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Terms of Reference

Rulings

Senate delegates to the Dean, UQ Graduate School and the Director, Student Administration its powers to approve spending of funds if the expenditure is for a scholarship or award funded by bequest, donation or special grant. This delegation is made in terms of section 11(3) of the University of Queensland Act 1998.

Senate: 10 April 2014

Terminology

Dean

UQ Graduate School Dean.

Stipend

A scholarship to support living costs that, in UQ's case, is equivalent to UQ Graduate School Scholarship (UQGSS) rate.

Top-Up

A supplementary payment in addition to their base stipend at the UQ Graduate School Scholarship (UQGSS) rate.

UQ Graduate School Scholarship (UQGSS) rate

A rate equivalent to the Federal Government Research Training Scheme (RTS) minimum amount, which provide living scholarships to Research Higher Degree candidates.

Senate Scholarship Categories

Travel

Recommended for domestic and near region travel (e.g. within Australia, Pacific Islands, NZ, PNG, East Timor and Indonesia).

Travel Plus

Recommended for global travel.

Top-up

Funds to supplement a Research Higher Degree Candidate's base stipend rate.

Partial Top-Up

To partially supplement a Research Higher Degree Candidate's base stipend rate.

Living

To cover a Research Higher Degree Candidate's full stipend.

Living Plus

For scholarship support at the highest level¹. This can be used to support a stipend scholarship, and tuition fees if applicable.

Grant

A one off payment to support a Research Higher Degree candidate's research.

Assessment

Scholarships must be awarded through a transparent and competitive process.

All applications are assessed using the following set of criteria at a minimum:

- Overall requirements as outlined in UQ's research degree [eligibility criteria](#)*
- Academic achievement and potential for scholastic success.
- Applying within the round deadlines and submitting all required documentation.

*If a travel award as standard students should:

- be a confirmed RHD candidate at the time of application.
- be enrolled full-time at UQ (part-time students are eligible to apply but must be enrolled full time while overseas).
- have no overdue milestone at the time of application.
- complete their travel before the Thesis Review milestone.

Payments

Continuing payment of scholarships is conditional on the satisfactory progress of research students. All scholarship payments cease on the submission of the thesis.

Payments of scholarships can only be made upon approval by the Dean, who will base the decision upon the need to preserve the capital, how accurately the selection process has followed the rules and how open the call out for applicants has been.

Terms and Conditions

All senate scholarship recipients must adhere to the conditions of UQ research and travel scholarships, including reporting and progress requirements.

- For Living and Top-up scholarships, recipients must adhere to the conditions of UQ's [Research Scholarship General Conditions](#).
- For Travel and Travel Plus scholarships, recipients must adhere to:
 - Any changes to the destination, purpose, or dates of travel requires prior approval from the Graduate School. Failure to obtain the approval may forfeit the award. Retrospective changes will not be approved.
 - Applicants must seek approval for the proposed activities and travel from their Principal Supervisor before submitting an application.
 - Applicants are responsible for arranging appropriate UQ travel insurance.
 - Travel must be completed before the Thesis Review milestone. Applicants who intend to travel immediately before, or at the time the milestone is due, may be required to submit an application for an extension to the milestone on research-related grounds.
 - Any unspent funds must be returned.
 - Successful applicants must submit a report, and a reconciled budget with scanned copies of airfare and accommodation receipts within one month of their return.
 - Applicants must demonstrate that additional funds are available to supplement the award, if required.

Holders of these senate scholarships must acknowledge them in any paper that is published as a result of the research conducted while the recipient held the scholarship.

Donors may also invite the recipient to present on the work conducted as part of the scholarship, in which case they are encouraged to comply or risk losing the scholarship.

Senate Rule – Financial Awards

Adam Gillespie Memorial Scholarship for Animal Husbandry

Established in 1990 and maintained by the income from a bequest of \$65,100 from Elsie Gillespie as a memorial to Adam Gillespie.

The purpose of the scholarship is to support Research Higher Degree students studying in the field of natural resources, agriculture or veterinary science.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Partial Top-Up Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to full-time RHD students studying in the field of natural resources, agriculture or veterinary science.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation by a Graduate School selection committee.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- strength of commitment to pursue a career in natural resources, agriculture or veterinary science; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 4 years and will be awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The scholarship equates to a top-up scholarship, the exact proportion to be determined by the Dean UQ Graduate School, as funds permit

Alan Grant-Taylor Memorial Scholarship

Established in 1995 and maintained by an annual award from the Alan Grant-Taylor Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to RHD students who are studying in a field of community pharmacy practice.

Selectors

Selection will be made by the Dean of the UQ Graduate School on recommendation by the Head of School of Pharmacy after consultation with a committee comprising:

- an academic representative from the School of Pharmacy;
- three representatives of the Pharmacy Guild of Australia; Queensland Branch,
- one representative of the Pharmaceutical Society of Australia (Queensland Branch);
- and one representative from the Alan Grant-Taylor Memorial Scholarship Fund Committee.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of academic merit and the merit of the proposed research program.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 3 years, with a possible 6 month extension and awarded when the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the Scholarship is equal to the stipend for the Australian Postgraduate Award and includes a single allocation of \$3,000 for material expenses associated with the research.

