



UQ Sustainable Energy Scholarship

– 2022 Scholarship Terms and Conditions –

Definitions

- ‘Recipient’ refers to the recipient of a UQ Sustainable Energy Scholarship.
- ‘Program’ refers to the Master of Sustainable Energy (CRICOS 094112C) and Master of Sustainable Energy (Management (CRICOS 099125B) programs delivered at The University of Queensland.
- ‘Domestic students’ include a citizen of Australia or New Zealand, an Australian permanent resident, or a holder of an Australian permanent humanitarian visa.
- ‘International students’ holding a student visa, not a citizen of Australia or New Zealand, not an Australian permanent resident, or a temporary resident (visa status) of ‘.
- All figures are quoted in Australian dollars (AUD).

Availability and value

The University of Queensland is offering two scholarships for domestic and international candidates to study the Master of Sustainable Energy / Master of Sustainable Energy (Management) commencing in Semester 1, 2022.

- Two partial tuition fee scholarships (up to \$12,000 each)
- The scholarship is calculated and paid per semester as a deduction from the course fee.

Please note the final number and value of scholarships awarded will remain at the discretion of The University of Queensland and will depend on the quality of applications received. Scholarships do not include travel, accommodation or living expenses, and the Recipients will be responsible for paying all remaining study and living expenses:



<https://future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/postgraduate-coursework/review-fees-and-financial-support>

Scholarships will be distributed equally between each semester of the Program and are not redeemable for cash.

Program of study

The Scholarship is to support students enrolled in the Master of Sustainable Energy or Master of Sustainable Energy (Management) Program at The University of Queensland.

Scholarships are not available for the Graduate Certificate/Diploma in Sustainable Energy or any other program. Scholarships are only available to new (commencing) students and not current students already enrolled in the Program.

Duration of funding

The Program must be completed within a minimum of three consecutive semesters of full-time study (18 months) or six consecutive semesters of part-time study (3 years), including the final project.

Recipients are required to complete the Program within the duration specified in the Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE). The next intake will commence in Semester 1 (February) 2022.

Deferment of studies due to unforeseen circumstances and implications for scholarship funding will be assessed individually. Requests for extensions to the period of study or temporary suspension of the Scholarship must be made in writing to The University of Queensland. Deferment requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis, and a period of leave may be approved.

Approvals extend semesters of eligibility only; they do not increase the amount of the Scholarship in any semester.



Minimum eligibility requirements

All Scholarship candidates must meet the following requirements:

- A completed undergraduate degree in a related field of study from an Australian or Internationally recognised institution;

Selection criteria

The Scholarship Selection Panel will assess all applications received that meet the minimum eligibility requirements (above). The Panel will then use the following selection criteria to rank competitive applications and award the Scholarships:

- An excellent academic record and likelihood of success in studies at Masters level.
- Commitment to integrated and interdisciplinary approaches to energy systems, responsible business practice and contemporary energy challenges.
- Ability to use the skills learned from the Program to influence society more broadly about the energy transition required.
- Leadership qualities including collaboration and team work, flexibility, initiative, communication skills, integrity and vision through professional, educational, community and other achievements.
- Potential to be a strategic ambassador for The University of Queensland.

In addition, candidates must have accepted an offer or received an unconditional offer of admission into the Program from The University of Queensland. The Selection Panel adheres to The University of Queensland's policy of non-discrimination for this process. Decisions of the Panel are final and confidential. The Panel will not enter into correspondence regarding outcomes of the selection process.



Preference may be given to students who have completed the Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) or the engineering integrated program (including a dual) at The University of Queensland.

Restrictions

The following restrictions apply:

- Scholarships are only available for commencing students who choose to study the Program starting in Semester 1, 2022;
- Scholarships are available in the year of offer only, unless otherwise approved in writing by The University of Queensland;
- Scholarships cannot be used for any purpose other than towards the Recipient's tuition fees;
- Scholarships are available only to Recipients who have accepted an offer or received an unconditional offer of admission into the Program from The University of Queensland; and
- Scholarships cannot be used in conjunction with any other full tuition scholarship, and will be forfeited under such conditions.

Recipients are required to declare any provider of full-tuition scholarship when enrolling in the Program. Recipients are required to inform The University of Queensland in writing if their circumstances change during the course of the Program.

Activities during scholarship period

Scholarship Recipients may be required to participate in extra-curricular activities beyond the regular coursework requirements of the Program. These activities would not result in additional academic credit and may include, but are not limited to:

- Collaborating with The University of Queensland's Marketing and Communication department to provide interviews and written articles for commercial release; and/or



- Participating and presenting research at selected conferences throughout the duration of the Program, as designated by The University of Queensland.

Failure to participate may result in the forfeiture of the Scholarship.

Fieldwork

Scholarship Recipients may choose to conduct fieldwork in Australia or overseas as part of the 'Final Project'. All costs related to travel and field works during the Program are the responsibility of the Recipients.

Recipients are solely responsible for obtaining relevant visas for any overseas fieldwork and for ensuring all activities are in compliance with all visa requirements.

Withdrawal or termination

A Scholarship will terminate if:

- The Recipient withdraws from the Program; or
- The Recipient does not conform to the terms and conditions of the Scholarship; or
- The Recipient does not conform to The University of Queensland's rules and policies; or
- The Recipient does not complete each semester with satisfactory progress. Scholarship recipients must maintain a minimum cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 5.0 or above throughout the Program to continue to receive scholarship funding; or
- The Recipient does not resume the Program at the conclusion of a period of approved leave of absence or does not make arrangements for the approval of an extension to the period of leave of absence.

Scholarships are tenable at The University of Queensland subject to satisfactory progress according to The University of Queensland's policies.