The Ewing Veterinary Science Scholarship

(The scholarship was established in 2016 and is maintained by the income from a bequest from the late Mr Alexander Gordon Ewing. Mr Ewing was a student at Gatton campus when it was the Queensland Agricultural High School and College. The College took pupils in Years 8-10. Mr Ewing was a member of the Gatton Past Students Association from 2005 up until his death in 2013 at age 88).

1. Purpose
The purpose of the scholarship is to support financially disadvantaged students to undertake and continue undergraduate studies in the discipline of Veterinary Science.

2. Definitions
In these rules –
Approved Program means an undergraduate program within the discipline of Veterinary Science at The University of Queensland;
Associate Dean means Associate Dean (Academic), Faculty of Science;
Scholarship means The Ewing Veterinary Science Scholarship.
Ewing Scholarship means The Ewing Agricultural Science Scholarship, The Ewing Horticulture Scholarship and The Ewing Veterinary Science Scholarship.

3. Award and value of scholarship
(1) The minimum annual combined Ewing Scholarship value will be at least $38,000 but will be limited by the annual income of the fund.
(2) The value of each Scholarship will be the annual income of the fund split equally between all recipients of a Ewing Scholarship.
(3) The University may award one or more Scholarships annually on the recommendation of the Associate Dean.

4. Eligibility for award
An applicant is eligible for the award of the Scholarship in a year if the applicant -
(a) is enrolled in an Approved Program;
(b) can demonstrate financial hardship;
(c) has not previously been awarded a Ewing Scholarship; and
(d) submits an application to the Associate Dean, by the closing date for applications.

5. Selection of award
(1) The Associate Dean, or nominee, must form a selection committee and rank the eligible applicants for the year in order of merit.
(2) The Scholarship is awarded to the applicant showing greatest merit, as demonstrated by -
(a) academic achievement;
(b) financial circumstances as evidenced by supporting documentation;
(c) personal qualities, including leadership potential and community service; and
(d) any other matters the committee considers relevant.
(3) Preference will be given to students from a rural background.

6. Conditions for scholarship
(1) A recipient may hold the scholarship for one year.