Canadian or foreign university with a Canadian Studies program for a teaching or research fellowship. Fellowships are for a minimum of one month and a maximum of three months. Applicants must not be employed in a full-time university teaching position and must agree not to accept honoraria or salary during their fellowships. The grant will be C\$2,500 per month plus the cost a return airline ticket.

- **ICCS Best Doctoral Thesis in Canadian Studies**

***Closing date: 30 September***

This ICCS Award is designed to recognize and promote each year an outstanding PhD thesis on a Canadian topic.

Detailed information about the above-mentioned programmes, and application forms, can be found on the Association of Canadian Studies in Australia and New Zealand (ACSANZ) website: <http://acsanz.org.au>.

### **Catherine and Stanley Tong Law Scholarship**

*Closing date: all year round*

This Scholarship has been established by a former New Zealand Law Society President and his wife and is intended principally to assist students who struggle financially to pursue legal studies but who are otherwise diligent and who deserve to qualify as lawyers.

For further information contact your Faculty of Law Administration or Hugh Fulton, Box 5577, AUCKLAND 1141.

## East-West Center Affiliate Scholar Program

*Application dates vary*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The East-West Center (EWC) in Hawaii offers a range of awards and research opportunities including the East-West Center Affiliate Scholar Program and the Asia Pacific Leadership Program. For more information, visit the Center's website [www.eastwestcenter.org/](http://www.eastwestcenter.org/).

## English language assistantships

*Closing dates vary*

English language teaching assistantships are particularly suitable for students of all disciplines (under 30 years of age, with at least a basic level of French) who wish to spend time (e.g. carrying out research) in France, New Caledonia, French Polynesia or Wallis. Duties consist of assisting a local English teacher for 12 hours a week. No prior teaching experience is required. The application period varies according to destination. It runs from October to January for France and French Polynesia, and from June to August for New Caledonia and Wallis. Contact <http://www.ielanguages.com/assistant.html> for further details.

## Fulbright Scholar Awards

*Closing dates vary*

Fulbright New Zealand offers a range of awards for scholars and professionals to engage in research, to teach and / or to gain professional experience in the US. Further information is available from the Fulbright website (<http://www.fulbright.org.nz/>). If you would like to discuss an application please contact UoW Scholarships Advisor Gwenda Pennington ([Gwenda@waikato.ac.nz](mailto:Gwenda@waikato.ac.nz) or 858 5195) **before** applying. Details of any awards with upcoming Closing dates can be found elsewhere in the Update.

## German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Scholarships for New Zealand

*Closing dates vary*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate / Academics*

### Please send all scholarship applications to:

Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany

PO Box 1687

WELLINGTON 6140

Email: [info@wellington.diplo.de](mailto:info@wellington.diplo.de)

Internet: [www.wellington.diplo.de](http://www.wellington.diplo.de)

- Applicants are generally expected to be NZ nationals; foreign nationals may be eligible if they are permanent residents of New Zealand. Temporary residents need to prove that they have been long-term residents of New Zealand for at least six years and that they intend to remain in New Zealand for the foreseeable future. If you are not a New Zealand national or if you have lived less than six years in New Zealand, please click here for a list of addresses of DAAD Representatives in your region.
- The previous age limits have been lifted and have been replaced by a career stage model.
- Applicants, who have been resident in Germany for longer than one year at the time of application, cannot be considered.
- You will find more detailed information on scholarships and funding on the DAAD website: [www.funding-guide.de](http://www.funding-guide.de), and especially for NZ in our leaflet.
- Detailed information on what application papers need to be submitted can be found on the application form which can be obtained from the download site.

### Research Grants for University Academics and Scientists

These grants and scholarships aim to provide academics and scientists working in higher education or at research institutes with an opportunity to carry out a research project at a state (public) or state-recognised higher education institution or non-university research institute in Germany.

- **Duration:** 1-3 months
- **Application Deadlines:**  
30 September for grants to run from February of the following year.  
31 March for grants to run from August.

