

B G WYBOURNE SCHOLARSHIP IN PHYSICS OR ASTRONOMY

This scholarship was established by the Department of Physics and Astronomy in 1994 following the retirement of Professor Brian Wybourne in 1991.

The scholarship shall be known as the B G Wybourne Scholarship in Physics or Astronomy.

1. The scholarship shall be awarded to a student enrolling at the postgraduate level (either M.Sc Part II or Ph.D.) in Physics or Astronomy. It will be tenable only by a candidate who during the tenure of the award pursues full-time study in one of these courses in the Department of Physics and Astronomy at the University of Canterbury.
2. The scholarship may be awarded by the University Council on the recommendation of the Department of Physics and Astronomy to the top ranked applicant in any one year of those who applied for, but were not successful in obtaining a University of Canterbury Masters' or Doctoral Scholarship (or award of higher or equivalent value to these). The scholarship will be tenable for one year. Should there be no scholarship worthy candidate in that year no award shall be made. (Ph.D candidates may reapply for the scholarship in a subsequent year or years.)
3. If at any time the Department of Physics & Astronomy is not satisfied that a scholarship holder is complying with the conditions for the award of the scholarship, it may recommend that the tenure of the scholarship be terminated forthwith, and a full or partial refund of fees or emolument paid may be requested.
4. All candidates applying for a University of Canterbury Masters' or Doctoral Scholarship (or higher award) in Physics or Astronomy by 15 October of the preceding year will be considered for the award of the B G Wybourne Scholarship. No further application is necessary.

NOTE: The value of the scholarship shall be determined each year according to the money available to be disbursed from the trust account in accordance with University policy. The scholarship will be directly credited to the scholar's tuition fee account unless the scholar requests otherwise.

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