Alfred Midgley Postgraduate Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2010 by a bequest from the estate of Zoe Ann Burnett, in memory of her grandfather the late Dr Alfred Midgley, and it is supported annually from the income of her estate. Dr Alfred Midgley contributed to many aspects of early Queensland life. He was a member of the ninth Queensland parliament, an early published Queensland poet, and a minister in the Methodist Church. Zoe Ann Burnett graduated in Arts from The University of Queensland in 1948 and was awarded a Masters of Literary Studies in 1989. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a postgraduate student engaged in research in the field of Australian literature.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Half Top-Up.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to Research Higher Degree candidates conducting research in the field of Australian Literature.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the advice of the Head of School, Communication and Arts.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis merit as deemed by:

- The applicant's academic performance as an undergraduate student, to date;
- The likelihood of the applicant's research producing excellent research outcomes; and
- any other matters the selector sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 3 years, with a possible 6 month extension and awarded when the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The minimum amount of the scholarship will be \$6,000 per annum. The maximum amount must not exceed the annual distributable income of the estate of Zoe Ann Burnett.

Alumni Association — Elizabeth Usher Memorial Travelling Scholarship

(Established in 1999 by a bequest from the estate of the late Elizabeth Catherine Usher, AO, who was a longstanding member of the Alumni Association of the University of Queensland Inc.)

1. The object of the award is to support overseas travel to assist a student in the presentation of a research paper or poster at an international conference so that Australia may benefit from the knowledge and experience gained.
2. (a) An applicant must be —
 - (i) a graduate of this University of up to 5 years standing; and
 - (ii) a second or third year PhD candidate.
 (b) Consideration will be given to —
 - (i) the benefit to Australia from the knowledge and experience gained;
 - (ii) the applicant's postgraduate career; and
 - (iii) the applicant's aptitude for original research.
3. The Scholarship will be awarded annually by Senate on the recommendation of the Academic Board after consultation with the Alumni Association of the University of Queensland Inc ("Association").
4. The recipient will endeavour to acknowledge publicly the financial support of the Association.
5. Within one month of return to Australia the recipient must submit a written report on the attendance at the conference to the Association. Within one year of return to Australia, the recipient must deliver a seminar on the conference to members of the Association.
6. The minimum value of the scholarship is \$2,500.

Arlo D. Harris Travel Scholarship

(Established in 1999 by a bequest to the University under the will of the late Dr Arlo Dean Harris who, while a professor at San Bernadino State University in California, spent several periods of research leave in the Department of Chemistry at this University.)

1. The object of the scholarship is to promote visits by postgraduate students enrolled in the Department of Chemistry, School of Molecular and Microbial Sciences at this University to overseas universities for the purpose of collaborative research for a period between one and 12 months, to assist the recipient's professional development.
2. The Scholarship will be awarded annually by Senate on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Chemistry, after applications have been considered by the selection committee comprising the Department's research committee and a postgraduate student representative.
3. The applicant must —
 - (a) be a student of outstanding ability and enrolled for a research higher degree in chemistry; and
 - (b) provide a plan indicating how the scholarship would be spent in furthering the applicant's research and professional development; and
 - (c) be available for interview by the selection committee.
4. The value of the scholarship will be up to \$2,500 and will be applied towards the purchase of a return economy airfare and associated travel expenses to the chosen destination.
5. The recipient must submit a written report to the Head of Department on the work undertaken during the tenure of the scholarship.
6. Preference may be given to an applicant seeking to visit the USA or Canada.

Baillieu Research Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 1954 and is maintained by a gift under the provisions of the Repatriation Fund (Baillieu Gift) Act 1937. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a research higher degree candidate in the field of medicine, law, commerce, economics or architecture.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to RHD candidates past the confirmation milestone in the field of medicine, law, commerce, economics or architecture.

Preference will be given to a candidate who is the lineal descendant of an Australian soldier or sailor who died, was blinded or was totally and permanently incapacitated as a result of their service in World War I; or is or has been a serviceman/woman.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School Dean.

Selection Process

The Dean must rank the eligible applicants consecutively in order of merit, based on, for each applicant:

- applicant's academic background, prizes and achievements; and
- evidence of the applicant's research potential and achievements; and
- the quality, significant and strategic fit with the University of the applicant's research.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year and awarded when the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The scholarship's nature and value shall be determined by the Dean.

Carolyn D. Baker Memorial Scholarship

Established in 2004 as a memorial to Dr Carolyn Baker, a former Associate Professor at the School of Education of the University of Queensland and maintained by donations from her family, friends and work colleagues.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to RHD candidates past the confirmation milestone studying in the field of education.

Selectors

The Scholarship is awarded by the Dean of the Graduate School dean on the recommendation of the Head, School of Education, after consultation with a selection committee comprising:

- the Head, School of Education,
- Mr John Baker, or nominee,
- the Director of Research in the Faculty of and Humanities and Social Sciences.
- three people selected by the Head, School of Education and Mr John Baker from within the discipline of education research, of whom two must be employed by the University of Queensland.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- acceptance to present a paper at a conference.
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel and shall be awarded in March.

Value

The value of the scholarship is \$2,500.

Cecilie Anne Sloane Postgraduate English Creative Writing Research Scholarship

Established in 2006 in memory of Cecilie Anne Sloane, a former tutor and lecturer in the Department of English at The University of Queensland, and maintained by the income from a perpetual endowment fund setup by a gift from her brother-in-law, RF (Ron) Diamond, and her sister, HM (Helen) Diamond. The purpose of the scholarship is to enable a research higher degree candidate to undertake English language creative writing research within The University of Queensland.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates researching in the field of creative writing.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the advice of a selection committee comprising:

- Academic staff from the School of Communication and Arts; and
- Non-university experts in the field of English language creative writing, with university academic staff in the majority.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the quality of the applicant's academic and research work throughout his or her academic career, including demonstrated aptitude, suitability and potential for original research; and
- the applicant's experience and achievement in English language creative writing.
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$2,000.