#### Detailed information:

<http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=39&fachrichtung=16&land=33&status=4&seite=1&daad=0>

**Application form:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html>

### University Winter Courses

The DAAD offers students a grant for a six-week "German Regional Studies Winter Course" at the Universities of Essen, Freiburg, Leipzig or Berlin/FUBIS in January/February. This program is designed for undergraduate and graduate students with a sound knowledge of German and some background in German Studies who are interested in improving their language skills and understanding of contemporary affairs.

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- **Duration:** Courses last six weeks and are offered in the German winter months.
- **Application deadline:** 15 August
- **Detailed Information:**  
<http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=537&fachrichtung=7&land=33&status=1&seite=1&daad=0>

### Study Scholarships for Graduates of All Disciplines

Graduates of all disciplines can apply for a scholarship to complete a postgraduate or Master's degree course at a German higher education institution and to gain a degree in Germany (Master's/Diploma).

- **Duration:** 10-24 months
- **Application deadline:** 1 September each year for a period beginning either in April or October of the following year.
- The DAAD will pay an appropriate flat-rate travel allowance.
- Applications from New Zealand for study scholarships are generally expected to be able to prove that they have a basic knowledge of German at the time of application.
- **Detailed Information:**  
<http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=42&fachrichtung=11&land=33&status=2&seite=1&daad=0>
- **Application Form:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html>

### Research Grants for Doctoral Candidates, Young Academics and Scientists

Research grants provide young academics and scientists with an opportunity to carry out a research project or a course of continuing education at a German university or non-university research institute.

- **Duration:** 1-12 months, scholarships may be extended up to 24 months.
- **Application deadlines for research grants for projects of up to six months:**  
 30 September for research grants to run from February of the following year.  
 31 March for research grants to run from August.
- **Application deadline for research grants for projects of more than six months:**  
 1 September.
- Applicants from New Zealand for research grants are generally expected to be able to prove that they have a basic knowledge of German at the time of application
- **Detailed Information:**  
<http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=7&fachrichtung=2&land=33&status=3&seite=1&daad=0>
- **Application Form:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html>

The **Alexander von Humboldt Association** also provides different types of research funding for excellently qualified New Zealand researchers from postdoctoral level onwards: <http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/sponsorship.html>

### Study Visits/Study Seminars and Practicals in Germany

This programme aims to provide students with subject-related knowledge by arranging appropriate visits, tours and information, meetings or by organising subject-related seminars and practical courses, as well as to give students a greater understanding of and insight into economic, political and cultural life in Germany.

- **Duration:** 7-12 days
- **Application deadlines:**  
 1 November for trips to commence from 1 March the following year.  
 1 February for trips to commence from 1 June.  
 1 May for trips to commence from 1 September.
- **Detailed Information:**  
<http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=15&fachrichtung=2&land=25&status=1&seite=1>
- **Application Form:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html>

The study visits program aims to help foreign students, visiting Germany under the guidance of a lecturer, make contacts in their specific academic field and gain a knowledge of Germany.

### Scholarship Program for Artists

Study scholarships aim to provide foreign applicants from the field of Fine Arts, Design, Film, Music and Architecture with an opportunity to complete a course of extension studies at a state institution of higher education in Germany, without gaining a formal degree or qualification.

- **Duration:** 1 academic year, scholarships may be extended.
- **Application deadline:** 1 September each year
- The DAAD will pay an appropriate flat-rate travel allowance

- **Detailed Information:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=40&fachrichtung=8&land=33&status=2&seite=1&daad=0>
- **Application Form:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html>

### Re-Invitation Program for Former Scholarship Holders

The Re-invitation Program helps the DAAD maintain contacts with its former one-year scholarship holders and with former scholarship holders who have studied in East Germany (GDR) for at least one year. Former scholarship holders meeting these requirements can apply for re-invitation to Germany to complete a research or work project at a state higher education institution or non-university research institute.

- **Application deadlines:**  
30 September each year for a period as of February of the following year.  
31 March each year to run from August.
- No international travel costs paid by the DAAD
- **Detailed Information:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/foerderung/stipendiendatenbank/00462.en.html?detailid=38&fachrichtung=16&land=33&status=4&seite=1&daad=0>
- **Application Form:** <http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html>

The DAAD also supports German guest lecturers from all disciplines contributing to courses at universities in New Zealand (4 weeks up to six months): <http://www.daad.de/ausland/lehren-im-ausland/dozenten/00686.de.html> and guest speakers from German universities delivering papers at conferences in New Zealand: <http://www.daad.de/ausland/foerderungsmoeglichkeiten/ausschreibungen/11450.de.html>

Please also visit: <http://www.daad.de/stipendien/en/index.html?land=33> for New Zealand-specific Information on the DAAD Scholarship Programmes 2010/2011.

