The John Schiller Memorial Scholarship

Established in 2019 as a one-off scholarship in remembrance of the late Dr. John Schiller. John had a distinguished career of outstanding contributions to international development through strengthening scientific capacity of countries of South East Asia. His interests were primarily in development of livestock systems in Cambodia and increase food security and agricultural prosperity in Thailand.

1. Purpose:

The scholarship is awarded as a one-off stipend of $2,000 to students that have aspirations to contribute to the development livestock systems and food security and agricultural prosperity in third world countries.

2. Definitions:

a. School means School of Agricultural and Food Sciences
b. Approved Program means enrolled undergraduate agricultural related programs
c. Head means The Head of School of Agricultural and Food Sciences.
d. Academic means honorary research fellows in the School.

3. Value and Duration:

a. Head will award the one-off scholarship to the most recommended and eligible candidate.
b. The value of the scholarship is one-off award of $2,000.
c. The scholarship is tenable for one year.

4. Eligibility:

a. An applicant is eligible for the Scholarship, if the applicant:
b. Submits an application by the advertised closing date for applications
c. Is enrolled full-time in an approved program

5. Selection of award:

For the selection process, the Head of School must establish a selection committee, comprising;

a. The Head of School as Chair of the committee; and
b. Two suitable academics from the school recommended by the Head.

The scholarship is awarded to the applicants showing greatest merit in;

c. Academic achievement
d. Demonstrates financial hardship
e. Personal statement
f. Academic interest in food security, agricultural prosperity and development of livestock systems in third world countries.

6. Conditions:

The recipient can hold another travel scholarship in the year of receipt.