Special Conditions

The scholar must, not more than 3 months after the scholarship ends, submit to the selection committee a full and final written report, suitable for circulation within the university, of the progress and outcome of the research undertaken during the tenure of the scholarship.

Charles Morphett Pegler Scholarship

Established in 1985 by a bequest to the University under the will of Charles Morphett Pegler who died on 24 March 1954.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Partial Top-up.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates in the field of pastoral or agricultural research.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 4 years and awarded as the tenure falls vacant. The Dean may determine the number to be awarded.

Value

The value of the scholarship is \$12,000.

David Farrell Postgraduate Award

Established in 2001 through a gift from David Farrell this scholarship was recognised by Senate in 2015.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

An applicant is eligible for the scholarship in a year if, in that year, the applicant:

- Is enrolled full-time;
- Is studying plant science and animal nutrition field through the School of Agriculture and Food Science;
- Can demonstrate evidence of financial need.

Selectors

Selection of the scholar will be made by a committee comprised of the Head, School of Agriculture and Food Science or nominee and a at least one teaching staff member from the field of plant science and animal nutrition. The selection must be endorsed by the Associate Dean (Academic) before being sent for approval by the Dean of the UQ Graduate School.

Selection Process

The committee must rank the eligible applicants for the year consecutively in order of merit, based on:

- Financial circumstances as evidenced by supporting documentation;
- Academic achievement in their program to date;
- Other evidence as may be deemed relevant to future success in the relevant field;
- Preference will be given to an international student;

- Any other matters the committee sees fit.

Tenure

The Scholarship is a one off payment and applies to the year of award.

Value

\$2,500.

Special Conditions

- The funds must not be used for travel or subsistence.
- The award is to be used for research materials, analytical services, thesis preparation/binding, etc.

Dr David Galbraith Postgraduate Research Scholarship in Companion Animal Health

The scholarship was established in 2013 and is maintained by an annual gift from Dr David Galbraith. The purpose of the scholarship is to encourage and support meritorious students to pursue postgraduate research to improve the health and quality of life of feline and canine companion animals.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to research higher degree candidates pursuing research to improve the health and quality of life of feline and canine companion animals.

Applicants must:

- be a domestic student within the meaning of the Fee Rules.
- be currently enrolled full-time in either a Masters of Philosophy (MPhil) or Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) program.
- not hold another scholarship that the Head of Veterinary Science considers to be similar.

Selectors

The Dean of the Graduate School may award one scholarship to a student on the recommendation of the Head of Veterinary Science.

The Head of Veterinary Science must establish a selection committee, comprising -

- The Head of Veterinary Science, or nominee, as chair of the committee; and
- The Donor, or nominee, and
- At least one member of the university's academic staff who is currently undertaking research in a companion animal health related field, with university staff comprising the majority.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- the applicant's academic performance as a MPhil or PhD student, to date; and
- strength of interest shown in companion animal health; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.
- The selection committee may decide to interview short-listed applicants.
- Any other matters the committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for a maximum of 3 years, with the possibility of a 6 month extension. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The scholarship equates to \$27,500 per year.

Dorothy Hill PhD Scholarship

Established in 2005 by a bequest from the estate of the late Emeritus Professor Dorothy Hill, AC, CBE, who had a long standing association with the University of Queensland which lasted more than 60 years.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Top-Up Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates studying in the School of Earth Sciences in the areas of palaeontology, stratigraphy and sedimentology research.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Graduate School Dean on the recommendation of the Head of Earth Sciences, who shall convene a selection committee comprising majority UQ staff.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 3 years, with the possibility of a 6 month extension. It will be awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship shall be determined by the Dean of the Graduate School, but shall at all times preserve the capital.

Special Conditions

The Scholar must be enrolled full-time throughout their studies.

Dr Alf Howard International Travel Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2011 and is maintained by a bequest from the estate of Dr Alf Howard AM.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to RHD candidates from the School of Human Movement and Nutrition Sciences who have passed their confirmation milestone.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the School of Human Movement and Nutrition Sciences Head of School and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the significance and relevance of the proposed international travel to the applicant's research higher degree candidature and the potential for it to enhance the thesis or their professional development; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$4,500.

Dr Elaine Katte Postgraduate Neurology Research Scholarship

(A scholarship to be established and maintained by the income of a perpetual endowment fund from a bequest to the University of Queensland under the will of Dr Elaine Katte.)

1. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a research higher degree candidate undertaking full-time neurology research, preferably focusing on neuroimmunology.
2. The scholarship is awarded by the Dean of Postgraduate Students on the recommendation of the Scholarship Advisory Committee (the "committee").
3. The committee must comprise representatives nominated by the Dean of Postgraduate Students from –
 - (a) Neuroimmunology Research Centre; and
 - (b) university academic staff with expertise in the area of neurology and neuroimmunology; and
 - (c) non-university experts in the field of neurology, with university academic staff in the majority.
4. The scholarship is open to applicants who –
 - (a) have enrolled or intend to enroll in a research higher degree at the university; and
 - (b) demonstrate a high level of academic achievement and ability; and
 - (c) satisfy the committee they will –
 - (i) conduct neurology research, preferably in neuroimmunology; and
 - (ii) collaborate with the Neuroimmunology Research Centre while the Centre is operational.
5. In making its recommendation to the Dean of Postgraduate Students, the committee must take into account –
 - (a) the performance of the applicant at an interview with the committee; and
 - (b) the quality of the applicant's academic and research work throughout his or her academic career, including demonstrated aptitude, suitability and potential for original research; and
 - (c) a research plan outlining how the scholarship will be used in furthering the applicant's research and professional development; and
 - (d) the applicant's strength of commitment to pursue a professional career in neurology research; and
 - (e) the applicant's experience and achievement in neurology research.
6. Application forms must be lodged with the Office of Research and Postgraduate Studies by the date set by the Dean of Postgraduate Students.
7. The value of the scholarship is a stipend equivalent to the value of an Australian Postgraduate Award.
8. The scholarship is granted on the following conditions –
 - (a) any published paper or report dealing directly with work done as a holder of the scholarship must state that the work was done as a holder of the Dr Elaine Katte Postgraduate Neurology Research Scholarship at the University of Queensland; and

