SCHOOL OF GRADUATE RESEARCH – CONTACT DETAILS

Website:  
www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships

Website will have advice about:
- searching and applying for scholarships
- on-line applications
- Find useful links to national and international funding websites

Facebook:

Location:  
W Block - W.G.61
(Te Mata Kairangi School of Graduate Research)

HANDY HINT:

It sometimes happens that a reference letter is still missing at the scholarship application deadline.

For most scholarships, reference letters can still be submitted in the four days that follow the closing date.

So, if you know that a reference is missing, don’t make the mistake of abandoning your scholarship application!

Submit your application, and then remind your referee that they need to submit their letter urgently to scholarships@waikato.ac.nz as per the application instructions.

SCHOLARSHIPS OF THE MONTH

Freemasons Postgraduate Scholarships (see note below)

Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate

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- Show leadership potential.

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Closing date 1 October 2018

Level: Undergraduate / Graduate

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- Be female students over the age of 18 years.
- Have been a New Zealand citizen for at least 10 years or hold New Zealand Permanent Residence or hold a current New Zealand Residency Class Visa and have been a citizen of United Kingdom, Canada, United States of America or Australia for at least 10 years.
- Have enrolled, or been accepted to enrol, in a full time degree majoring in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) at an approved NZQA accredited tertiary provider in New Zealand for the next academic year.
- Be eligible to obtain and keep a national security clearance.

For further information and to apply, visit https://www.gcsb.govt.nz/working-for-us/gcsb-women-in-stem-scholarship/
The Hamilton Club Scholarship in Health
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Undergraduate (2nd year or above) / Graduate
The Scholarship was established to support students enrolled full-time in either a graduate degree or the second year or above of an undergraduate degree in a health-related area in any faculty at the University of Waikato. Up to two undergraduate Scholarships or one graduate Scholarship will be awarded annually, to the value of up to $5,000 (undergraduate) or up to $10,000 (graduate).
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Otumoetai Trust Undergraduate Scholarship
Closing date: 15 October 2018
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HOPE-SELWYN Scholarship in Ageing Research
Closing date: 31 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
The HOPE Foundations aim is to support researchers who are conducting research into ageing. The value of the Scholarship is up to $6,000 and will be awarded annually. Applications will be accepted from a wide range of disciplines in line with the HOPE Foundation’s philosophy of encouraging eclectic research into ageing and its effect on individuals in society.
Further information and an online application form, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships
University of Waikato Research Masters Scholarships
Closing date: 31 October 2018 (Round One) and 30 April 2019 (Round 2)
Level: Graduate
These Scholarships are offered to full-time students, normally studying in the final or only year of their master’s degree. These Scholarships are designed to encourage research, especially in the form of a 90 ($12,000 of which $4,500 is applied to tuition fees) or 120-point thesis ($15,000 of which $4,500 is applied to tuition fees), at the University of Waikato. Applicants are expected to have a minimum of at least an A- average.
For further information and online application form, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships

University of Waikato Taught Postgraduate Scholarship
Closing date: 31 October 2018 (Round One) and 30 April 2019 (Round 2)
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
This Scholarship supports part- and full-time domestic and international students studying at the University of Waikato. This award supports coursework rather than research papers.
International applicants are required to have completed at least 120-points at any New Zealand University.
Candidates are expected to be undertaking 500-level studies in one of the following:
- An Honours degree (normally of one year’s duration), undertaken after graduation with a Bachelor degree
- The year(s) in which 500-level papers are undertaken towards a multi-year Honours degree
- The taught components of any Master degree. Any papers required for the qualification, including 30- or 60-point dissertation.
- A Postgraduate Diploma or Postgraduate Certificate.
The awards will be determined on academic merit. Preference will be given to students on a pathway to research.
For further information and online application form, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships

SCHOLARSHIPS TO WATCH FOR
Golden Plover Wetland Research Award
Closing date: 1 November 2018
Level: Graduate
This $1,000 award is open for applications from students at any university in New Zealand who are researching any aspect of the ecology or management of wetlands at honours or masters level. Applicants may be studying either part- or full-time to be eligible for the Award, and should be New Zealand citizens or permanent residents.
For further information and online application form, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships

The LIC Patrick Shannon Honours / Masterate Scholarships
Closing date: 28 November 2018
Level: Undergraduate / Graduate
The Livestock Improvement Corporation (LIC) offers grants to outstanding mathematics/statistics, machine learning or science students at an honours and masters level. The values of the Scholarships depend on the level of the recipient; honours students (in their fourth year) receive $5,000 for the year or tenure, while masters students receive $10,000 (in instalments).
For further information and the online application form, visit the http://lic.snaphire.com (scholarships tab) or email kbrown@lic.co.nz with any enquiries.
The Golden Key International Honour Society Waikato Chapter

We are one of two Chapters of Golden Key in New Zealand, our society recognises and promotes Academic excellence in over 400 Universities worldwide. The Waikato Chapter is involved with volunteer work, academic improvement and fostering leadership skills.

As a Golden Key member you have access to a variety of scholarships throughout the year, these can be applied for via this link http://www.goldenkey.org/scholarships-awards/listing/

For more information about our chapter and activities planned for B Semester, please go to our Facebook page http://www.facebook.com/GoldenKeyWaikato or email (Vice-President) at info@waikato.goldenkey.org.nz.
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.

