



AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

FENNER SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP FOR AN ABORIGINAL OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER STUDENT

CONDITIONS OF AWARD

GENERAL

1. Introduction

There shall be a scholarship for award each year known as the Fenner School of Environment and Society Scholarship for an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Student.

2. Eligibility

The scholarship shall be available for award to an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander student who:

- (a) is enrolled in a degree program administered by the Fenner School of Environment and Society;

Eligible programs are:

Bachelor of Science (Forest Sciences)
Bachelor of Science (Resource and Environmental Management)
Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies (Sustainability)

- (b) provides proof of Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent AND identifies as an Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander and is accepted as such by the community/ies in which s/he has been or with which s/he is associated.

3. Applications

Applications shall be called for each year with a closing date as set, from time to time, by the Director, Fenner School of Environment and Society. The application shall be submitted in the form of a letter to the Director, Fenner School of Environment and Society, and include a brief statement setting out the reasons for their application.

An applicant who is not currently a student of this University must apply separately and concurrently for admission to the University.

4. Selection

The scholarship shall be awarded by the Director, Fenner School of Environment and Society. The successful candidate(s) will be selected on the basis of academic merit and their application.

The scholarship shall not be awarded if, in any year, in the opinion of the Director, Fenner School of Environment and Society, there is no applicant of sufficient merit.

SCHOLARSHIP

5. Value

The value of the scholarship will be outlined in an official letter of offer. More than one scholarship may be offered in any year if funds allow.

6. Payment

The scholarship shall be paid on commencement of one of the degree programs listed above in section 2 (a) and will be paid in two instalments – one each semester.

7. Deferment

The scholarship may not be deferred, unless otherwise approved by the Director, Fenner School or Environment and Society.

8. Publicity

It is anticipated that scholars may be requested to participate in publicity of the scholarship from time to time. A scholar may be contacted for an interview and photograph. Arrangements for publicity will be made through the College of Science.

9. Taxation Implications

Scholars are responsible for determining the taxation implications of their scholarship (if any) based upon their own individual circumstances.

10. Employment

This award does not carry any commitment by the University for future employment.