Further information and advice is available from:

Dr Yannick Müllender  
DAAD Office  
c/- Department of German and Slavonic Studies  
The University of Auckland  
Private Bag 92019  
Auckland, New Zealand  
Email: [daad@auckland.ac.nz](mailto:daad@auckland.ac.nz)

### Further Information on the Promotion of International Student, Academic and Research Exchanges (Scholarships):

<http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/diplo/en/Infoservice/FAQ/Studium/02-Stipendien.html>  
[http://ec.europa.eu/education/programmes/mundus/index\\_en.html](http://ec.europa.eu/education/programmes/mundus/index_en.html)

## Golden Key Awards

*Closing dates vary*

The Golden Key organization offers a wide array of awards **exclusively for Golden Key members**. Further details about these awards and the application process can be found at [www.goldenkey.org](http://www.goldenkey.org).

## LEARN Fellowships

*No set closing date:*

The Livestock Emissions & Abatement Research Network (LEARN) is an international research network focused upon improving the understanding of greenhouse gas emissions from livestock agriculture. The Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry offers up to nine New Zealand LEARN Fellowships per annum for **scientists or technicians from developing countries** to work in New Zealand in the area of Livestock Emissions Research.

The objectives of the network are to improve the quantification of non-CO<sub>2</sub> greenhouse gas emissions from animal agriculture at all scales, and to facilitate the development of cost effective and practical greenhouse gas mitigation solutions.

There are two separate categories available. These are **LEARN Work Trainee Awards** (tenure up to six months) and **LEARN Postdoctoral Fellowships** (tenure up to twelve months). There is no set application close date for the Fellowships, instead they are dealt with on a case by case basis by MAF's advisory panel. It is expected that the majority of applications/nominations will be from/for individuals who have already established links with researchers at the NZ host institution/organisation. All candidates must be registered members of the LEARN Network, and may register at [www.livestockemissions.net](http://www.livestockemissions.net). The terms and conditions and application form can be downloaded from the Education New Zealand (ENZ) website [www.newzealandeducated.com/scholarships](http://www.newzealandeducated.com/scholarships).

## **Ngā Pae o te Māramatanga Bridging Grants**

*No set closing date:*

*Level: Postgraduate*

In the past, Ngā Pae o te Māramatanga has provided a number of Doctoral Bridging Grants to support Māori scholars from New Zealand tertiary institutions during the following stages of transition:

- Doctoral candidates who have submitted a thesis for examination; and
- Scholars who have successfully completed the requirements for a doctoral degree.

Students who may be eligible are advised to check the website ([www.mai.ac.nz](http://www.mai.ac.nz)) regularly for latest funding news.

## **NZICA - Travel Grants**

*No set closing date:*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The applicant must be currently enrolled in an approved New Zealand tertiary education institute undertaking a PhD that directly contributes knowledge to the New Zealand accounting profession or benefits the New Zealand business environment. The Award funds may be used in New Zealand or overseas for travel expenses relating to:

- Undertaking research, data collection or further study or
- The presentation of a paper(s) at a conference or
- Facilitating or serving as a participant at a conference session or
- Attending a conference or workshop

For further information, visit [www.nzica.com](http://www.nzica.com) and follow the links 'About Us' and 'Recognition' to 'Awards and Scholarships'.

## **TeachNZ Scholarships**

*Closing dates vary*

*Level: School Leavers / Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

TeachNZ Scholarships are targeted at areas of priority for teacher supply, in order to meet increasing demand for teachers in some areas over the next ten years. TeachNZ states that the following areas have been identified: early childhood teachers, Māori-medium teachers, secondary teachers of specific subjects, and teachers in rural areas. These Scholarships are available for New Zealand citizens and permanent residents only. Further information and application forms are available from <http://www.teachnz.govt.nz/scholarships>.