- (b) the scholar must, not more than 3 months after the scholarship ends, submit to the scholarship advisory committee a full and final written report that is suitable for circulation within the university outlining the progress or outcome of the research undertaken during the tenure of the scholarship.
 - (c) the Dean of Postgraduate Students may terminate the scholarship if the research topic is substantially changed during the period of tenure.
9. The Dean of Postgraduate Students may award the scholarship on the conclusion of the previous recipient's tenure or more frequently if the income of the fund permits.
 10. The scholarship must be presented to the recipient at an official School of Medicine function.

Dr F & Mrs ME Zaccari Scholarship

Established as a Faculty of Health Sciences award in 2002, and as a Senate award in 2008 from a gift of \$550,000 from Dr F & Mrs ME Zaccari.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates who will undertake full-time, multidisciplinary, collaborative research into schizophrenia, preferably focusing on the cause, or the prevention, or the treatment, or the cure of schizophrenia and other allied mental illnesses.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on advice of a selection committee comprised of representatives from, but not limited to:

- Queensland Centre for Mental Health Research.
- Schizophrenia Fellowship of Queensland.
- University of Queensland academic staff in the field of schizophrenia.
- Dr F Zaccari or Mrs Helen Moloughney or their representative; and
- other panel members as deemed appropriate, with UQ staff in the majority.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience in schizophrenia research and potential for scholastic success;
- the research plan and expected outcomes of the project;
- how the scholarship will be used in furthering the applicants research and professional development;
- the applicant's commitment to pursue a professional career in schizophrenia and research;
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to three years, with the possibility of a six month extension. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is \$30,000 per annum.

Dr Rosamond Siemon Postgraduate Renal Research Scholarship

This scholarship initially established in 2006, was endowed in 2013 and will be offered in perpetuity. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a research higher degree candidate undertaking multidisciplinary, collaborative research into renal disease, repair and regeneration and was originally provided as a gift to the Institute for Molecular Bioscience (IMB).

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates undertaking research directed towards the development of therapies for renal disease, repair and regeneration, preferably focussing on therapies applicable to the form of chronic renal failure termed polycystic kidney disease; and collaborating with the renal consortium, while the consortium is operational.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on advice of a selection committee comprised of university experts in the area of renal disease, repair and regeneration, with a preference for representation from the Renal Regeneration Consortium.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience in research and potential for scholastic success;
- the multidisciplinary, collaborative nature of the research;
- the research plan and expected outcomes of the project;
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree up to 3 years, with the possibility of a 6 month extension. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the living scholarship is \$30,000 per annum with a discretionary research, top up or tuition support allocation determined by the Dean, with consideration to the overall health of the fund.

Special Conditions

When a cure has been found, or if after 3 years the scholarship has not been able to be awarded to a suitable candidate in renal research, it may be awarded as a 12 month top-up to one or more candidates in any area of medical research undertaken at IMB or the Institute's successors.

E.M.A. and M.C. Henker Postgraduate Medical Research Scholarship

Established in 1991 and maintained by the income from bequests of Miss Edith MA Henker and Miss Minnie C Henker. The purpose of the scholarship is to support medical research.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Top-Up Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship will be open to full time Research Higher Degree students undertaking medical research.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience and potential for scholastic success;
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 3 years, with the potential for a half year extension subject to satisfactory progress and approval from UQ Graduate School. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is at least \$18,000 per annum. The number to be awarded can be determined by the Dean but should not exceed available funds and preserve the investment.

Ernest Singer Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1977 and is maintained by a bequest from the late Ernest Singer, Doctor of Medicine and of Science.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Plus Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to candidates from a non-English speaking background to undertake a research higher degree.

Candidates must:

- meet UQ's English language proficiency admission requirement; and
- have a native language that is not English, and
- be born in a country where the native language is not English, and
- not have been adopted by or grow up as a member of a family who spoke English as their main language.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the quality, significant and strategic fit with the University of the applicant's research project; and
- any other matters the Dean sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 4 years. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is determined by the Dean of the Graduate School, but will at minimum include a living allowance equal to the APA rate, with additional funds going towards tuition fees and/or a top-up allowance.

F.G. Meade Scholarships

The scholarship was established in 1976 and is maintained by a bequest from the late Frampton Garnsey Meade.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Plus Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to candidates studying in any field relating to the pure sciences namely natural sciences; including biology, chemistry and physics.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience and potential for scholastic success; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 4 years. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is determined by the Dean of the Graduate School, but will at minimum include a living allowance equal to the APA rate, with additional funds going towards tuition and/or a top-up allowance.

Frank Nicklin Scholarships

The scholarship was established in 1968 and is maintained by a donation raised by public subscription to commemorate the record of service of Sir George Francis Reuben Nicklin, KCMG, MM, Hon. LLD to the State of Queensland during his period in public life, including his then record term as Premier.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to candidates studying in any field relating to primary production, including mining.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience in research and potential for scholastic success;
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 4 years. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is determined by the Dean of the Graduate School, but will at minimum include a living allowance equal to the APA rate, with additional funds going towards tuition fees and/or a top-up allowance.