**Bing’s Scholarship (UNZ)**
*Closing date: 1 October 2018*
*Level: Graduate*
This $2,000 Scholarship is offered to support postgraduate students who, in 2018, will be in their thesis year of their Master’s degree, to carry out research in the fields of medicine, veterinary science, agriculture, psychology, psychiatry or theology.
Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website www.universitiesnz.ac.nz.
Prospective applicants should contact **scholarships@waikato.ac.nz** before applying.

**D.V. Bryant Trust University of Waikato Residential Scholarships**
*Closing date: 1 October 2018 and 7 March 2019*
*Level: School Leaver*
This Scholarship offers the recipient up to $10,000 to be applied to board and lodgings in either Bryant Hall or Student Village. Applicants must be intending to study full-time (a full-time academic year comprises of 120-points) in 2019. These Scholarships will be offered to students in financial hardship, which make accommodation within a hall of residence environment beneficial to their academic progress at University.
For further information and online application, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships.

**Claude McCarthy Fellowship – Category A (UNZ)**
*Closing dates: Round 1 – 1 April 2019; Round 2 – 1 October 2018*
*Level: Postgraduate*
Fellowships support overseas travel for short periods to: present research work at conferences, and/or conduct research.
Applicants will be doctoral candidates at a New Zealand University. They can be international or domestic, but must already have a New Zealand tertiary qualification and must have been already enrolled in their doctoral study for at least one year at the time of application.
Round 1 [April closing date] applicants will be travelling between July and December in the year of application.
Round 2 [October closing date] applicants will be travelling between January and June in the year after application.
Applications for overseas conference attendance will be enhanced if combined with plans for overseas research activities.
Funding will not normally exceed $5,000.
Fellows must use the funds whilst registered for a doctoral degree or, at the latest, within four months of the submission of their thesis.
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**Dan Watkins Scholarship in Weed Science (NZPPS)**
*Closing date: 1 October 2018*
*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 [https://nzpps.org/awards/dan-watkins/](https://nzpps.org/awards/dan-watkins/) or by contacting the secretary **secretary@nzpps.org**
Edward and Isabel Kidson Scholarships (UNZ)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Graduate
Three scholarships are awarded annually. 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. The value of the scholarship is $6,000 pa for up to three years.
Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website (www.universitiesnz.ac.nz). Prospective applicants should contact scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

Freemasons Postgraduate Scholarships
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Freyberg Scholarships (New Zealand Defence Scholarships) (UNZ)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
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 New Zealand or an Asia-Pacific country, including Canada and the United States. Preference may be given to applicants who have enrolled to study defence or strategic studies at a New Zealand university or 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 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. Prospective applicants should contact scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

GCSB Women in STEM Scholarship
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Level: Graduate
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For further information and to apply, visit https://www.gcsb.govt.nz/working-for-us/gcsb-women-in-stem-scholarship/

Henry Kelsey Research Scholarships (UNZ)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
The purpose of this 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 three years for PhD study.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website www.universitiesnz.ac.nz. Prospective applicants should contact scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

New Zealand Plant Protection Society Research Scholarship (NZPPS)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
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 https://nzpps.org/awards/research-scholarship/ or by contacting the secretary secretary@nzpps.org.

Pukehou Poutū Scholarships (UNZ)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Postgraduate
This Scholarship shall be tenable in any university in New Zealand for postgraduate study in either agricultural or silvicultural science. The value of the one-year Scholarship will be changed from time to time by the Universities NZ; the current maximum value is $10,000.

Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website www.universitiesnz.ac.nz. Prospective applicants should contact scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.
Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund (SYLFF)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
The Ryiochi Sasakawa Young Leaders’ Fellowships are offered annually from the proceeds of a very generous endowment received from the Nippon Foundation (known as the Sasakawa Foundation). The purpose of the programme is to provide the opportunity to study at any New Zealand University for graduate students at the research stage of their programmes, who have displayed potential for future leadership in national, regional and international affairs.
For further information, visit:  http://www.massey.ac.nz/massey/admission/scholarships-bursaries-awards/other-scholarships/sasakawa/young-leaders-fund/young-leaders-fund_home.cfm
For any enquiries, please email sylff@massey.ac.nz

Spark Scholarship (UNZ)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
Level: Undergraduate
The Spark Scholarship is for women studying or planning on studying for a Bachelor’s degree in a technology-related discipline at a New Zealand University. Each scholarship carries an award of up to $5,000, for up to three years.
Further information and application forms are available from the UNZ website (www.universitiesnz.ac.nz).
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The Prince of Wales Cambridge International Scholarship (UNZ)
Closing date: 1 October 2018
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.
Prospective applicants should contact the Scholarships Office before applying scholarships@waikato.ac.nz.

Altrusa International Inc of Cambridge Scholarship Award
Closing date: 10 October 2018
Level: Undergraduate/Graduate/Postgraduate
The scholarship is intended to provide financial assistance to students from the Cambridge district for tertiary training or education. The scholarship is to help with fees and the purchase of course materials.
For an application pack, please collect from: Joan Lawrence, House of Travel, Victoria Street, Cambridge or email scholarships@waikato.ac.nz.
For any enquiries, phone Janet (07)827 5590 or email janetbrucemccomb@gmail.com

