EY Energy Scholarship

(The scholarship was established in 2013 and is maintained by an annual gift from Ernst and Young (formerly ROAM Consulting).)

1 Purpose
The purpose of the Scholarship is to encourage and assist meritorious students commencing the fourth year of an engineering program.

2 Definitions
In these rules-
Approved Program means any dual engineering or integrated engineering program.
Head means the Head of School, School of Information Technology and Electrical Engineering.
Relevant Field means any field of engineering in the electrical engineering discipline.
Scholarship means the EY Energy Scholarship.

3 Value and award of scholarship
(1) The value of the Scholarship is $7,500 for one year.
(2) One Scholarship may be awarded each year on the recommendation of the Head.

4 Additional benefits
Ernst and Young may offer the recipient of a Scholarship any of the following opportunities –
(a) thesis mentoring;
(b) an ambassadorial role;
(c) vacation employment at any Ernst and Young site for any period during the period in which the recipient holds the Scholarship, determined by Ernst and Young in consultation with the recipient.

5 Eligibility for award
An applicant is eligible for the Scholarship, if the applicant –
(a) submits an application to the Head, by the closing date for applications; and
(b) is a domestic student in accordance with the University’s Fee Policy; and
(c) has completed at least 32 units and less than 48 units towards an approved undergraduate program at the time of application; and
(d) does not hold a scholarship that the Head considers to be similar; and
(e) is enrolled full time in an Approved Program in the Relevant Field in the year of the application.

6 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; and
(b) at least one representative of Ernst and Young; and
(c) academic staff members who are currently teaching in the Relevant Field, with university staff comprising the majority.
(2) The Scholarship is awarded to the applicant showing greatest merit as demonstrated by –
(a) academic achievement in courses undertaken to date in an Approved Program in the Relevant Field; and
(b) strength of interest that the applicant demonstrates in completing at least one period of vacation employment at Ernst and Young; and
(c) personal qualities, including leadership potential; and
(d) any other matter that the selection committee considers to be relevant to the applicant’s future success in the engineering profession.

7 Conditions for scholarship
(1) The recipient may hold the Scholarship for up to 1 year, subject to the recipient –
(a) continuing to be enrolled full-time in an Approved Program in the Relevant Field; and
(b) not holding another scholarship that the Head considers similar; and
(c) passing all courses in which they are enrolled; and
(d) achieving a GPA of at least 5 each semester of study; and
(e) conducting themselves in a professional manner while performing an ambassadorial role or duties of vacation employment.
(2) If a recipient fails to satisfy rule 7(1), the recipient must show cause to the Head, why the Scholarship should not be cancelled.