The Wheatley Bursary

(Established in 2008 and maintained from the income of a bequest from the late Marcelle Walden.)

1. The scholarship is awarded annually by Senate on the recommendation of the Head, School of Political Science and International Studies (the "Head").

2. To assist in the selection process, the Head must establish a selection committee comprising the Head or nominee (who shall chair the selection committee), and academic staff teaching in the field of political science and/or public policy.

3. The scholarship is open to students who -
   (a) are domestic students in accordance with The University's Fee Policy; and
   (b) have gained credit for all courses in year 1 of -
      (i) the Bachelor of Arts; or
      (ii) a dual program including the Bachelor of Arts; and
   (c) are enrolled full-time in year 2 of the program with a declared major or extended major in the area of political science and/or public policy; and
   (d) are 20 years of age or older on 1 January in the year of the award.

4. The scholarship is awarded, at the discretion of the selection committee, to the applicant showing greatest merit as demonstrated by –
   (a) financial need in order to successfully undertake further studies in political science and/or public policy; and
   (b) academic achievement during year 1 in the program; and
   (c) other evidence that may be considered relevant by the selection committee.

5. The scholarship is tenable for 1 year and will be paid in half yearly instalments, subject to satisfactory academic progress and continued full-time enrolment in the program.

6. A recipient failing to maintain satisfactory academic progress must show cause why the scholarship should not be cancelled.

7. The scholarship may not be held concurrently with another similar scholarship.

8. The scholarship may be deferred only with the approval of the Head.