

2022 Dean of Medicine's Merit Scholarship

Terms and Conditions

1. SCHOLARSHIP

1.1. Two (2) Dean of Medicine's Merit Scholarships are available for Semester 1 (February) 2022.

1.2. This scholarship covers 25% of registered tuition fees for the full duration of the Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) coursework degree.

1.3. Scholarships will be awarded based on academic merit.

1.4. Scholarships are not transferable between courses.

1.5. The scholarship will be given in the form of a fee waiver at the start of each study period.

2. ELIGIBILITY OF APPLICANTS

2.1. To be eligible, applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

- a. be classified as an International Student as defined under the Application rules of the University of Tasmania;
- b. be either an offshore applicant (not currently in Australia) or an onshore applicant (currently in Australia) and commencing at the University of Tasmania for the first time;
- c. have received an overall International Students Admissions Test (ISAT) mark of 180 or higher;

- d. have received an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) of 95 or higher, or equivalent as determined by the University of Tasmania;
- e. not be a student from a TNE partner affiliated with the University of Tasmania;
- f. not be commencing at the University of Tasmania through an articulation agreement with a partner institution (e.g. 2 + 2 degree programs); and
- g. be commencing the first year of their program in Semester 1, 2022.

2.2. Applicants who apply for academic credit or advanced standing are not eligible to receive this scholarship.

2.3. Current University of Tasmania students transferring from a degree program into the Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery degree, are not eligible to receive this scholarship.

2.4. The scholarship recipient may not defer the commencement of their MBBS degree.

3. ONGOING ELIGIBILITY

3.1. To retain this scholarship, recipients are required to receive a minimum Pass or Ungraded Pass in all units of the course, as determined by the relevant rules of the MBBS program.

3.2. The scholarship recipient must not repeat any units of study.

4. APPLICATION PROCESS

4.1. Applicants are assessed automatically for the 2022 Dean of Medicine's Merit Scholarship upon submission of their International Student Application; there is no need to apply separately.

4.2. All decisions made by the University of Tasmania in respect to the scholarship are final and not subject to review.

5. ALLOCATION OF SCHOLARSHIP

5.1. Applicants will be notified whether they have been awarded the scholarship in their Letter of Offer.

6. STUDENT AMBASSADOR ROLE

6.1. Recipients of the Dean of Medicine's Merit Scholarship authorise the University of Tasmania to use, reproduce, and/or publish their image, their name and story in relation to the scholarship without compensation.

6.2. Applicants who accept the scholarship consent to becoming ambassadors for the University of Tasmania for the duration of their degree at the University of Tasmania without compensation. This includes:

- a. assisting with marketing initiatives by positively representing the University of Tasmania;
- b. sharing their positive University experiences with future students;
- c. participating in recruitment activities; and
- d. appearing in University of Tasmania promotional materials if requested.

6.3. The University will deal with all personally identifying information that a student provides in accordance with its Privacy Statements and Privacy Policy.

6.4. A student may contact the University in relation to their personal information that the University holds by contacting the International Student Recruitment Team at **Your.Study@utas.edu.au** or calling **+61 (3) 62266200**.

7. ACTIONS RENDERING THE SCHOLARSHIP VOID

7.1. This scholarship cannot be combined with another University of Tasmania scholarship or bursary (excluding a support package).

7.2. This scholarship is non-transferable and cannot be redeemed for cash.

7.3. If at any stage during or following the process of assessing and awarding a scholarship, any documents provided as part of the recipient's international student application is found not to be genuine; the scholarship will be immediately withdrawn.

7.4. International students on a Student Visa (subclass 500) must continue to satisfy the criteria for the grant of a visa and must maintain satisfactory attendance in their course, and satisfactory course progress for each study period as required by the University of Tasmania

7.5. If the student does not continue to be eligible for the scholarship as set out in clause 3, the scholarship may be immediately withdrawn by the University.

8. GOVERNANCE

- 8.1.** All scholarships are awarded at the University's discretion.
- 8.2.** The University of Tasmania reserves the right to revoke any scholarship at any time if a student is found to have provided information that is false or misleading, does not meet the scholarship eligibility criteria (including admission requirements), or does not comply with the ongoing scholarship conditions.
- 8.3.** Students must observe the University's rules of conduct and Behaviour Policy otherwise, this scholarship may be revoked immediately.
- 8.4.** The University excludes all liability to the maximum extent permitted by law.
- 8.5.** These terms and conditions are governed by the laws of Tasmania.

9. VARIATION OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 9.1.** The University reserves the right to update or amend these terms and conditions at any time without prior notice. The University will provide notice of any changes to these terms and conditions in writing if it deems it necessary and practical.
- 9.2.** If any of these terms are or become invalid, at our option, the relevant part is severed, & doesn't affect the validity of the remaining parts. Neither of us, nor a student, is (nor can a student represent themselves to be) an employee, partner, agent or other representative of the other. A waiver must be in writing & signed. We don't waive a right if we fail to or delay exercising it.

Enquiries should be directed to:

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