George Osborne Research Scholarship

Established in 2009 in memory of the late Dr H. George Osborne AM, Dean of Veterinary Science at UQ from 1971 to 1972, and is maintained by an annual donation by his family.

Type

Research Higher Degree Grant.

Eligibility

The purpose of the scholarship is to support a domestic PhD student engaged in beef cattle or sheep research, including production, reproduction or medicine research in the School of Veterinary Science.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Head of Veterinary Science and must be endorsed by the Associate Dean (Academic) before being sent for approval by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the location of the research to be conducted, preference being given to candidates whose research is conducted at the Goondiwindi Pastoral Centre; and
- any other matters the Head of Veterinary Science sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, subject to the recipient maintaining satisfactory academic progress during the year. If there are no applicants of sufficient merit in one year, the scholarship is to be rolled over to the following year for one or more candidates.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$5,000 per annum.

Guilford Bell Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2009 and is maintained by a bequest from the late Orme Augusta Marsh. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a research higher degree candidate in observing architectural methods used overseas.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to PhD candidates in the field of architecture.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the Advice of the Head of School Architecture.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- the merit of the applicant's proposed travel plan, indicating how the scholarship would be spent to observe overseas architectural methods; and
- the significance and relevance of the proposed overseas travel to the applicant's research higher degree candidature.
- the potential for the proposed travel to enhance the quality of the applicant's research higher degree thesis.
- the potential for the proposed travel to expedite the completion of the thesis.
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 years, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship is at least \$4,000.

Helen Kay PhD Scholarship

Established by donations from Marie and Alf Berry in memory of their granddaughter Helen Kay, a postgraduate research student who died in 1999 while completing her degree, the scholarship commemorates the work of a promising young scholar of Australian literature, life writing and the environment.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to Research Higher Degree candidates conducting research in the School of Communication and Arts.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the advice of a selection committee comprised of:

- the Communication and Arts Head of School or their delegate; and
- academic representatives from Communication and Arts; and
- a student representative who is undertaking a research higher degree and is not an applicant in the round.

Selection Process

The Scholarship is awarded annually in November/December to a PhD student in the school who satisfies the committee that he or she will submit their thesis for examination on or before 31 March ("the date") following the award.

Applicants must provide evidence to the satisfaction of the selection committee that, with financial assistance provided by the scholarship, they will submit by the date.

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- advice of the principal advisor as to the likelihood of the date being met; and
- the level of promise shown by the student; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held from 1 January to 31 March.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$5,000.

Herdsman Fellowship in Medical Science

Established in 1994 and maintained by the income from a bequest of \$260,000 from Mrs Rose Herdsman who maintained a deep interest in medicine throughout her life. To support postgraduate research students undertaking research in medical or related sciences that address the problems of the aged.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to graduates in medicine or related sciences, enrolled full-time in a research higher degree on a topic related to the medical problems of the aged.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School on the advice of a Graduate School selection committee.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience in research and potential for scholastic success;
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 3 years, with the potential for a half year extension subject to satisfactory progress and approval from UQ Graduate School. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is determined by the Dean of the Graduate School, but will at minimum include a living allowance equal to the APA rate, with additional funds going towards tuition fees and/or a top-up allowance.

Special Conditions

If at any time two males hold the Fellowship in succession, the next Fellowship will only be open to female applicants.

Jean and George Campbell-Brown Scholarship

Established in 1998 by a bequest to the University under the will of the late Leslie Campbell-Brown. The object of the scholarship is to enable postgraduate students in the fields of social work and human services to undertake collaborative or comparative research and/or develop their research or scholarly skills by visiting overseas universities and relevant organisations and institutions.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Plus.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to RHD candidates studying in the field of social work or human services.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on recommendation of a committee comprised of, but not limited to:

- Head, School of Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work or delegate;
- Director of Postgraduate Studies, School of Nursing, Midwifery and Social Work or delegate;

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- how the scholarship will contribute to furthering the applicant's research and/or research development; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year.

Value

The value of the scholarship is no more than \$6,000. The number to be awarded will be determined by the Dean, UQ Graduate School.

Jester Research Scholarship in Veterinary Science

The scholarship was established in 2003 and is maintained by a bequest from the estate of June S Harms.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to male research higher degree candidates in the field of veterinary science.

Selectors

The Dean of the Graduate School may award one scholarship to a student on the recommendation of the Head of Veterinary Science.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the quality, significance and strategic fit of the applicant's research project; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 4 years. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The scholarship equates to a living scholarship, the exact proportion to be determined by the Dean UQ Graduate School in consultation with the Head of Veterinary Science as funds permit.

Joan Allsop Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2012 and is maintained by donations and a bequest from Dr Joan Allsop.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Plus Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates undertaking a project relating to an Australian topic, including Australian history, flora and fauna.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the significance and relevance of the proposed use of the scholarship to the applicant's research higher degree candidature.
- the potential for the proposed use of the scholarship to expedite the completion and enhance the quality of the applicant's thesis; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The scholarship value is up to \$6,000. The number awarded each year shall be at the Dean's discretion depending on the health of the fund.

Joseph Sleight Bursary

Established in 1996 by a bequest to the University of \$26,000 under the Will of Joseph Sleight to support research in some branch of psychological medicine.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to Research Higher Degree or Post Graduate Students conducting research in the area of psychological medicine while undertaking the research dissertation in their study program. Student must be enrolled in the Master of Clinical Psychology, Master of Applied Psychology, Doctor of Psychology, or PhD programs. The research must examine a topic that seeks to further understand the psychological processes relevant to the development, prevention or treatment of a medical condition. The Bursary must be spent on equipment, maintenance items or data entry related to the program.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation of a committee comprised of:

- the Head of Psychology or their delegate.
- 2 members of staff from the School of Psychology.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the significance and relevance of the proposed use of the scholarship to the applicant's research higher degree candidature; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year and is a one off payment.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$2,000.

