

Fund



Quinton
St Andrew's College (Christchurch)
UC Emerging Leaders' Scholarship
Bachelor of Engineering (Hons)



Alexis
Rangiora High School
UC Emerging Leaders' Scholarship
Bachelor of Criminal Justice

Your
Studies

Find out more about UC Scholarships

How do I find out about scholarships?

UC offers over \$20 million in scholarships and prizes each year. In this brochure you will find many scholarships for those who are starting study in 2020. There are many more available and new scholarships are established regularly; make sure that you search for all that you could be eligible for at www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships/

How do I know if I am eligible for a scholarship?

Each scholarship has different eligibility criteria (e.g. subject/course, level, citizenship, age, gender, ethnicity, school, region, etc).

Check the regulations to see if you meet the criteria. Apply for all the scholarships you are eligible for, as it is often possible to hold more than one scholarship at a time.

What if I am going on a gap year?

If you are planning to take a gap year, you should check whether the scholarship application must be submitted this year or next.

How do I apply for a scholarship?

You should apply through the UC Scholarships website. Applications can be submitted online from 20 June 2019. The closing date for applications is **15 August 2019**.

To submit a scholarship application online, students will first need to register for a myUC account.

Referees will also be invited by the student to submit their references through the online system.

Note: The selection criteria for scholarships are listed in their regulations – you should be aware of these when completing application forms.

For more information

UC Scholarships Office

Ph: 03 369 4900 or 0800 VARSITY (0800 82 77 48)
Email: scholarships@canterbury.ac.nz

Other organisations also offer scholarships that UC students can apply for. Check with your school or local community groups for further information.

Steps to apply for a scholarship:

- 1 Research**
Find out what is on offer for you.
- 2 Check you qualify**
Read through the scholarship information to see if you meet the criteria.
- 3 Check application dates**
Scholarship applications open eight weeks before the closing date.
- 4 Prepare your information**
Start thinking about what you want to include and, if required, who to use as your referee(s).
- 5 Complete your application**
Take the time to complete your application and ensure you submit before the due date.
- 6 Selection process**
Be patient. The selection process typically takes six – eight weeks but may take longer. We will notify you as soon as a decision has been made.

Glossary

Award	General term for an amount of money given out to a student.
Bursary	A financial award conferred primarily, but not exclusively, on the basis of financial need.
Tuition fees	The tuition fees for the year, which is the sum of fees for each course a student is enrolled in.
First-year undergraduate student	A student starting the first year of their undergraduate degree, who has not enrolled at another tertiary institution since finishing secondary school.
Gap year	A period, between the end of a former student's last school year and the beginning of an academic year of the university, spent by the former student in non-academic activities. Considered to be of no more than 12 months' duration.
International student	A student who is not a NZ citizen or holder of a NZ residence class visa.
Regulations	The rules governing an award, scholarship, or bursary.
Scholarship	General term for an amount of money given out to a student.



'The ELDP has provided me with friends and a whānau that I can turn to for support.'

'The scholarship not only supports students financially but has made the transition from high school to university much easier and smoother, as we know we have people around us that will provide us with a safe place to enjoy ourselves, and grow as young adults.'

Teghan

Christchurch Girls' High School

- UC Emerging Leaders' Scholarship
- UC College of Education, Health, and Human Development Māori Scholarship

