Cornelis Frederiks Scholarship in Accounting

(Established in 2019 by the Frederiks Foundation)

1. **Purpose**
   The purpose of the Scholarship is to encourage and support a financially disadvantaged student studying accounting at The University of Queensland.

2. **Definitions**
   In these rules –
   - **Approved Program** means the Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours) with a declared major in Accounting, including duals with the Approved Programs.
   - **Head** means the Academic Dean and Head, School of Business.
   - **Scholarship** means the Cornelis Frederiks Scholarship in Accounting.

3. **Award and value of scholarship**
   (1) The value of the Scholarship will be $5,000.
   (2) The University may award up to one 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 Student Fees Policy;
   (b) is enrolled full-time in an Approved Program;
   (c) can demonstrate financial disadvantage; and
   (d) submits an application to the Head by the closing date for applications.

5. **Selection of award**
   (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 member of the academic staff from the Accounting discipline; and
      (c) a representative of the Frederiks Foundation or nominee, with University staff comprising the majority.
   (2) The Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of the following criteria -
      (a) demonstrated financial need;
      (b) academic achievement; and
      (c) any other matter that the selection committee considers to be relevant to the applicant’s future success in the accounting profession.
   (3) Applicants may be interviewed.

6. **Conditions for scholarship**
   (1) The recipient may hold the Scholarship for one year subject to the recipient –
      (a) continuing to be enrolled full-time student in the Approved Program that they were enrolled in at the time of award; and
      (b) achieving a GPA of at least 4 in the first semester of study in which 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.

7. **Termination of scholarship**
   The University may terminate a Scholarship -
   (a) if the recipient does not show cause to the reasonable satisfaction of the University as provided for in rule 6(2);
   (b) if the recipient defers or interrupts their study without approval;
   (c) once maximum duration of the Scholarship has lapsed; or
   (d) if the student commits serious misconduct.