The Tourism Industry New Zealand Trust (TINZT)
Closing date: 11 October 2018
Level: Undergraduate
The Tourism Industry New Zealand Trust (TINZT) is delighted to invite your tourism students to apply for a Tourism Academic Scholarship to help complete their final year of tourism-related tertiary study and prepare them for a fantastic career in tourism. The Trust is awarding up to two tourism scholarships, valued at $4000 each, which includes a $2500 payment towards their final year of tuition fees and attendance (including travel) to Wellington for the Tourism Summit Aotearoa and an industry connection day. Students wanting to apply should complete the application form, including a written submission (maximum 300 words) explaining their interest in working in the tourism industry. Short-listed candidates will be interviewed by the TINZT Scholarship Panel. The TINZT scholarships are open to New Zealand citizens and permanent residents who are currently completing a tourism-related course of study at an NZQA accredited tertiary institution within New Zealand and are moving in to their final year of study in 2019. For further information and to apply, visit http://www.tinzt.org.nz/tinzt-tourism-academic-scholarships/

NEW NASA Internships and New Zealand Space Agency Scholarships NEW
Closing date: 12 October 2018
Level: School Leaver
The New Zealand Space Agency invites high-performing New Zealand tertiary students to apply to participate in the NASA International Internship Programme from June to August 2019. To complement this opportunity, the New Zealand Space Agency is offering the New Zealand Space Scholarship.
The NASA International Internship Programme is an opportunity for New Zealand tertiary students to work collaboratively on research with a NASA mentor. The programme will take place at NASA’s Ames Research Centre in Silicon Valley, California from June to August 2019 and is designed to enhance your international and intercultural understanding and skills by working on NASA research or NASA related mission or project.
Opportunities for collaboration with a diverse range of other interns will be provided both in formal and informal settings. For further information and to apply, visit https://www.mbie.govt.nz/info-services/sectors-industries/space/new-zealand-space-agency/nasa-internship

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AVOCO Tertiary Scholarship
Closing date: 15 October 2018
Level: Undergraduate
AVOCO is excited to announce a new scholarship available for the 2019 tertiary year and is now inviting applications. With around 700 grower suppliers, AVOCO is New Zealand’s largest and leading avocado export group responsible for more than 60% of the industry’s national crop, exporting this superfood to customers in Australia and countries across the Asian market arena. The Scholarship has a value of up to $5,000 towards tuition fees, prospective summer holiday work and mentoring and support from the AVOCO community. Your studies must include a subject related to:
- Fruit production
- Plant protection, Entomology
- Biosecurity, biochemistry, Biological Science
- Post-harvest technology and treatment
- New Technologies with potential relevance to horticulture
For further information and to apply, emails scholarships@waikato.ac.nz

Ngā Taonga Mātauranga o Ngā Pou Mana Awards
Closing date: 19 October 2018
Level: Undergraduate/Postgraduate
PHARMAC, in conjunction with Ngā Pou Mana Māori Allied Health Professionals (NPM) established the “Ngā Taonga Mātauranga o Ngā Pou Mana Awards” in recognition of the positive impact Māori Allied Health Professionals have on Whānau, hapū and Iwi.
The awards are to support Māori Allied Health workforce development, to continue studies and to grow professional and cultural practice. The awards will provide much needed tautoko and manaaki for Māori kaimahi to continue their ongoing development. The awards will be run annually and will be presented at the Ngā Pou Mana Māori Allied Health Professionals Hui-ā-Tau/Conference each year.
“Ngā Taonga Mātauranga o Ngā Pou Mana” awards will be offered in THREE categories.
Category One – Ngā Pou Mana Kete Tuauri for Undergraduates $2,000
The Pou Mana kete that holds the knowledge of ritual, memory and prayer. This award is open to those studying in undergraduate allied health pathways.

**Category Two – Ngā Pou Mana Kete Aronui for Postgraduates $2,500**
The Pou Mana kete that holds the knowledge that helps mankind. This award is open to those studying at postgraduate level in allied health pathways.

**Category Three – Ngā Pou Mana Mātauranga Māori $3,000**
The Pou Mana award which helps learning the knowledge of things Māori. This award is open to any Māori allied health professionals, students, associates and affiliates, who are entering into study or are in study to build their understanding of Te Ao Māori. Students do not have to be studying in an allied health pathway, but must be members of Ngā Pou Mana, working or studying in Māori and/or health related fields.

For further information, visit [www.ngapoumana.org.nz](http://www.ngapoumana.org.nz)

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**Milford Community Charitable Trust**

*Closing date: 26 October 2018*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The Trustees invite applications from people within the Milford area seeking grants to enable them to undertake a tertiary or vocational education programme or a life skills course. Applicants must either:

- Be former pupils of the Milford School
- Or your parents must be former pupils of Milford School
- Residents of Milford district as defined by the district boundaries decided by the Trustees


**Australian Federation of Graduate Women: – Canberra Accommodation Bursary**

*Closing date: TBC*

*Level: Graduate*

The Australian Federation of Graduate Women – ACT Incorporated offers residential accommodation for up to four weeks at the Australian National University, Canberra. The award is open to a woman graduate or final-year honours student from a university or tertiary institute in Australia, New Zealand, Papua-New Guinea or the South Pacific. The award is open to women of any age who wish to carry out some short research project, in any field, which will benefit from a short stay in Canberra, to use a particular library or museum collection or special scientific equipment. Preference may be given to applicants who are members of an affiliate of Graduate Women International. The Bursary will be available during 2 to 31 January 2018.

