



## **KIM JACKSON SCHOLARSHIP**

### **CONDITIONS OF AWARD**

#### **1. INTRODUCTION**

In 2021, the ANU College of Engineering & Computer Science ('the College') may offer one award known as the Kim Jackson Scholarship ('the award').

The objective of the award is to support a female-identifying engineering student during their undergraduate degree at the ANU College of Engineering & Computer Science.

Funding for this award has been provided by Ms Kim Jackson, an ANU Alumnus, having graduated in 2002 with a Bachelor of Engineering Honours and a Bachelor of Commerce. Kim is a strong advocate on how education has the power to change lives and believes this scholarship will change the life of the recipient, enabling them to study at ANU and engage in all facets of university life.

#### **2. BENEFITS**

The value of the award is stated in your letter of offer. The duration of the award is the duration of the recipient's undergraduate degree, or five years, whichever is earliest. The award is paid in equal instalments after the census date of each Semester 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 female-identifying ANU student who:

- (a) is an Australian Citizen or Australian Permanent Resident;
- (b) receives an offer of admission to a Bachelor of Engineering or Bachelor of Engineering (Research and Development) single or flexible double degree offered by the College of Engineering & Computer Science;
- (c) has a residential address in a non-metropolitan area

#### **4. APPLICATION**

To be considered for the award applicants must apply for admission through the ANU Admission Scholarship and Accommodation (ASA) application system and elect to be considered for scholarships.

##### **Stage 1: Meeting Eligibility Criteria**

All prospective ANU students identified as meeting the eligibility criteria will be emailed and notified that the scholarship is available. To be formally considered for this award, applicants

must complete Stage 2 of the application process by the deadline published on the ANU Scholarships website.

### **Stage 2: Demonstrating a passion for Engineering**

The application is to be submitted on the prescribed form and includes a video application component. Any requirement for supporting documentation and forwarding details will be stated on the application form and/or ANU Scholarships website. The application and all supporting documentation (where applicable) must be submitted on, or prior to, the closing date published on the ANU Scholarships website.

The purpose of the video application is for the applicant to:

- Demonstrate their passion for Engineering
- Describe their grand vision for using their Engineering Degree
- Outline what the scholarship means to them

The content and the format of the video application is at the student's discretion and does not require professional editing or video equipment (smart phone recording is all that is expected, video quality will not be taken into account). Videos should be no more than three minutes in length.

## **5. SELECTION**

Selection is made on the basis of the answers submitted in the video application.

The award is offered to a student by a selection committee chaired by the Deputy Dean of the College of Engineering & Computer Science (or nominee). The committee will include the Director of the Research School of Electrical, Energy and Materials Engineering (or nominee) and Director of the Research School of Computer Science (or nominee).

The College of Engineering & Computer Science reserves the right to make no award if it considers there is no applicant of sufficient merit. The College of Engineering & Computer Science may also vary the number of awards and/or offer the award at other times in exceptional circumstances or based on the standard of applications or students (where funds allow).

## **6. CONCURRENT HOLDING OF AWARDS**

A recipient of the Kim Jackson Scholarship is permitted to hold concurrent scholarships as outlined in the ANU Coursework Scholarships procedure.

## **7. DEFERMENT**

The award cannot be deferred.

## **8. ONGOING ELIGIBILITY**

A recipient of this award is required to enrol in a full-time load (18-24 units per semester). A recipient requests permission, in writing, from the Dean, College of Engineering and Computer Science, to hold the award on a part-time basis. If approved, payments of the award will be made on a pro-rata basis.

Recipients are expected to maintain a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 4.5 or above each semester (with the average being across all courses taken in a particular semester or session/s overlapping that semester).

If a recipient is unable to achieve the GPA in any semester a formal warning is sent.

If the recipient does not meet the required GPA in a subsequent semester they risk having their award suspended or terminated.

A recipient is given the opportunity to explain their performance and how their performance can be remedied before a decision on the suspension or termination of an award is made.

## **9. CESSATION OF AWARD**

The award ceases or should be surrendered:

- (a) if a student no longer meets the eligibility requirements;
- (b) at the conclusion of the period outlined in section 2; or
- (c) on the date on which the recipient withdraws or ceases to attend the University other than for approved absences;
- (d) if a recipient fails to enrol as required in section 8;
- (e) if a recipient changes to part-time enrolment without receiving permission to retain their scholarship;
- (f) if a recipient transfers to a program not mentioned in section 3(c);
- (g) if a recipient fails to meet the minimum academic performance requirements;
- (h) if a recipient breaches academic or behavioural standards set by the University under the Academic Misconduct & Discipline Rules;

whichever is earliest.

## **10. REPAYMENT OF FUNDS**

Subject to the information available at the time, the Dean, College of Engineering and Computer Science, may request that the payment for the semester in which the breach of conditions or withdrawal occurs be refunded in part or in full.

## **11. PROVIDING FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION**

The awarding of a scholarship 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.

## **12. TAXATION & CENTRELINK**

Recipients are responsible for seeking taxation and Centrelink advice regarding their own individual circumstances. Scholarships 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 state or territory 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 College of Engineering & Computer Science or Strategic Communications and Public Affairs Office of the University.

### **15. DISCLOSURE AND DONOR CONTACT**

For the purposes of reporting on the impact of scholarships, the name, program name and demographics (for example: age, country or town of residence) relating to a recipient of this award may be disclosed to donors supporting the award. This will not include recipient contact details. The recipient may be asked to write a personal note of thanks or to meet with donors. Any contact between a donor and a recipient will be facilitated by the ANU Advancement Office or an authorised representative of the University.

### **16. CONTACT WITH THE SCHOLARSHIP OWNER**

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

College of Engineering & Computer Science

Email: [studentadmin.cecs@anu.edu.au](mailto:studentadmin.cecs@anu.edu.au)

### **17. 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.

### **18. RELATED POLICIES, PROCEDURES & RULES**

ANU Coursework Scholarship Policy - [https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP\\_007803](https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_007803)

ANU Coursework Scholarship Procedure - [https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP\\_009607](https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_009607)

ANU Academic Misconduct Rule - <https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2015L02025>

ANU Discipline Rule - <https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2015L02046>