David Dunlop Memorial Undergraduate Scholarship

(Established in 2019 by Alumni Friends of The University of Queensland Inc. under the Create Change Scholarship Match Initiative in honour of David Dunlop, a graduate of The University of Queensland and respected member of the dental profession. The Scholarship will be maintained by income generated from the endowment fund.)

1. Purpose

The Scholarship is to support a first year undergraduate student facing financial hardship to study in the discipline of dentistry.

2. Definitions

In these rules-

Approved Program means an undergraduate program in the discipline of dentistry.

Head means the Head of School, School of Dentistry.

Satisfactory Academic Progress means meeting the requirements to remain enrolled under the University's Academic Progression Procedure.

Scholarship means the David Dunlop Memorial Undergraduate Scholarship.

3. Award and value of scholarship

- (1) One Scholarship may be awarded per year on recommendation of the Head.
- (2) The value of the Scholarship will be at least \$4,500, but will be limited to the annual income from the fund.

4. Eligibility for award

An applicant is eligible for the Scholarship, if the applicant -

- (a) can demonstrate financial need;
- (b) submits an application to the Head, by the closing date for applications; and
- (c) is enrolled, or intends to enrol, in the first year of an Approved Program.

5. 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 two academic staff from the School of Dentistry.
- (2) The Scholarship is awarded on the basis of the following criteria
 - (a) evidence of financial need;
 - (b) personal qualities, including leadership potential;
 - (c) strength of the applicant's personal statement demonstrating how the Scholarship funds will assist completion of the student's program; and
 - (d) any other matter that the selection committee considers to be relevant to the applicant's future success in the dental profession.
- (3) The selection committee may interview shortlisted applicants.

6. Conditions for scholarship

- (1) The recipient may hold the Scholarship for up to one year, subject to the recipient
 - (a) continuing to be enrolled in an Approved Program; and
 - (b) maintaining Satisfactory Academic Progress in each semester that the Scholarship is held.
- (2) If a recipient fails to satisfy rule 6(1), the recipient must show cause to the Head, why the Scholarship should not be cancelled.

7. Termination of scholarship

The University may terminate a Scholarship -

- (a) if the recipient does not show cause to the reasonable satisfaction of the University as provided for in rule 6(2); or
- (b) if the student commits serious misconduct.