For further information and an application form, please email scholarships@waikato.ac.nz

**Bio-Protection Research Centre – Summer Scholarship**

*Closing date: 31 October 2018*

*Level: Undergraduate*

Every year the Bio-Protection Research Centre offers summer scholarships for undergraduate students who are enrolled in a Bachelor’s degree at a New Zealand University. These scholarships are generally available for study at Lincoln University, Massey University of the University of Auckland. Scholarships usually start at the end of November and students are paid up to $6,000 for 10 weeks’ work. For 2018 the scholarships are available at Auckland University, Canterbury University, Lincoln University, Massey and Otago University. Applicants must be enrolled at a tertiary institute in New Zealand for a Bachelor’s degree.

For further information, visit [http://bioprotection.org.nz/about-us/students/summer-scholarships](http://bioprotection.org.nz/about-us/students/summer-scholarships) where you will find the link to Scholarship project details and application advertised in our vacancies in August.

**HOPE-SELYWN Scholarship in Ageing Research**

*Closing date: 31 October 2018*

*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

The HOPE Foundations aim is to support researchers who are conducting research into ageing. The value of the Scholarship is up to $6,000 and will be awarded annually. Applications will be accepted from a wide range of disciplines in line with the HOPE Foundation’s philosophy of encouraging eclectic research into ageing and its effect on individuals in society.

Further information and an online application form, visit [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships).
June Opie Fellowship
Closing date: 31 October 2018
Level: Graduate/Postgraduate
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.

Marion Cunningham Memorial Fund
Closing date: 31 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
Marion Cunningham provided a bequest to the Wildlife Society of the NZVA with the wish that it be used to promote work on the preservation of endangered species of wildlife. The project is compatible with one or more of the major objectives of the Society, which are:
- To enhance veterinary contributions to the welfare and management of New Zealand’s wildlife and to support research in this field.
- To promote communication among both veterinarians and non-veterinarians with expertise in wildlife management and research.
- To provide the N.Z.V.A., when possible, with technical and other information on wildlife.
- To encourage conservation, especially by veterinary contributions to the management of threatened species

For further information and an application form, email scholarships@waikato.ac.nz

Mr M & Mrs T Olechnowicz Scholarship
Closing date: 31 October 2018
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 your birth, or as at 31 December 1921, or 28 May 1984.
For further information and to apply, visit https://www.victoria.ac.nz/study/student-finance/scholarships/find-scholarship/scholarship-detail?detailCode=801083

Rosemary Seymour Research & Archives Award
Closing date: 31 October 2018
Levels: Undergraduate / 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. Preference for this Award will be shown to a student’s study methodology, or topic, which must have a feminist aspect. Two awards of $1,000 each are available each year; one for which only Maori women may apply; while the second is open to all women.
For further information and guidelines, visit http://wsanz.org.nz/awards.htm

Terry Healy Memorial Awards
Closing dates: 31 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
This award was established in 2011 as the result of donations from family, colleagues, friends and students of Professor Terry Robin Healy (1944-2010). The fund commemorates the major contributions Professor Healy made to the Department of Earth and Ocean Sciences during his 38-year career at the University of Waikato between 1973 and 2010. Grants from the Fund will normally be made only to students enrolled, or intending to enrol, in a Masters or Doctoral degree in Earth Sciences, and who are not in receipt of any other awards providing significant funds and/or are not receiving substantial financial assistance under a research contract.
For further information and online application, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships

The Capstone Editing Grant for Professional Thesis Editing
Closing dates: 31 October 2018
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
We are thrilled to add the Capstone Editing Grant for Professional Thesis Editing to our program. The grant provides free thesis editing for one Masters student and one PhD student per year. There is no limit on the amount of words in the thesis that we will edit (so long as the thesis meets the students’ departments’ word limit). It just needs to be a thesis written for a postgraduate degree for an Australian or New Zealand university. The applications will be assessed based on both financial need and academic merit. We really want to make a difference, so our aim is to help hardworking and diligent postgraduate students who without this grant wouldn’t be able to afford a professional academic editing service.

For further information and to apply, visit https://www.capstoneediting.com.au/thesis-grant

**University of Waikato Research Masters Scholarships**  
*Closing date: 31 October 2018 (Round One) and 30 April 2019 (Round 2)*  
*Level: Graduate*

These Scholarships are offered to full-time students, normally studying in the final or only year of their master’s degree. These Scholarships are designed to encourage research, especially in the form of a 90 ($12,000 of which $4,500 is applied to tuition fees) or 120-point thesis ($15,000 of which $4,500 is applied to tuition fees), at the University of Waikato. Applicants are expected to have a minimum of at least an A- average.  

For further information and online application form, visit [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)

**University of Waikato Taught Postgraduate Scholarship**  
*Closing date: 31 October 2018 (Round One) and 30 April 2019 (Round 2)*  
*Level: Graduate / Postgraduate*

This Scholarship supports part- and full-time domestic and international students studying at the University of Waikato. This award supports coursework rather than research papers.  

**International applicants are required to have completed at least 120-points at any New Zealand University.**  

Candidates are expected to be undertaking 500-level studies in one of the following:  
- An Honours degree (normally of one year’s duration), undertaken after graduation with a Bachelor degree  
- The year(s) in which 500-level papers are undertaken towards a multi-year Honours degree  
- The taught components of any Master degree. **Any papers required for the qualification, including 30- or 60-point dissertation.**  
- A Postgraduate Diploma or Postgraduate Certificate.

The awards will be determined on academic merit. Preference will be given to students on a pathway to research.  