Kathleen Campbell-Brown Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2011 and is maintained by a bequest from Leslie Campbell-Brown.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Plus Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to research higher degree candidates in the field of French studies undertaking research travel overseas.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation of the Head of Languages and Cultures.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the significance and relevance of the proposed use of the scholarship to the applicant's research higher degree candidature,
- the potential for the proposed use of the scholarship to expedite the completion and enhance the quality of the applicant's thesis; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$6,000, the number awarded each year shall be at the Dean's discretion depending on the health of the fund.

Keith Mackie Lucas Scholarship

Established by a bequest of \$50,000 from the estate of Marjorie Ella Lucas to commemorate the name of her late husband Keith Mackie Lucas who graduated BVSc (Melb) in 1924 but who spent the majority of his career in professional practice in Brisbane.

The scholarship was established in 1997 and is maintained by a bequest from the estate of Marjorie Ella Lucas.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Plus Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to research higher degree candidates in the field of veterinary science.

Selectors

The Dean of the Graduate School may award one scholarship to a student on the recommendation of the Head of Veterinary Science.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the quality, significance and strategic fit of the applicant's research project; and
- any other matters the Head of Veterinary Science sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$6,000.

Special Conditions

If the Head of Veterinary Science is satisfied that more than one eligible applicant is of sufficient merit to warrant the award of the scholarship, the Head must recommend that the scholarship be awarded to the applicant with the highest ranking.

If at any time the Senate of the University of Queensland is of the opinion that it is no longer practicable for the Scholarship to be administered according to the scheme described above, the Senate may use the fund for the benefit of the School of Veterinary Science upon such terms as the Senate may decide, provided that in the application of that fund, the name of Keith Mackie Lucas shall be perpetuated in the School of Veterinary Science in some manner.

L.C. Thompson Urological Scholarship

Established in 1994 by a gift of \$75,000 from Dr Les Thompson, Urologist. The Scholarship is awarded for the purpose of enabling a postgraduate student within the Department of Surgery to pursue a program of study leading to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to Research Higher Degree candidates in the field of Surgery pursuing a Doctor of Philosophy.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean, UQ Graduate School on the advice of a committee comprised of:

- the Associate Director of Research, or their delegate, of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences
- Dr L.C. Thompson or delegate and
- others with a special interest in the field of urology as determined by the Associate Director of Research of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, Dr Thompson, or delegates.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and experience in research and potential for scholastic success;
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 3 years, with the potential for a half year extension subject to satisfactory progress and approval from UQ Graduate School. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is not to exceed \$1,000.

Special Conditions

Where possible these scholarship funds should go to support research higher degree candidates researching the biology of renal cell carcinoma.

The LEO Foundation PhD Scholarships for Dermatological Research

The scholarship was established in 2012 and is maintained by a donation from The LEO Foundation as managed by the Australian office of LEO Pharma Pty Ltd. The scholarship is funded by the LEO Foundation for students undertaking a PhD with the University of Queensland. In total two scholars will be funded.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to research higher degree students in the field of dermatological research. The student must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident, or citizen of New Zealand.

Selectors

- Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the advice of a committee comprised of:
- the Associate Director of Research of the Faculty of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, or nominee, as chair of the committee; and
- a representative from the LEO Foundation; and
- an academic staff member from UQ in the field of dermatological research, as nominated by the Associate Director of Research of the Faculty of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the quality, significance and strategic fit of the applicant's research project; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 3 years, with the potential for a half year extension subject to satisfactory progress and approval from UQ Graduate School. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is at least equivalent to the Australian Postgraduate Award. If additional funds are available in the final year of the scholar's tenure they may be directed towards research and travel costs.

Madeleine Taylor Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2011 and is maintained by a bequest from the estate of Madeleine Olive Taylor. The purpose of the scholarship is to support work in women's studies in the areas of sociology and anthropology.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

- The scholarship is open to a research higher degree (RHD) candidates or postgraduate coursework students who undertake research activities in women's studies in the areas of sociology or anthropology.
- RHD candidates must have passed their confirmation milestone to be eligible.
- Postgraduate Coursework students must have completed one semester of study to be eligible.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation of the Head of Social Science.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- the applicant's research as it relates to women's studies.
- the significance and relevance of the proposed use of the scholarship to the applicant's research, and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The Scholarship is a one off payment and applies to the year of award.

Value

The value of the scholarship is a minimum of \$1,000.

MG and RA Plowman Postgraduate Fellowship in Inorganic Chemistry

Established in 2005 by a bequest to the University under the will of the late Mrs MG Plowman in memory of her late husband, Professor Ron Plowman, Professor of Inorganic Chemistry and a former Head of the Department of Chemistry. The object of the scholarship is to promote visits by postgraduate students enrolled in research programs within the Chemistry and Molecular Biosciences to overseas laboratories for the purpose of collaborative research for a period of 1 to 12 months, to assist the recipient's research and professional development.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Plus.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to RHD candidates in the field of inorganic chemistry or an allied discipline.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of UQ Graduate School on recommendation of the Head of Chemistry and Molecular Biosciences.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- how the experience will enhance the applicants research and/or professional development; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 years, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$6,000 in any one year.

