



Hatch Engineering Scholarships

(The Scholarships were established in 2022 and are maintained by an annual gift from Hatch).

1 Purpose

The purposes of the Scholarships are to:

- recognise and reward engineering students for their academic achievements and leadership;
- support student diversity in engineering; and
- support engineering students facing financial hardship.

2 Definitions

In these rules -

Approved Engineering Program means the Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) or an engineering integrated program or an engineering dual program, as further specified in Addendum 2.

Associate Dean means the Associate Dean (Academic), Faculty of Engineering, Architecture and Information Technology.

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

Scholarships means the Hatch Engineering Scholarships, which are named in Addendum 1 to these rules.

3 Award, duration and value of Scholarships

- (1) Up to six Scholarships may be awarded each year by the Associate Dean in accordance with these rules and any additional terms specified in Addendum 1.
- (2) The value of each Scholarship is \$12,000 for the year in which it is held.
- (3) Each Scholarship will be tenable for a maximum period of one year.

4 Additional benefits

Hatch may offer the recipient of a Scholarship any of the following opportunities –

- (a) an ambassadorial role;
- (b) an industry placement at Hatch, in consultation with the recipient.

5 Eligibility for Scholarships

An applicant is eligible for a Scholarship if the applicant -

- (a) submits an application to the Associate Dean, by the closing date for applications;
- (b) is a domestic student in accordance with the University's Student Fees Policy;
- (c) is enrolled full time as an undergraduate in an Approved Engineering Program;
- (d) meets any additional eligibility requirements for a Scholarship set out in Addendum 1;
- (e) has, at the time of application, completed at least the minimum number of units towards the Approved Engineering Program within the range specified in Addendum 2 at the University of Queensland; and
- (f) does not hold another scholarship that the Associate Dean considers to be similar.

6 Selection of award

- (1) For the selection process, the Associate Dean must establish a selection committee, comprising –
 - (a) the Associate Dean, or nominee, as chair of the committee;
 - (b) at least one academic staff member who is currently teaching in an Approved Engineering Program; and
 - (c) up to one representative from Hatch,with UQ staff in the majority.
- (2) To be selected for a Scholarship, students must meet the selection criteria for a Scholarship set out in Addendum 1.
- (3) The selection committee may decide to interview shortlisted applicants.

7 Conditions for Scholarships

- (1) A recipient may hold a Scholarship for one year, subject to the recipient –
 - (a) maintaining full-time enrolment in an Approved Engineering Program;
 - (b) maintaining at least Satisfactory Academic Progress in each semester that the Scholarship is held;



- (c) not holding another scholarship that the Associate Dean considers to be similar; and
- (d) if applicable, meeting any additional conditions for a Scholarship set out in Addendum 1.
- (2) If a recipient fails to satisfy rule 7(1), the recipient must show cause to the Associate Dean, why the Scholarship should not be cancelled.
- (3) A Scholarship may not be deferred or interrupted.

8 Termination of Scholarships

The University will terminate a Scholarship:

- (a) if the recipient does not show cause to the reasonable satisfaction of the Associate Dean, as provided for in rule 7(2);
- (b) if the recipient defers, interrupts or suspends their study; or
- (c) if the student commits misconduct.

Addendum 1 – Additional Requirements for Scholarships within the Hatch Engineering Scholarships Scheme

Scholarship	Definitions	Number and Award	Eligibility	Selection	Conditions for Scholarship
Hatch Engineering Equity Scholarship		1 per year	(1) Is enrolled full-time in second, third or fourth year of an Approved Engineering Program and has, at the time of application, completed a number of units towards their program within the range specified in Addendum 2; and (2) Can demonstrate financial hardship.	The Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of demonstrated financial hardship.	
Hatch Engineering Merit Scholarship		3 per year	Is enrolled full-time in the third year of an Approved Engineering Program and has, at the time of application, completed a number of units towards their program within the range specified in Addendum 2.	The Scholarship will be awarded to the applicant showing greatest merit as demonstrated by - (a) academic achievement in courses undertaken to date in the relevant Approved Engineering Program; (b) personal qualities, including leadership potential as evidenced by a personal statement in the application; and (c) any other matter that the selection committee considers to be relevant.	Achieving a minimum GPA of at least 5 each semester in which the Scholarship is held
Hatch Structural/ Geotechnical Engineering Scholarship	Relevant Field means geotechnical or structural engineering in the civil engineering discipline.	1 per year	Is enrolled full-time in second, third or fourth year of an Approved Engineering Program in a Relevant Field and has, at the time of application, completed a number of units towards their program within the range specified in Addendum 2.	The Scholarship will be awarded to the applicant showing greatest merit as demonstrated by - (a) academic achievement in courses undertaken to date in the relevant Approved Engineering Program; (b) personal qualities, including leadership potential as evidenced by a personal statement in the application; and (c) any other matter that the selection committee considers to be relevant.	Achieving a minimum GPA of at least 5 each semester in which the Scholarship is held
Hatch Women in Engineering Scholarship		1 per year	(1) Is enrolled full-time in third year of an Approved Engineering Program and has, at the time of application, completed a number of units towards their program within the range specified in Addendum 2; and (2) Is a woman.	The Scholarship will be awarded to the applicant showing greatest merit as demonstrated by - (a) academic achievement in courses undertaken to date in the relevant Approved Engineering Program; (b) personal qualities, including leadership potential as evidenced by a personal statement in the application; and (c) any other matter that the selection committee considers to be relevant.	Achieving a minimum GPA of at least 5 each semester in which the Scholarship is held

Addendum 2 – Unit Completion Requirements for Eligibility

Hatch Engineering Equity Scholarship Hatch Structural/Geotechnical Engineering Scholarship		
Approved Engineering Program	Minimum number of units completed	Maximum number of units completed
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	12	52
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) / Master of Engineering	12	68
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) duals (80 units)	12	68
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) duals (88 units)	12	76
Hatch Engineering Merit Scholarship Hatch Women in Engineering Scholarship		
Approved Engineering Program	Minimum number of units completed	Maximum number of units completed
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	28	40
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) / Master of Engineering	28	40
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) duals (80 units)	28	40
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) duals (88 units)	28	40