For further information and online application form, visit [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)

**Wakatū Inc: 2018 Tertiary Education Scholarship**  
*Closing date: 31 October 2018*  
*Level: Undergraduate/Graduate*

The Scholarships are designed to build leadership, connecting talented people to our rich cultural heritage and legacy. Wakatū support a range of disciplines, with preference for studies related to our business, such as: law, accounting and marketing. Studies in applied sciences of viticulture, aquaculture and horticulture are a priority. Each scholarship provides the successful applicant with financial support for fees and books, up to a maximum of three years. There are also bonus opportunities for studying Te Reo and achieving academic merit. Applicants must be Wakatū shareholders or descendants of Wakatū shareholders and demonstrate a strong desire to get qualified.  

For further information and an application form, visit [http://www.wakatu.org/sholarships/](http://www.wakatu.org/sholarships/)

**Golden Plover Wetland Research Award**  
*Closing date: 1 November 2018*  
*Level: Graduate*

This $1,000 award is open for applications from students at any university in New Zealand who are researching any aspect of the ecology or management of wetlands at honours or masters level. Applicants may be studying either part- or full-time to be eligible for the Award, and should be New Zealand citizens or permanent residents.  

For further information and online application form, visit [www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships)

**Frank Knox Memorial Fellowships (UNZ)**  
*Closing date: 1 November 2018*  
*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 Fellowship pays Harvard tuition and health insurance fees and provides a stipend sufficient to cover a student’s living expenses for the 10-month academic 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 the Scholarships Office before applying scholarships@waikato.ac.nz.

**Statistics/Data Analytics Fees Scholarship**

*Closing date: TBC*

*Level: Undergraduate*

The Scholarship is open to applicants who are enrolling in their second or third year of study towards an undergraduate degree, majoring in Statistics and/or Data Analytics, at the University of Waikato.

For further information and online application form, visit www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships.

**Chevening Scholarships**

*Closing date: 6 November 2018*

*Level: Graduate*

Chevening Scholarships are the UK government’s global scholarship programme, funded by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) and partner organisations. The Scholarships offer the opportunity to study for a one-year Master’s degree at any of the UK’s leading universities, and are awarded to outstanding established or emerging leaders across a wide range of fields; including politics, government, business, the media, the environment, civil society, religion, and academia. Applicants should hold an Honours-level undergraduate degree, and have at least two years’ work experience. Applications for Chevening Scholarships must be submitted online at www.chevening.org.

Applicants should read the online information and demonstrate how they meet the Chevening selection criteria before submitting an application.

**Bay of Plenty Farmers Education Trust 2018 Scholarship**

*Closing date: 15 November 2018*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

Applications are invited from any student that has attended a primary or secondary school in the Bay of Plenty, Federated Farmers Region, encompassing Opotiki, Whakatane, Kawerau, Western Bay of Plenty District Councils and Tauranga City Council (Excluding Rotorua/Taupo District Council area), who has been in an agricultural or veterinary course for at least one year, either full time or part time. No age limit or specific NZ Polytech/University required. This scholarship is to assist in the payment of tutorial fees in the enrolled course.

To apply, please email Derek Spratt spratty@netsmart.net.nz.

**NZSA Auckland Museum Research Grants**

*Closing date: 23 November 2018*

*Level: Undergraduate/Graduate / Postgraduate*

The New Zealand Society of Authors in association with the Auckland Museum is delighted to offer a grant that gives the recipient the opportunity to develop a written project utilizing the facilities and resources of the Auckland War Museum Library. The Grant is open to fiction, non-fiction and academic writers alike. The Grant offers a stipend of $5,000 and is open to any current NZSA member. Four weeks funded accommodation at the Michael King Writers’ Centre in Auckland is offered in addition to the stipend. It can be taken in two blocks of two weeks. Research must take place in the Library.

For further information, visit https://authors.org.nz/nzsa-auckland-museum-research-grants/.

**The LIC Patrick Shannon Honours / Masterate Scholarships**

*Closing date: 28 November 2018*

*Level: Undergraduate / Graduate*

The Livestock Improvement Corporation (LIC) offers grants to outstanding mathematics/statistics, machine learning or science students at an honours and masters level. The values of the Scholarships depend on the level of the recipient; honours students (in their fourth year) receive $5,000 for the year or tenure, while masters students receive $10,000 (in instalments).

For further information and the online application form, visit the http://lic.snaphire.com (scholarships tab) or email kbrown@lic.co.nz with any enquiries.

**Swiss Government Excellence Scholarships**

*Closing date: 15 November 2018*

*Level: Postgraduate / Postdoctoral*

The Swiss Government Excellence Scholarships Scheme are available to New Zealand and Pacific Islands students and researchers. The Scholarships offered are: Research Scholarships, PhD Scholarships, Post-doctoral Scholarships.

Further information can be found: https://www.sbfi.admin.ch/sbfi/en/home/bildung/scholarships-and-grants/swiss-government-excellence-scholarships-for-foreign-scholars-an.html
Zonta International – Amelia Earhart Fellowship
Closing date: TBC
Level: Postgraduate
Women of any nationality, who, are enrolled in an accredited PhD/doctoral program in a qualifying area of science or engineering, closely related to advanced studies in aerospace-related science or aerospace-related engineering, are eligible to apply (students pursuing a postdoctoral research program are not eligible). Applicants must demonstrate a superior academic record at a recognized university or college with accredited courses in aerospace-related studies as verified by official transcripts and recommendations. To apply, applicants must provide evidence of a well-defined research program in aerospace-related science or aerospace-related engineering and clearly demonstrate the relationship of your research to aerospace. For further information and an application form, visit www.zonta.org.