Bachelor of Arts

Scholarships

General

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
AIMS Scholarship	\$5,000	All first-year undergraduate students who completed MATH199 AIMS – Advancing in Mathematical Science in 2019		No application required
Lyttelton Port Company Directors' UC Scholarship	\$10,000	Students who have a parent working for the Lyttelton Port Company for at least 12 months prior to 15 August		15 August
Riccarton Rotary Youth Trust Scholarship	\$10,000 per annum for three years which may be extended. The scholarship pays tuition fees with the balance paid as a stipend	First-year undergraduate students who have resided in the Canterbury region and who are facing major financial and/or personal challenges to entering tertiary education	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Rotary Club of Christchurch Blackgrove Scholarship	Up to \$5,000	First-year undergraduate students who have resided in the Canterbury region and who are facing major financial and/or personal challenges to entering tertiary education	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Alumni Scholarship	\$5,000	All first-year undergraduate students	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Bright Start Scholarship	Tuition fees in the first year in which fees are payable	First-year undergraduate students who are facing major financial and/or personal challenges	The number of scholarships offered varies from year to year. Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Emerging Leaders' Scholarship	\$6,000 towards second year tuition fees or accommodation fees at a UC recognised hall or village as well as a leadership programme	All first-year undergraduate students	The awards are made in the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Round Excellence • Student Leadership • Māori Leadership • Pasifika Leadership • Sports Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Undergraduate Entrance Scholarship	\$5,000	All first-year undergraduate students	NCEA result dependent (or equivalent entrance-level qualification)	No application required

Arts, Fine Arts and Music

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Chrystabel L Aitken Fund for Fine Arts	\$1,000	First-year students enrolling in a Bachelor of Fine Arts who face financial challenges to entering tertiary education		15 August
Leigh and Judith Pownall Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to major in Geography or Music	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Lissie Rathbone Scholarship	\$2,000 per annum for up to three years	First-year undergraduate students majoring in English or History who resided in Canterbury the year prior to the receipt of the scholarship	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a BSc or BA with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Data Science or Financial Engineering	Must be enrolled in specific courses. Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

UC Mathematics and Statistics STAR Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for three years	First-year undergraduate students who have completed the STAR course offered by the School of Mathematics and Statistics, and who intend to enrol with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Computational or Applied Mathematical Sciences, Data Science, Applied Data Science or Financial Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	1 November
---	-----------------------------------	--	--------------------------------------	------------

Commerce

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC College of Business and Law First Year Award for Excellence	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Laws		15 August
UC College of Business and Law Young Enterprise Scheme Student of the Year Scholarship – South Island Region	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Laws, who are participating in the Young Enterprise Scheme within the South Island		15 August
John Waller Memorial Scholarship	\$6,000 per annum for three years, plus mentorship and internship opportunities	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Criminal Justice course	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Engineering

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Edna Waddell Undergraduate Scholarships for Women	\$5,000	Female first-year undergraduate students studying Technology or Engineering	For more information please see www.universitiesnz.ac.nz	1 September
Elman & Alfred Poole Southland Boys' and Southland Girls' High School College of Engineering Scholarship	Up to \$5,000 per annum for up to three years	Pupils of Southland Boys' High School or Southland Girls' High School	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Fitzroy Engineering University of Canterbury Engineering Scholarship	\$10,000 per annum for up to two years	First-year undergraduate students from the Taranaki region intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Chemical and Process Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering or Natural Resources Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Electric Power Engineering Centre Scholarship	Up to \$14,000 for up to four years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol/enrolled in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Engineering High Achievers Award	\$1,500 per annum for up to two years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Engineering Māori Scholarship	\$5,000 or \$3,000 or \$1,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Engineering Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000 or \$3,000 or \$1,000	First-year Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Engineering Top Scholars Award	\$5,000 per annum for up to two years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Wairarapa Takahē UC Engineering Scholarship	\$4,500	First-year undergraduate students who studied in Masterton intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Civil or Natural Resources Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Health, Teacher Education and Sports Coaching

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC College of Education, Health and Human Development Māori Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in the College of Education, Health and Human Development	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC College of Education, Health and Human Development Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in the College of Education, Health and Human Development	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Forestry

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
SCFNZ Ltd Scholarships (Bachelor of Forestry Science)	\$3,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Forestry Science	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC School of Forestry High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Forestry Science	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Law

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
College of Business and Law First Year Award for Excellence	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Laws		15 August
John Waller Memorial	\$6,000 per annum for three years, plus mentorship and internship opportunities	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Criminal Justice course	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Product Design

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC Product Design Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for up to two years	First year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Product Design	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August



‘The Emerging Leaders’ Programme has introduced me to fantastic opportunities, many I thought I never would have achieved even in a lifetime.’

