

WMS International Exchange Scholarship Regulations



THE UNIVERSITY OF
WAIKATO
Te Whare Wānanga o Waikato

These Scholarships have been established to enhance awareness of, and foster interest in, exchange programmes offered by the University of Waikato. Up to ten Scholarships are awarded each year to encourage students to participate in exchange programmes; provide financial support to students approved for exchange programmes; and, promote exchange destinations most relevant for management:

1. Eligibility

1.1. A candidate must:

- 1.1.1. have completed at least one year of study at the Waikato Management School;
- 1.1.2. have been accepted into a University of Waikato exchange programme;
- 1.1.3. have applied to recommended institutions (see appendix A);
- 1.1.4. be a citizen or permanent resident of New Zealand; and,
- 1.1.5. be a full-time student at the Waikato Management School.

2. Value

2.1. The values of the Scholarships (in NZD) are as follows:

- 2.1.1. Europe \$2,500;
- 2.1.2. USA, Canada, and Mexico \$2,000; and,
- 2.1.3. Asia \$1,500.

3. Application

3.1. The deadlines for applications are **22 March 2019 (extended)** for B Semester 2019 exchanges and **15 September 2019** for A Semester 2020 exchanges.

3.2. When completing the online Scholarship application, each applicant must:

- download, complete, and upload the Personal Statement form that includes (but is not limited to) the following subheadings:
 - exchange details
 - benefits of exchange
 - career aspirations; and,
 - international experience.
- upload a brief CV (of no more than three pages in length).

4. Selection Criteria

4.1. The awards are offered on the basis of:

- academic performance;
- perceived benefits of the exchange programme; and
- reasons for choosing a particular institution and/or country.

- 4.2. Preference will be given to students who have achieved a minimum of A- grade average in the last two semesters.

5. Selection Panel

- 5.1. The Selection Panel will comprise the Waikato Management School's Dean, Associate Dean International, Student Centre Manager, and Scholarships Committee member (or nominees).
- 5.2. The Selection Panel may refrain from making a recommendation if it finds no candidate of sufficient merit.
- 5.3. All applicants will be advised of the outcome of their application.
- 5.4. The Selection Panel's decision is final and no further correspondence will be entered into following the selection meeting.

6. Awarding

- 6.1. Successful applicants will be advised of the offer of a Scholarship within six weeks of the closing date.
- 6.2. The offer of a Scholarship must be accepted by the date indicated in the letter of offer. If a candidate declines a Scholarship, or does not take it up, the Selection Panel may offer the Scholarship to another applicant.
- 6.3. A Scholarship shall be taken up in the semester for which it is offered.
- 6.4. Any exception or variation to these arrangements must be approved by the Selection Panel.

7. Other Conditions

- 7.1. The Scholarship may be held with any other bursary, scholarship or award, provided that the regulations of the other award allow this.
- 7.2. The Scholarships Committee may terminate an Award at any time, and recoup any funds disbursed, if the holder withdraws from the University during the tenure of the Award, brings the University into disrepute¹, or is otherwise not complying with the regulations governing the Award.
- 7.3. The holder of a Scholarship shall have the right to appeal to the Education Committee against any decision to terminate the award.
- 1.1. By accepting a Scholarship, a recipient agrees to participate in any publicity concerning the Scholarship arranged by the University of Waikato.

¹ See [Student Code of Conduct](#)

Appendix A

Recommended Institutions for International Exchange Scholarships are listed below. This list will be updated from time to time:

Country/Area	Institution
Canada	University of Calgary
	University of Calgary – Haskayne Business School
	University of Victoria
	University of Ottawa
	University of Windsor
China	Renmin University of China
	Shanghai International Studies University
	Tongji University
	Wuhan University
Denmark	Aalborg University
France	EDHEC Business School
	Kedge Business School
	University of La Rochelle
Germany	University of Bremen
	German Sport University Cologne
	University of Münste
	WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management
Hong Kong	Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)
Japan	Kansai Gaidai University
	Senshu University
	International Christian University (ICU)
	Miyazaki Municipal University
Korea	Yonsei University
	Kookmin University
Malaysia	University of Malaya
Mexico	Universidad de las Americas, Puebla (UDLA)
Netherlands	Maastricht University – University College Maastricht
	Maastricht University - School of Business and Economic
	Maastricht University - University College Maastricht
	Rotterdam School of Management
Norway	Norwegian School of Economics (NHH)
	University of Bergen
Singapore	Nanyang Technological University
Spain	University of Alicante
Sweden	Jonkoping International Business School
	Stockholm University
Taiwan	National Chengchi University
United Kingdom	Cardiff University
	Lancaster University
	University of Strathclyde Business School

USA	University of California (Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Riverside, San Diego, Los Angeles, Santa Cruz, Santa Barbara)
	University of Hawai'i at Hilo
	University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
	University of Montana
	University of North Carolina-Wilmington
	Rowan University
	Iowa State University
	University of Utah
	Arizona State University