

The Ceridwen Indigenous Scholarship

(Established in 1999 and augmented by gifts from Ceridwen Greenfield and friends).

1. Purpose

The purpose of the scholarship is to support students undertaking Study or Research that will benefit Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander children in Australia.

2. Definitions

In these rules -

Approved Program means an undergraduate or postgraduate program in the field of Architecture, Design, Planning or Urbansim at The University of Queensland.

Donor means Ceridwen Trust.

Head means the Head, School of Architecture, Design and Planning.

Scholarship means The Ceridwen Indigenous Scholarship.

Study or Research means undergraduate and postgraduate study, and both pure and applied research. Examples of beneficial subject areas are Indigenous Australian health, education, housing, community planning and design, and quality of lifestyle.

3. Award, Value and Selection

- (1) One or more Scholarships will be awarded in a year in accordance with these rules.
- (2) The value of each Scholarship will be at least \$3,500 but will be limited to the annual income from the fund.
- (3) Each Scholarship will be tenable for a maximum period of one year.
- (4) The Scholarship shall be awarded on recommendation from the Head after consultation with a selection committee, comprising
 - (a) the Head (or nominee);
 - (b) a senior academic in the School of Architecture, Design and Planning specialising in Indigenous environments; and
 - (c) a representative from the Donor, nominated by the Head with University staff in the majority.

4. Eligibility and Award Criteria

- (1) An applicant is eligible for the Scholarship, if the applicant
 - (a) submits an application for the Scholarship to the Head, by the closing date for applications;
 - (b) is enrolled in the Approved Program; and
 - (c) is pursuing Study or Research in relation to Indigenous Australia.
- (2) The Scholarship is awarded to the student showing the greatest merit based on
 - (a) the academic merit or technical excellence of the applicant and their work; and
 - (b) the meritorious performance of the applicant or the actual contribution or likely contribution which the applicant has made or is likely to make, either directly or indirectly, to the benefit of Indigenous children in Australia.

5. Deferment and Interruption of Award

The Scholarship cannot be deferred or interrupted.

6. Termination of Award

The University may terminate a Scholarship -

- (a) if the recipient defers or interrupts their study; or
- (b) if the student commits misconduct.