# The Ewing Horticulture Scholarship

(The scholarship was established in 2016 and is maintained by the income from a bequest from the late Mr Alexander Gordon Ewing. Mr Ewing was a student at Gatton campus when it was the Queensland Agricultural High School and College. The College took pupils in Years 8-10. Mr Ewing was a member of the Gatton Past Students Association from 2005 up until his death in 2013 at age 88).

## 1. Purpose

The purpose of the scholarship is to enable students to undertake and continue studies in the discipline of Horticulture.

#### 2. Definitions

In these rules -

**Approved Program** means an undergraduate program within the discipline of Horticulture at The University of Queensland;

Associate Dean means Associate Dean (Academic), Faculty of Science;

Scholarship means The Ewing Horticulture Scholarship.

**Ewing Scholarship** means The Ewing Agricultural Science Scholarship, The Ewing Horticulture Scholarship and The Ewing Veterinary Science Scholarship.

### 3. Award and value of scholarship

- (1) The minimum annual combined Ewing Scholarship value will be at least \$38,000 but will be limited by the annual income of the fund.
- (2) The value of each Scholarship will be the annual income of the fund split equally between all recipients of a Ewing Scholarship.
- (3) The University may award one or more Scholarships annually on the recommendation of the Associate Dean.

### 4. Eligibility for award

An applicant is eligible for the award of the Scholarship in a year if the applicant -

- (a) is enrolled in an Approved Program;
- (b) has not previously been awarded The Ewing Agricultural Science Scholarship or The Ewing Veterinary Science Scholarship: and
- (c) submits an application to the Associate Dean, by the closing date for applications.

## 5. Selection of award

- (1) The Associate Dean, or nominee, must form a selection committee and rank the eligible applicants for the year in order of merit.
- (2) The Scholarship is awarded to the applicant showing greatest merit, as demonstrated by -
  - (a) academic achievement:
  - (b) personal qualities, including leadership potential and community service; and
  - (c) any other matters the committee considers relevant.
- (3) Preference will be given to students from a rural background.

#### 6. Conditions for scholarship

(1) A recipient may hold the scholarship for one year.