Morris W. Gunn Scholarship

(Established in 1998 as a memorial to Morris William Gunn, appointed in 1969 as the inaugural Professor in Electrical Engineering (Communications). Professor Gunn was founder and director of MITEC Limited and a foundation director of AUSSAT Pty Ltd. Professor Gunn retired from the University in 1988. The Scholarship commemorates his unique contribution to engineering education and industry. The Scholarship is maintained from gifts by Professor Gunn's family and Dr John Ness.)

1. One top-up scholarship is awarded by Senate on the recommendation of a committee comprising the Head, School of Information Technology and Electrical Engineering, (or a senior staff member in the area of telecommunications nominated by the Head of School), Dr P. Gunn (or nominee) and Dr J. Ness (or nominee).
2. The Scholarship is open to full-time students currently enrolled in a PhD program in an area of technology relevant to telecommunications, microwave engineering or electromagnetics.
3. The recipient must demonstrate a high level of academic ability. In making its recommendation, the committee may also consider an applicant's work experience, publications record and financial need.
4. The scholarship is tenable for a period of 3 years with the potential of a half year extension, subject to satisfactory research progress. The period of prior PhD candidature will be deducted from the maximum duration. When sufficient monies become available, the value and number of scholarships awarded in any one year is at the discretion of the committee. A recipient with unsatisfactory progress must show cause to the Head of School why the scholarship should not be terminated.
5. The amount of each scholarship is determined by the committee using the income of the fund. The capital must be preserved.
6. The recipient may hold any other scholarship or award if that scholarship or award permits.

Nancy Jones Travelling Scholarship

Established in 1998 by a bequest from the estate of the late Raymond Benjamin Jones to commemorate the name of his late wife, Nancy Jones.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel.

Eligibility

An applicant is eligible for the award of a scholarship in a year if, in that year, the applicant —

- is a confirmed research higher degree candidate undertaking a music performance research project for the piano, violin, viola or cello, and
- is a citizen or permanent resident of Australia;

Selectors

The selection of a scholar will be made by the Graduate School upon recommendation of the Head of the School of Music.

Selection Process

The Head of School must rank the eligible applicants for the year will rank applicants based on:

- The merit of the applicant's proposed use of the scholarship; and
- The significant and relevance of the proposed use of the scholarship to the applicant's research higher degree candidature; and
- The potential for the proposed use of the scholarship to further the applicant's development as a professional musician.
- Any other matters it thinks fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship shall not be more than \$3,000 and shall not exceed disbursements available from the fund.

Special Conditions

- The recipient of a scholarship must include in any paper that is published as a result of the research conducted while the recipient holds the scholarship a statement that the research was undertaken as the holder of the scholarship.

- The recipient of the scholarship must include in any program notes for performance recitals that incorporate research conducted while the recipient holds the scholarship a statement that the research was undertaken as the holder of the scholarship.

Owen Fletcher Research Fund

Established in 1980 by a gift of \$5,000 from Owen Maynard Fletcher, Solicitor, of Brisbane.

The fund may be used for the purpose of expanding and promoting research studies in law, and may make financial assistance available from the fund to eligible students, provided that if in any year it is of the opinion that research studies in law will be benefited by so doing,

Type

Research Higher Degree, Grant.

Eligibility

Students enrolled as full-time candidates for the degree of Master of Laws or the degree of Doctor of Philosophy following a program of advanced study and research in law.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Law.

Selection Process

An eligible student may apply to the Committee for financial assistance from the fund. In considering whether to recommend that assistance be given, the Committee may take into account any matter which it considers relevant to the merits of the application, bearing in mind the donor's expressed wish that the fund should be used for the purpose of expanding and promoting full-time research studies in law.

Tenure

The scholarship is a grant and a one off payment will be made. This grant can be made no more than once each year.

Value

The value of the scholarship shall not exceed the annual disbursement from the investment.

Osiecki Travel Scholarship for Classics Research

Established during 2014 and maintained by an annual donation from Mr Henry Osiecki and Dr Vera Osiecki this scholarship is to support Classics scholars with funds for travel necessary for their research.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to:

- research higher degree candidates;
- candidates with a thesis topic in the Classics and Ancient History discipline.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation of a committee comprising:

- the Head of School of Historical and Philosophical Inquiry;
- the holder of the Paul Eliadis Chair of Classics and Ancient History;
- Dr Vera Osiecki; and
- the Director of the R.D. Milns Antiquities Museum.

Selection Process

The Dean of the Graduate School will rank applicants on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- how travel will enhance the student's research; and

- any other matters they think fit.
- One scholarship recipient will be selected each year.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for 1 year.

Value

\$10,000.

Peel Fellowship

Established in 1974 by a bequest to the University of approximately of \$27,000 under the will of Edward James Peel.

The objective of the Fellowship is to enable domestic students who are agricultural science graduates of The University of Queensland to obtain special experience abroad.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

- The Scholarship is open to domestic research higher degree candidates enrolled full-time in studies in agricultural science and who have an undergraduate science degree from The University of Queensland.
- The recipient must conduct a period of research overseas, as approved by the recipient's PhD supervisor and the recommending committee.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation by a Graduate School selection committee.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the value of the proposed overseas research component to the applicants studies; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 4 years. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant. Continuation of the scholarship is dependent upon the recipient maintaining enrolment as a full-time Research Higher Degree candidate, unless in special circumstances the Dean of the Graduate School otherwise determines.

Value

The scholarship equates to a living scholarship, the exact proportion to be determined by the Dean UQ Graduate School, as funds permit.