‘The ELDP team are so lovely and such an inspiration to me, they are so willing and generous to help you out whenever you need and always check up on me, their advice has helped me to be a better leader and a better person overall. I’m so thankful to be have been chosen for this scholarship and all the opportunities that come along with it, I’m looking forward to the year ahead.’

Alexis

Rangiora High School

• UC Emerging Leaders’ Scholarship

Bachelor of Criminal Justice

Science

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Edna Waddell Undergraduate Scholarships for Women	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate female students studying Technology or Engineering	For more information please see www.universitiesnz.ac.nz	1 September
Elaine P Snowden Scholarship in Astronomy	\$4,000 towards tuition fees and \$1,000 towards expenses	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme that includes at least one Astronomy course	Students must be under 19 years old on 1 January 2020	15 August
John Waller Memorial Scholarship	\$6,000 per annum for three years, plus mentorship and internships	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Criminal Justice course	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Leigh and Judith Pownall Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to major in Geography or Music	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Computer Science High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a BSc or BA with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Data Science or Financial Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics STAR Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for three years	First-year undergraduate students who have completed the STAR course offered by the School of Mathematics and Statistics, and who intend to enrol with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Computational or Applied Mathematical Sciences, Data Science, Applied Data Science or Financial Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	1 November

International*

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC International First Year Scholarship	\$20,000, \$15,000 or \$10,000 towards tuition fees	First-year international undergraduate students. Students who are completing/ have completed a programme at the UC International College are eligible to apply.	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August, 31 October or 1 March
UC College of Engineering International Scholarship	\$15,000 towards first year tuition fees	First-year international undergraduate students who intend to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours). Students who are completing/have completed a programme at the UC International College are eligible to apply.		15 August or 1 March
Tan Sri Datuk Oh Siew Nam P.S.M, P.J.N Malaysian Scholarship	Up to \$20,000 towards tuition fees	Malaysian students intending to enrol/enrolled in an undergraduate degree programme		31 October
Kuching Malaysian Alumni Scholarship	Up to \$10,000 towards tuition fees	Undergraduate students from the Kuching Division, Sarawak, Malaysia		31 October

* International students may also be eligible for other scholarships, please check the regulations for other scholarships to confirm eligibility.

‘UC Scholarships have helped me in ways that I would not have thought possible.’

‘They have allowed me to pursue my subjects of interest in times of financial distress which would have prevented me from completing the degree. The scholarships have motivated me to put in the best efforts in my studies as I get to be here due to the benevolence and generosity of others. They have made my life goals achievable.’

Coacine

- Methodist College Kuala Lumpur
- UC International First Year Scholarship
- Tan Sri Datuk Oh Siew Nam P.S.M
- P.J.N Malaysian Scholarship

Bachelor of Commerce

Scholarships for Accommodation

Bishop Julius Hall Scholarships

www.bishopjulius.ac.nz

Three \$1,500 scholarships

- Churchill Julius Scholarship (male)
- Sadie Penny Scholarship (female)
- Warwick Sherwood Scholarship
- At the discretion of the Board, six faculty Scholarships of \$500 each to be awarded based on academic performance mid semester and contribution to the Hall

Following Faculties:

