



BJ Freeman Scholarship in Commerce

(Established in 2014 and maintained by gifts from Mr BJ Freeman)

1. Purpose

The purpose of the scholarships is to encourage and support Bachelor of Commerce students at The University of Queensland.

2. Definitions

In these rules –

approved program means the Bachelor of Commerce offered by the UQ Business School

Head means the Head, UQ Business School

scholarship means BJ Freeman Scholarship in Commerce

3. Value and award of the scholarship

(1) The value of the scholarship is \$5,000.

(2) Senate may award up to 1 scholarship per year on the recommendation of the Head

4. Eligibility for award

An applicant is eligible for the scholarship if the applicant –

(a) is a domestic student in accordance with The University's Fee Policy

(b) is enrolled full-time in the approved program

(c) submits an application to the Head by the closing date for applications

(d) demonstrates financial need through supporting documentation in their application

(e) has completed a minimum of 16 units of study

5. Selection Process

(1) For the selection process, the Head must establish a selection committee, comprising -

(a) the Head, or nominee, as Chair of the committee

(b) a representative of the Executive Dean's Office of the Faculty of Business, Economics and Law

(c) Mr BJ Freeman or nominee,
with University staff comprising the majority

(2) In making its recommendation the selection committee will take into account -

(a) personal qualities, including leadership potential

(b) any other evidence which may be deemed relevant

(3) The selection committee may interview shortlisted candidates.

6. Conditions for scholarship

(1) The recipient may hold the scholarship for up to 1 year in the approved program in which they were enrolled at the time of award, subject to the recipient:

(a) remaining enrolled as a full-time student in the approved program

(b) achieving a GPA of at least 5.5 in each semester that the scholarship is held

(2) If the recipient fails to satisfy rule 6(1) the recipient must show cause to the Head why the scholarship should not be cancelled.