

THE AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY (ANU)
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS HONOURS SCHOLARSHIPS
AWARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

THE SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Introduction

The ANU College of Business and Economics (the College) offers up to eight (8) annual scholarships (“the scholarship”) to Australian and International applicants who are admitted to and continue to pursue a full-time or part-time program of study in one of the College’s Honours programs.

2. Provisions

The scholarship provides an amount of \$8,000 per annum, for each scholar. The scholarship is payable in two equal amounts for full-time scholars, one to be paid at the commencement of semester one and the other at the commencement of semester two. For part-time scholars the scholarship will be paid at the commencement of each of the four semesters of study in the program.

3. Award Conditions

The scholarship is awarded on the condition that the scholar is undertaking a program of study leading to the award of the degree with Honours in one of the following programs offered by the College of Business and Economics:

- Bachelor of Actuarial Studies
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Finance
- Bachelor of Statistics

It is the scholar’s responsibility to determine the taxation implications of the scholarship, if any, which apply to his/her individual circumstances.

The ANU reserves the right to make no award or to award the scholarship at other times in exceptional circumstances.

4. Duration

The scholarship covers the 48 unit duration of the Honours program. The continued award of the scholarship in the scholar’s second semester of study, and subsequent semesters for part-time scholars, will be conditional on the scholar maintaining satisfactory performance for the preceding

semester. The Dean, College of Business and Economics will determine if the scholar's performance has been satisfactory in consultation with the scholar's supervisor.

APPLICATION AND SELECTION

5. Application Process

Applicants wishing to apply for a scholarship must complete a College of Business and Economics Honours Scholarship Application Form, which will be considered in conjunction with their application to the ANU Honours program and, if deemed appropriate by the Selection Committee, a personal interview.

6. Award Criteria

The scholarship winners for each round will be selected on the basis of superior academic merit as deemed by the Selection Committees and demonstrated by the scholar's academic record and, at the option of the Selection Committees, a personal interview.

To be eligible to apply for the scholarship applicants must:

- Meet the entry requirements for the Honours program in the ANU College of Business and Economics.

7. Selection Committee

The selection of scholarship winners shall be made by Selection Committees within the ANU College of Business and Economics in accordance with the selection criteria at 6. above.

8. Notification

The Selection Committees expect to notify applicants of the outcome by mid December.

9. Reapplication

Unsuccessful applicants may reapply in the following round.

Successful applicants who do not take up the scholarship, including applicants who defer their studies, forfeit the scholarship and must reapply in the following round if they wish to again be considered for a scholarship.

TENURE AND TERMINATION

10. Take-up Date

The scholarship applies from the start date indicated in the offer of admission to the Honours program. The scholar must enrol in the Honours program by the start date in the letter of offer.

11. No Deferral

The taking up of a College of Business and Economics Honours Scholarship may not be deferred and must be taken up in the semester for which it is offered.

12. Tenure

The scholarship may only be held while the scholar remains enrolled in the Honours program in the College of Business and Economics. If the scholarship holder transfers to another ANU degree, outside the College of Business and Economics, then the scholarship ceases to apply.

The award cannot be taken up at another institution.

13. Concurrent Holding of Scholarship

A scholar may not hold, concurrently with an ANU College of Business and Economics Honours Scholarship, any scholarship or award of the same or greater value offered by the ANU or any other source. A scholar must obtain the permission of the Dean, College of Business and Economics to hold any other scholarship/award concurrently with the ANU College of Business and Economics Honours Scholarship.

14. Attendance

A scholar is expected to be in attendance at the ANU at the commencement of the first teaching period and to remain either in full-time or part-time enrolment during the ANU teaching periods or semesters. Absences from the ANU through illness or for any other reason must be approved by the Dean, College of Business and Economics.

15. Program and Scholarship Leave of Absence (Suspension)

Suspension of the scholarship, after the scholar has enrolled, may be approved subject to concurrent approval for leave of absence of the Honours program being obtained from the Dean, College of Business and Economics.

16. Termination

The scholarship will be terminated if the scholar fails to enrol for the Honours program by the date stated in the scholar's letter of offer.

A scholarship terminates at the conclusion of 48 units of study (two semesters of full time study, four semesters of part-time study) in the Honours program or on the date on which the scholar ceases to attend the ANU other than for approved absences, whichever is the earlier.

The scholarship will not be extended beyond the scholar's original intended program duration. In the case of a scholar failing part of the program, the scholarship duration will not be extended.

The ANU may terminate the scholarship if the scholar is not making satisfactory progress as determined by the Dean, College of Business and Economics.

If the scholar transfers to another program outside the College of Business and Economics the scholarship will be terminated.

17. Repayment – Under certain circumstances

If the scholarship is suspended or terminated the Selection Committee shall determine whether any refund of scholarship monies is payable and may determine that the scholarship instalment for the semester in which the suspension or termination occurred be refunded by the scholar to the ANU in part or in full.

SCHOLARSHIP HOLDER RESPONSIBILITIES

18. University Regulations

A scholar is subject to *The Australian National University Act 1991* as amended, to the Statutes and Rules of the ANU as made from time to time, and to resolutions of the Council and its Committees.

19. Financial

The scholar is responsible for making payment of tuition fees or arrangements to defer all his/her HECS liability by the prescribed date, as advised by the ANU.

Scholars are responsible for the costs of tuition fees, HECS, books, study materials, accommodation, and all other costs of study.

20. Publicity

It is anticipated that College of Business and Economics Honours Scholars may be requested to participate in publicity of the scholarship scheme. A scholar may be contacted for an interview and photograph. The ANU may also publicise the Scheme by publishing the names of the scholarship winners.

21. Disclaimer

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