Whanganui River Enhancement Trust Scholarship
Closing date: TBC
Levels: Graduate / Postgraduate
The Whanganui River Enhancement Trust was established in 2003 to provide resources to mitigate adverse effects on the catchment of the Whanganui River that result from the operation of the Tongariro Power Scheme. The Trust aims to promote the enhancement of the Whanganui River Catchment by supporting research into river processes, the catchment’s water quality, land management practices and the river’s native and introduced fish. To achieve this aim, the Trust provides scholarships to honours, postgraduate and masters students undertaking research that is directly focused on and relevant to the catchment of the Whanganui River. The Scholarship is offered for one year and has a value of $5,000 for Honours and Postgraduate students and $10,000 for Masters students. Further information and application forms are available on our website www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships.

Clark Fletcher Memorial Citrus Bursary
Closing date: 30 November 2018
Levels: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate
The Clark Fletcher Memorial Citrus Bursary is an award of up to $5,000 per annum that is granted to either a tertiary student who has a specific interest in the citrus industry, or an applicant who is involved in research that is likely to contribute to the New Zealand citrus industry. Further information and application form visit the NZCGI website http://www.citrus.co.nz/html/bursary.html or email info@citrus.co.nz

BRANZ Postgraduate Scholarship
Closing date: TBA
Level: Graduate / Postgraduate
BRANZ Group is the New Zealand building industry’s centre for science and research. BRANZ provide independent and impartial research, testing, consulting and information to the building industry. Their work enhances building performance and cost-effectiveness, contributes to the success of the building industry and the wider economy, and supports the development of a higher-quality built environment for all New Zealanders.
BRANZ is interested in receiving applications for projects that align with New Zealand Construction Industry Council research agenda. Funding allocations at Masterate level will have a value of up to $20,000 for degree and at Doctorate level will have a value of $25,000 per year, for up to 3 years. Applications and guidelines for the Scholarship can be found on http://www.branz.co.nz/scholarships.

Loman Friedlander Award
Closing date: 30 November 2018
Level: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate
The funds for this award are provided by the Loman Friedlander family. The Award is made annually to the person who submits the best paper on any subject falling within the general area of Intellectual Property Law (i.e. patents, trademarks, registered designs, copyright). The value of the Award is $1,000. Papers should be between 5,000-10,000 words and forwarded to: NZIPA, PO Box 5116, Wellington. For further information, visit http://www.nzipa.org.nz/Site/loman_friedlander_award/loman-friedlander.aspx

Fisheries New Zealand Scholarship – Undergraduate Scholarships in Quantitative Marine Biology
Closing date: 30 November 2018
Level: Undergraduate
Scholarships are available for undergraduate students interested in an Honours year or doing a double-major in:
- Biology or marine biology, with
- Mathematics, computing or statistics.
Up to six scholarships with a value of $5,000 will be available to New Zealand citizens or permanent residents for 2019, to support an Honours year or the final year of an undergraduate degree. Students will be eligible to apply if their degree will include:

- A minimum of one statistics, mathematics or computer programming course in 2nd year, and
- Two statistics, mathematics or computer programming courses, as well as a marine biology course in 3rd year

For further information, visit https://www.fisheries.govt.nz/about-us/our-work/scholarships-and-awards/fisheries-new-zealand-scholarships/ or email science.officer@mpi.govt.nz.

**East-West Center-Graduate Degree Fellowship**

*Closing date: 1 December 2018*

*Level: Graduate*

An opportunity for graduate students to participate in the residential, educational, leadership development and cultural programs at the East-West Center while pursuing a graduate degree at the University of Hawai‘i. Type of study: participation in Center educational and residential programs focused on creating Asia Pacific community through dialogue, educational and cultural activities, and public outreach. To be eligible, you must be a full-time graduate student at the University of Hawai‘i, or participation in a UH graduate exchange program. Open to all students from all countries.

For further information, visit [http://www.eastwestcenter.org/](http://www.eastwestcenter.org/)

**Hong Kong PhD Fellowship Scheme**

*Closing date: 1 December 2018*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The Research Grants Council (RGC) of the Hong Kong University Grants Committee (UGC) is committed to promoting world-class research in Hong Kong. Through our PhD Fellowships, Hong Kong’s outstanding universities offer research opportunities in a broad range of PhD programmes, with generous stipends and excellent support for the best and brightest students in the world. The Fellowship will provide an annual stipend of HK$240,000 (approximately US$30,000) and a conference and research-related travel allowance of HK$10,000 (approximately US$1,300) per year up to three years. More than 200 PhD Fellowships will be awarded in the 2018/19 academic year. Eligible candidates should make their initial application to the RGC through the online system at [https://cerg1.ugc.edu.hk/hkpfs/InitApplication.jsp](https://cerg1.ugc.edu.hk/hkpfs/InitApplication.jsp) to obtain a HKPFS Reference Number before submitting full applications to their selected universities.

**The Kauri Museum Mervyn Sterling Memorial Scholarship (UNZ)**

*Closing date: 1 December 2018*

*Levels: School Leaver / Undergraduate*

These awards are offered by the Otamatea Kauri and Pioneer Museum Trust Board and administrated by Universities NZ. The Scholarship is to encourage undergraduate study and applied research in the fields of environmental conservation, ecology, natural heritage, and Northland (especially Otamatea County) history. Applicants should have their family residence in the Otamatea, or have a historic family connection to the Otamatea, or have worked and/or studied for a reasonable time in the Otamatea. To check your eligibility see the Map of the old Otamatea County Area. The value of a Scholarship can vary, up to a maximum of $2,000.