Professor William Burnett Research Fellowships

The fellowship is in honour and acknowledgement of Professor William Burnett's contribution to Surgery, as the former Head of Surgery at The University of Queensland's School of Medicine. It was established in 2004 and is maintained by the income of a bequest from Professor Burnett's sister, Mrs Helen Ann Gordon Rimmer. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a PhD student in the discipline of surgery.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living plus Scholarship.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to research higher degree students in the field of surgery with at least one member of the advisory team a member of the academic discipline of surgery at UQ.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on recommendation by a committee comprising:

- The Associate Director of Research of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences at UQ or their delegate.
- At least one academic representative from the field of surgery at UQ.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the potential for the proposed use of the fellowship to advance research in the field of surgery; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 3 years, with the potential for a half year extension subject to satisfactory progress and approval from UQ Graduate School. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is determined by the Dean, but will at minimum include a living allowance equal to the APA rate, with additional funds going towards tuition and/or a top-up allowance. A maximum of two scholarships can be awarded at one time, dependent on funds. Care should be taken to preserve the capital.

RD Kitchen Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2007 and is maintained by annual earnings from the RD Kitchen Perpetual Endowment Fund. The scholarship supports research higher degree candidates in the field of music who intend to present research projects at distinguished international research conferences or equivalent forums for the presentation of creative work outside Australia.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to research higher degree students in the field of music.

An applicant is eligible for the award of a scholarship in a year if, in that year, the applicant has been accepted to present a research report at:

- a distinguished international research conference; or
- an equivalent forum for the presentation of creative work outside Australia.

Selectors

The selection of a scholar will be made by the Graduate School upon recommendation of the Head of the School of Music.

Selection Process

The Head of School will rank applicants based on:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the merit of the applicant's proposed use of the scholarship; and
- Any other matters it thinks fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship shall not be more than \$5,000 and shall not exceed disbursements available from the fund.

Sister Janet Mylonas Memorial Scholarship

Established in 1993 in memory of Sister Janet Mylonas and maintained by the income from an endowed bequest of \$277,100 to the University by the late Stelios Demetriou Mylonas. Mr Mylonas chose to honour his wife for the support she provided him working as a nursing sister in Adelaide while Mr Mylonas completed his studies.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Living Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to research higher degree students who are undertaking cancer research at UQ. The applicants must also:

- have at least one natural parent or a set of natural grandparents, who were born in Cyprus.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation by the Associate Director of Research of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences at UQ or their delegate.

Selection Process

The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

The selection committee will rank applicants based on:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- strength of commitment to pursue a career which includes cancer research; and
- any other matters it thinks fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for the length of the degree to a maximum of 3 years, with the potential for a half year extension subject to satisfactory progress and approval from UQ Graduate School. The scholarship is awarded as the tenure falls vacant.

Value

The value of the scholarship is up to \$30,000 per annum.

Special Conditions

If four years have passed (whether consecutive or not) in which no award was made, the eligibility requirement of having at least one natural parent or a set of natural grandparents who were born in Cyprus shall not apply for the following award.

Thomas McIntyre Scholarship

Established in 1961 under the provisions of the will of Miss Monica Francis McIntyre, who died in 1956, in memory of her father Thomas McIntyre, who was a State School Head Teacher and subsequently an Inspector of Schools. The purpose is to support research in to medical subjects, in particular research in tuberculosis.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Scholarship.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to PhD candidates in the field of medical research.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School on the recommendation of a committee comprising:

- The Associate Director of Research of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences at UQ or their delegate and;
- At least two representatives from the disciplines of medicine, social and preventative medicine, or pathology.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 years, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship is \$3,000 per year.

Walter and Eliza Hall Travelling Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 1949 and is maintained by a donation from the Trustees of the Walter and Eliza Hall Trust. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a research higher degree candidate in undertaking research travel overseas.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Travel Plus.

Eligibility

The Scholarship is open to research higher degree students undertaking research travel overseas.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by a Graduate School selection committee and approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the potential for the proposed travel to enhance the quality of the applicant's research higher degree thesis; and
- the potential for the proposed travel to expedite the completion of the thesis.
- any other matters seen fit.

Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 1 year, for the period of travel.

Value

The value of the scholarship shall not be more than \$6,000 and shall not exceed disbursements available from the fund.

Warwick and Nancy Olsen PhD Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2011 by Mr Warwick Olsen. The purpose of the scholarship is to support a research higher degree candidate in the field of biochemical engineering with a particular emphasis on using under-utilised natural resources in a manner beneficial to humanity.

Type

Research Higher Degree, Partial Top-Up Scholarship.

Eligibility

An applicant is eligible for award if they are:

- A research higher degree candidate in the field of biochemical engineering.
- Hold a full living allowance scholarship.
- Is a domestic candidate.

Selectors

Selection of a scholar will be made by the Graduate School Dean on the recommendation of the Head of Chemical Engineering.

Selection Process

Applicants will be ranked on the basis of:

- academic achievement and potential for scholastic success;
- the creativity of the research and innovation it may drive;

- the educational and wider societal impacts that the research may have;
- whether there is a focus on the candidate's research focusing on under-utilised natural resources in a manner beneficial to humanity;
- evidence of how the student will promote the scholarship through their work and networks; and
- any other matters the selection committee sees fit.
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Tenure

The scholarship may be held for up to 3 years, with the possibility of a 6 month extension. It will be awarded as the tenure falls vacant. It is intended that at least two scholarships run at any one time and separate endowment funds have been established to support this. If no candidates of sufficient merit are identified then the funds will be returned to the capital for that year.

Value

The value of the scholarship shall be determined by the Dean of the Graduate School, but shall at all times preserve the capital. The scholarship equates to a top-up scholarship, the exact proportion to be determined by the Dean UQ Graduate School, as funds permit. At all times the capital should be preserved.

Special Conditions

The Scholar must be enrolled full-time throughout their studies.