



ANU College of Science and ANU College of Health & Medicine
DEAN'S INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP
CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION

Each semester the ANU College of Science and ANU College of Health & Medicine ("the Colleges"), may offer an award known as the Dean's International Science Excellence Scholarship ("the award").

The objective of the award is to attract the very best international students from the Colleges' institutional partners.

Funding for this award has been provided by the Colleges.

2. BENEFITS

The value of the award is stated in your letter of offer. The award will be paid in one instalment, after the census date of the semester the scholarship is awarded for, unless otherwise stated in the letter of offer.

The recipient is responsible for making payment of all tuition fees by the prescribed date as set out by the University each session. Recipients of this award are responsible for the costs of books, study materials, accommodation and all other costs of study.

3. ELIGIBILITY

The award is available each year to a prospective ANU student who is:

- (a) an international student. Dependents of the staff of diplomatic or consular missions are also eligible.
- (b) undertaking undergraduate or postgraduate studies at an institute which has an articulation agreement with the Colleges. List of the Colleges' articulation partners can be found here: <http://science.anu.edu.au/study/international-students/international-partnerships-and-credit-arrangements>
- (b) enrolled/enrolling in an undergraduate or postgraduate coursework program in the Colleges.

4. APPLICATION

Applications are called for with a closing date as set by the Colleges. The application is submitted on the prescribed electronic form and supporting documentation forwarded to the Colleges by email or post prior to the closing date.

5. SELECTION

Selection is made on the basis of academic merit.

The award is offered to a student by a selection committee chaired by the Associate Dean (Education) which will also include representatives from the Colleges' Research Schools and the Science Teaching and Learning Centre.

The selection committee reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The selection committee may also vary the number of awards and/or offer the award at other times in exceptional circumstances.

6. CONCURRENT HOLDING OF AWARDS

A recipient of the Dean's International Science Excellence Scholarship is not permitted to concurrently hold other scholarships, awards, grants and bursaries without written permission from the Deans of the Colleges).

Failure to declare and obtain permission to hold another award or scholarship may result in the recipient being required to refund a payment or payments to the College, as determined by the Deans of the Colleges.

7. DEFERMENT

The award cannot be deferred.

8. CESSATION OF AWARD

The award ceases or should be surrendered:

- (a) at the conclusion of the period outlined in section 2; or
- (b) on the date on which the recipient withdraws or ceases to attend the University other than for approved absences;
- (c) if a recipient fails to enrol as required in section 3;
- (d) if a recipient changes to part-time enrolment without permission,
- (e) if a recipient changes their program or course without permission;
- (f) if a recipient breaches academic or behavioural standards set by the University under the Academic Misconduct & Discipline Rules;

whichever is earliest.

9. REPAYMENT OF FUNDS

Subject to the information available at the time, the Deans of the Colleges may request that the payment for the semester in which the breach of conditions or withdrawal occurs be refunded in part or in full.

10. PROVIDING FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION

The awarding of a scholarship/grant is based on the information provided to the University. An award may be withdrawn at any stage if incorrect, false or misleading information is provided or relevant information is withheld. This includes circumstances where the false information is unrelated to the assessment in awarding the scholarship/grant.

11. VARIATION TO CONDITIONS OF AWARD

In exceptional circumstances and on a case-by-case basis section 6 and/or 7 of these conditions of award may be varied by the Deans on the recommendation of the Chair of Selection Committee.

12. TAXATION & CENTRELINK

Recipients are responsible for seeking taxation and Centrelink advice regarding their own individual circumstances. Scholarships/grants may be regarded as taxable income if a recipient is enrolled on a part-time basis.

For information on how your award may affect your Centrelink benefits, see this website <http://www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/enablers/income/>

13. ACCOMMODATION

It is the recipient's responsibility to obtain residential accommodation. Information on student accommodation and application forms are available from the University Accommodation Services. Information may be found on the Web at:

<http://www.anu.edu.au/study/accommodation>

14. PUBLICITY

The recipient may be requested to participate in publicity for the award from time to time. This may include publicity in the country of residence or of schooling. Recipients may be contacted for an interview and photograph. The University may also publicise the award by publishing the names of the recipients. Arrangements for such publicity will be made through the Colleges or Strategic Communications and Public Affairs Office of the University.

15. CONTACT WITH THE COLLEGES

All enquiries regarding the award and changes, issues, or further information after acceptance should be made to:

*International Development and Partnerships Office
ANU College of Science
ANU College of Health & Medicine
Peter Baume Building #42, Linnaeus Way
The Australian National University
Canberra ACTON 2601
AUSTRALIA*

16. DISCLAIMER

The recipient of this award is subject to The Australian National University Act 1991 as amended, and to the Statutes, Rules, Regulations and Resolutions of the University.

The award of a scholarship/grant does not carry any commitment by the University for future employment.

These conditions of award should be read in conjunction with the University's Coursework Scholarships Policy & Procedures available from the ANU website.

17. RELATED POLICIES, PROCEDURES & RULES

ANU Coursework Scholarship Policy -

https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_007803

ANU Coursework Scholarship Procedure -

https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_009607

ANU Academic Misconduct Rules - <https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01785>

ANU Discipline Rules - <https://www.comlaw.gov.au/Details/F2014L01792>