Further information and application forms are available from [www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz). Applicants should contact the scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

**Kitchener Memorial Scholarship (UNZ)**

*Closing date: 1 December 2018*

*Levels: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate*

These awards are offered by the Trustees of the Kitchener Memorial Scholarship Fund and administrated by Universities NZ. Preference will be given to applicants who are members (past or present) of the Armed Forces, or their children, undertaking agricultural course of study. The value of a Scholarship is normally $500.

Further information and application forms are available from [www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz). Applicants should contact the scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

**KiwiRail Group Undergraduate Scholarships (UNZ)**

*Closing date: 1 December 2018*

*Levels: School Leaver / Undergraduate*

These awards are provided by KiwiRail and administrated by Universities NZ. There are 10 Scholarships available across New Zealand, each with a value of $2,000. Each applicant must be child of a permanent employee of KiwiRail Group (as at 1 December in the year of application), and should be enrolling or enrolled in their first undergraduate degree or diploma.

Further information and application forms are available from [www.universitiesnz.ac.nz](http://www.universitiesnz.ac.nz).
Applicants should contact the scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

**Maritime Union Scholarship (UNZ)**

*Closing date: 1 December 2018*

*Level: Undergraduate*

These awards are provided by Seafarers Union Scholarship Trust in order to support and encourage undergraduate study in areas of benefit to the people of New Zealand. The awards are administrated by Universities NZ. Applicants will be New Zealand citizens who have completed at least one year of full-time undergraduate study at a New Zealand university. All things being equal preference will be given to the following candidates:

- Members of the Maritime Union of New Zealand (Inc.), or of the New Zealand Seafarers Union Inc or of the New Zealand Seamen’s Union Industrial Union of Workers, who are or were by occupation seafarers (see Annex 1);
- The children or grandchildren of any person who would qualify for preferential treatment, as above

The awards have a value of $5,000.

Further information and application forms are available from www.universitiesnz.ac.nz. Applicants should contact the scholarships@waikato.ac.nz before applying.

**Onion Industry Postgraduate Scholarship**

*Closing date: TBC*

*Level: Postgraduate*

The purpose of the scholarship is to provide funds to assist any suitable applicant involved in a research project that is likely to make a contribution to the NZ onion industry.

Research topics of interest include: improvement in onion yields, quality and sustainable production, postharvest technologies, food safety, market access and development (particularly Asian markets); biosecurity, new products. Further information on NZ onion research priorities, contact Dr Jane Adams, Research and Innovation Manager, by emailing: research@onionsnz.com

For further information and application form, email scholarships@waikato.ac.nz

**Dr Stella Frances Scholarship**

*Closing date: TBC*

*Level: Graduate*

This Scholarship is offered by Waikato Regional Council and the Department of Conservation in memory of Dr Stella Frances, and is open to applications from students in the final (or only) year of a master’s degree studying environmental issues (broadly defined) in the Waikato region. This Scholarship has a value of $5,000.

Further information can be found on our website www.waikato.ac.nz/scholarships.
Scholarships with varying or no set application dates

Blue Lagoon Hearing Trust Grant

No set closing date:
Levels: Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate
Grant applications submitted to The Blue Lagoon Hearing Trust (must reside in Tauranga, Mt Maunganui and Papamoa areas) will be considered where funding is being sought towards:
- cost of hearing aids
- Extra costs associated with education / tuition for the hearing impaired
- Specialized equipment for the Deaf
- Assistance for hearing impaired children to attend special support days
- Ongoing ear health and care needs
- Other equipment and devices to assist with communication
- Information and awareness programs

For further information: visit http://www.bluelagoonhearingtrust.co.nz/

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.
Capstone Editing Textbook Grant for Undergraduates
Application date: Accepts applications year-round
Levels: Undergraduate
This grant has a value of $3,000 for one undergraduate per year to assist with covering the cost of their textbooks for the duration of their degree. (The recipient will receive one $1,000 voucher per year for three years). The grant will be awarded on 1 February.
For further information and application form, visit https://www.capstoneediting.com.au/textbook-grant

East-West Center Affiliate Scholar Program
Application dates vary
Levels: 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/

English Program in Korea (EPIK)
Application date: Accepts applications year-round
Levels: Graduate
EPIK is the national English teaching program sponsored by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology. The mission of EPIK is to improve the English-speaking abilities of students within the public schools and to aid in the advancement of English education in Korea. The English Program is for 1 year.
Eligibility:
- Have received a Bachelor’s degree in any discipline
- Be citizen of either Australia, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, South Africa, UK, USA
- Be fluent and proficient in the English language.
For further information, please visit www.epik.go.kr.

Teach and Learn in Korea (TaLK)
Application dates: recruits year round
Levels: Undergraduate / Graduate
The TaLK was a government initiative to increase accessibility to qualify English education in rural areas. This initiative is to teach English as a second language in the after-school program at a rural elementary school. The TaLK program is for 6 months or 1 year.
Eligibility:
Nationality
- citizens of either Australia, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, South Africa, UK, USA
- Korean citizens with permanent residency in one of the aforementioned countries; Korean citizens who have lived in one of the aforementioned countries as temporary residents for at least eight years and who have completed both primary and secondary education in that country.
- Be fluent and proficient in the English language
Education
- Bachelor’s degree candidates who have completed at least two years of undergraduate education
- Associate’s degree holders
- Recent graduates and graduate students
- Overseas Koreans in their first or second year in college who qualify for the F-4 visa
For further information, please visit www.talk.go.kr.