- Commerce
- Engineering and Forestry
- Science
- Art
- Law
- Education

Rochester and Rutherford Hall Scholarships

www.rochester-rutherford.org.nz

- Entrance Scholarship(s) for Excellence in Academic Performance at Year 13 (\$1,500)
- Rochester and Rutherford Academic Distinction and Merit Awards – based on Semester 1 results (\$50 - \$200)
- Three Leadership Scholarships in Cultural Sport and Community areas (\$1,500)
- Rutherford Hall Board Community Service Award (\$1,500)
- Rochester Trust Board Community Service Award (\$1,500)
- Rochester Trust Board Scholarships to top performing students in Arts, Business and Law, Engineering, Education, and Science – based on Semester 1 Results (\$500)
- Rutherford Hall Board Art and Photography Competition (\$1,000)
- Rochester Trust Board Performing Arts Scholarship (\$1,000)
- Alliance/Rochester and Rutherford NZ Cultural/Sporting Scholarships (\$1,000)
- Rochester and Rutherford Merit Scholarships – financial hardship (\$2,000)

College House Scholarships

www.collegehouse.org.nz

- Two College House Entrance Scholarships for financial need (\$7,000)
- Three first-year scholarships for Academic Achievement and Excellence in Culture and Performing Arts, in Sport and Leadership, and for All Round Excellence (\$1,000)
- Lyall Holmes Scholarship – Engineering (up to \$1,500)
- Buller and Reay Scholarship – Arts: Visual and/or Performance (\$750)
- Rowley Scholarship – Science and/or commerce (up to \$1,500)
- Crowley Weston Scholarship – Law (\$750)
- Mary Olif Davey Scholarship – one or more of Zoology, Botany, Biology, Chemistry, Biochemistry (\$750)
- George T Weston Memorial Bursary (up to \$1,000)
- The Fraser Flanagan Memorial Fellowship – financial need (up to \$3,000)
- Five East/McLaren Scholarships – contribution to College House (\$500)
- Nineteen College House Leadership Scholarships – for second-year residents who assume leadership positions (\$1,600)

University Hall Leadership Scholarships – 27 September 2019

www.ucastudentvillage.co.nz

Two \$5,000 accommodation scholarships to first-year students residing at University Hall who will use their skills and experience to positively impact the community at the hall, as both a resident, and in their capacity as a University Hall Students' Association representative.

Helen Macmillan Brown Bursaries – 15 August 2019

Up to 10 bursaries of \$2,500 available to female students. Students must be residents of a UC recognised hall or village during tenure of the bursary.

Go Canterbury Scholarship – 15 August 2019

\$5,000 towards accommodation costs at University Hall, personal development and educational recreational opportunities.

For Year 13 students* who are either attending an Auckland or Wellington school, or are living in the Auckland or Wellington region. Applicants must have gained NCEA Level 2 with Merit or Excellence.

* can be applied for during a gap year

Check with your intended hall of residence or village for other available scholarships and for application details.

Tips on applying for a scholarship

- 1 Read the regulations**
They tell you what the Selection Committee will be looking for and whether you are eligible.
- 2 Start your application early**
You can save your application and come back to it later if you need to do more research.
- 3 Talk to your referees**
It is important they know to expect a request from UC (which will have a deadline).
- 4 Submit your application by the deadline**
This date is not flexible.
- 5 Sell yourself**
Scholarships are highly competitive, so make the most of the word limit in open ended questions. This is an opportunity to tell us why you deserve the scholarship.
- 6 Apply for all scholarships you are eligible for**
Many scholarships allow you to hold more than one at a time.

'Being a recipient of the Go Canterbury scholarship has been one of my highlights for 2018.'

'This programme helped me integrate into university life, as well as providing exciting and enjoyable trips throughout the whole year, where we were able to explore Christchurch and other surrounding areas. Go Canterbury has brought me closer to other students at Uni Hall, and also provided me with a mentor who has helped me achieve numerous opportunities throughout the year.'

Kate

St. Kentigern College (Pakuranga)
Go Canterbury Scholarship Bachelor of Engineering (Hons)

Scholarships Office:

NZ Freephone: 0800 VARSITY (0800 827 748)

T: +64 3 369 4900

E: scholarships@canterbury.ac.nz

University of Canterbury

Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha

Private Bag 4800

Christchurch 8140

New Zealand

www.canterbury.ac.nz