The Renatus Ebersohn Scholarship

(Established in 2008 and maintained from the income of a bequest from the late Margaretha Ebersohn.)

1. Purpose

The purpose of the Scholarship is to support high achieving students undertaking the first year of study in an undergraduate agricultural science program.

2. Definitions

Associate Dean (Academic) means the Associate Dean (Academic), Faculty of Science
Scholarship means the Renatus Ebersohn Scholarship
Approved Program means the Bachelor of Agricultural Science (Honours) with a major in plant science or the Bachelor of Sustainable Agriculture with a major in an agronomy-related discipline.

3. Award and value of scholarship

(1) One Scholarship is awarded annually on the recommendation of the Associate Dean (Academic).
(2) The value of the Scholarship is the annual income from the fund, divided equally between the current recipients.

4. Eligibility for award

An applicant is eligible for the award of a Scholarship in a year if, in that year, the applicant:
(a) is a domestic student in accordance with The University’s Fee Policy;
(b) in semester 1 of the year of the award, is enrolled full-time in either their first or second semester in an Approved Program;
(c) applies for the Scholarship by the closing date for applications.

5. Selection of award

(1) The Scholarship will be awarded to the applicant, who in the opinion of the Associate Dean (Academic), shows the greatest merit as demonstrated by:
(a) academic achievement during secondary school studies and any previous tertiary studies;
(b) an interest in pursuing studies in crop agronomy, pasture agronomy or soil conservation;
(c) personal qualities, including leadership potential; and
(d) any other evidence that may be considered relevant by the Associate Dean (Academic) to the future success by the student in the agriculture, agronomy or other related industries.

6. Conditions of scholarship

(1) The Scholarship is tenable for the normal minimum duration of the recipient’s program, subject to:
(a) the recipient maintaining satisfactory academic progress each semester; and
(b) the recipient's continued full-time enrolment in the Approved Program for which the Scholarship was awarded.
(2) If a recipient fails to satisfy rule 6(1), the recipient must show cause to the Associate Dean (Academic) why the Scholarship should not be cancelled.
(3) The Scholarship must not be held concurrently with another scholarship considered by the Associate Dean (Academic) to be similar.
(4) The Scholarship may not be deferred.