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Scholarships for New Zealand
Closing dates vary
Levels: 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
Internet: 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-recognized higher education institution or non-university research institute in Germany.

- **Duration**: 1-3 months
- **Application Deadlines**: 30 November for grants to start any time from March of the following year.

Detailed information:


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.

- **Duration**: Courses last six weeks and are offered in the German winter months.
- **Application deadline**: 15 August

Detailed Information:

Application Form: [http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html](http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html)

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:

Application Form: [http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html](http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html)

Research Grants for Doctoral Candidates, Postdocs, 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**: 1-6 months, scholarships may be extended up to 24 months.
- **Application deadlines for research grants for projects of up to six months**:
  15 November for research grants to run from April of the following year.
  30 April for research grants to run from October.
- 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:

Application Form: [http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html](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:**
- **Application Form:** [http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html](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, Architecture, Performing Arts (Drama, Direction, Dance, Choreography, etc) 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 – 3 months
- **Application deadline:** 30 November for grants to start any time after the end of March the following year
- The DAAD will pay an appropriate flat-rate travel allowance
- **Detailed Information:**
- **Application Form:** [http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html](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:**
- **Application Form:** [http://www.daad.de/deutschland/download/03118.en.html](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-land/ausland/dozenten/00686.de.html](http://www.daad.de/ausland/lehren-im-land/ausland/dozenten/00686.de.html) and guest speakers from German universities delivering papers at conferences in New Zealand: [http://www.daad.de/ausland/foerderungsmoeglichkeiten/aussschreibungen/11450.de.html](http://www.daad.de/ausland/foerderungsmoeglichkeiten/aussschreibungen/11450.de.html)


Further information and advice is available from:

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

[http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/diplo/Infoservice/FAQ/Studium/02-Stipendien.html](http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/diplo/Infoservice/FAQ/Studium/02-Stipendien.html)
Health Research Council (HRC) funding opportunities

Closing dates vary
Levels: Graduate / Postgraduate / Academics
The Health Research Council offers an impressive range of funding opportunities. The following lists are just a selection of their grants and scholarships.

Māori Health Research
Māori health research is research that values Māori world views and builds Māori research capacity and leadership. View More
- Māori Health Research Summer Studentships
- Rangahau Hauora Award
- Māori Health Research Masters Scholarships
- Māori Health Research PhD Scholarships
- Māori Health Research Postdoctoral Fellowships
- Ngā Kanohi Kitea
- Māori Health Research Development Grant
- Māori Health Research Knowledge Translation Grant

Pacific Health Research
The primary role of Pacific health research is to generate knowledge and understanding of Pacific peoples that will improve their health outcomes. View More
- Pacific Health Research Summer Studentships
- Pacific Health Research Conference Travel Grants
- Pacific Health Research PhD Scholarships
- Pacific Health Research Postdoctoral Fellowships
- Pacific Health Research Masters Scholarship
- Pacific Health Research Development Grant

Requests For Proposals
Requests for Proposals (RFPs) are calls for research in areas of strategic importance. They included, but are not limited to research that will contribute to an evidence-base for policy and planning. RFPs are released by the HRC as funding opportunities occur throughout the year. View More. For example:
- Community-based primary healthcare research
- Research Exploring the Health Implications of the Canterbury Earthquake
- HIV Behavioural Study of African Communities in New Zealand

Researcher Initiated Proposals
The majority of HRC funding is awarded through the annual contestable funding round to research ideas that are researcher initiated. A competitive process ensures that high quality and relevant research is supported across four Research Investment Streams. View More. For example:
- Emerging Researcher First Grants

Career Development
Career development awards help to foster the health research workforce in New Zealand. A range of awards is available to support the career development of emerging health researchers, including Māori and Pacific health researchers undertaking postgraduate qualifications. View More. For example:
- The Sir Charles Hercus Health Research Fellowship
- Māori Health Research Career Development Awards
- Pacific Health Research Career Development Awards

HEERF Scholarships
Application date: Accepts applications year-round – applications generally considered March/April
Levels: Postgraduate
HEERF makes available annually a series of post graduate research scholarships open to NZ citizens and NZ permanent residence holders. The scholarships are typically linked to heavy engineering industry related research proposals administered by HERA, however scholarship applicants are also able to submit their own research project proposal.
All scholarship research proposals intended for funding through HEERF are required to go through the HERA Research Panel system for evaluation and prior approval before being submitted through the HERA Director to the HEERF Trustees. For further information, visit the website http://www.hera.org.nz/MainMenu.

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$_2$ 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. The terms and conditions and application form can be downloaded from the Education New Zealand (ENZ) website www.newzealandeducated.com/scholarships.

New Zealand Defence Force Scholarship Schemes
Levels: School Leavers / Undergraduate / Graduate / Postgraduate
The New Zealand Defence Force offers four tertiary scholarship schemes across the three services to Engineering students. The majors in which the NZDF is likely to provide sponsorship are: Mechanical, Electrical, Electronics, Software, Materials, aeronautical Engineering and Mechatronics, however other majors will be considered by the individual services.

For further information Lt Jarrod Austin, email www.defencecareers.mil.nz or call 0800 1 FORCE.

TeachNZ Scholarships
Closing dates vary
Levels: 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.