

Farina Thompson Charitable Trust Music Scholarship

Waeture | Regulations

Whakamāramatanga | Key Information

Rā whakamutunga Closing date	1 November
Whaipanga Value	\$10,000
Wā roanga Tenure	One year
Rahinga ia tau Number available annually	One
Herenga tika Applicable enrolment/programmes during tenure	Full-time enrolment in a degree programme with a major in Music. Preference is given to applicants who intend to enrol for, or are enrolled for, an MusB(Hons), BA(Hons) in Music, MMus, MA in Music, DMA, or PhD in Music.
Herenga motuhake Special requirement	Applicants must be citizens of Aotearoa New Zealand or holders of Aotearoa New Zealand residence class visas.

1. Aronga | Purpose

This scholarship is to assist and encourage towards a career in music, students enrolled in a programme of study at Te Kura Puoro | School of Music at Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha University of Canterbury.

2. Paearu māraurau | Eligibility criteria

- 2.1 Applicants must be enrolled, or intending to enrol, full-time at the University in a degree programme with a major in Music.
- 2.2 Applicants must be citizens of Aotearoa New Zealand or holders of Aotearoa New Zealand residence class visas.

3. Tukanga tononga | Application process

- 3.1 Applications must be made online at the Scholarships website¹ by 1 November.
- 3.2 Current and former recipients may apply for a new tenure of the scholarship and are given equal consideration with other applicants.

4. Tukanga kōwhiringa | Selection process

- 4.1 One scholarship is available annually.
- 4.2 The scholarship is awarded by Te Kaunihera | University Council on the recommendation of a selection committee comprising:

- a. the Tumu Whakarae | Vice-Chancellor (or nominee);
- b. the Amo Toi Tangata | Dean of Arts (Academic) (or nominee); and
- c. a representative of Perpetual Guardian as trustee of the Farina Thompson Charitable Trust.

5. Paearu kōwhiringa | Selection criteria

5.1 In making the recommendation, the selection committee gives equal consideration to:

- a. academic achievement;
- b. musical achievement; and
- c. potential contribution to Aotearoa New Zealand in Music.

Preference is given to applicants who intend to enrol for, or are enrolled for, an MusB(Hons), BA(Hons) in Music, MMus, MA in Music, DMA, or PhD in Music.

5.2 If, in any year, there is no candidate of sufficient merit, no scholarship is offered.

6. Mahere utu | Value and payment schedule

6.1 The scholarship provides financial assistance at a value of \$10,000.

6.2 The scholarship is paid to the recipient's University fees account, and any balance is paid by direct credit to the recipient's nominated New Zealand bank account.

7. Paearu here | Tenability and retention criteria

7.1 The scholarship must be taken up in the year following the year of application.

7.2 The scholarship is tenable by students enrolled full-time at the University in a degree programme with a major in Music.

7.3 The scholarship is tenable for one year.

7.4 The scholarship is tenable with any other award, unless the conditions of the other award preclude this.

7.5 At the end of the year of tenure, recipients must submit to the Farina Thompson Charitable Trust a written report on their year's work.

7.6 If, during tenure, the recipient's enrolment no longer meets the conditions specified in clause 7.2, the scholarship may be withdrawn and any paid funds may be recovered.

7.7 Continuation of a scholarship is conditional on satisfactory academic progress and adherence to the University's statutes, regulations, policies, and rules.

8. Whakamahuki | Background information

The Farina Thompson Charitable Trust established the scholarship in 2006. The Trust was set up in 1977 with a substantial donation from Farina Thompson and additional gifts from her family. Perpetual Guardian is the trustee of the trust and administers the trust from its Ōtautahi Christchurch branch office.

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Pitopito kōrero | Notes

¹ www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships/