

## Regulations

This scholarship recognises and supports high-achieving undergraduate students at the University of Canterbury who demonstrate a strong interest in and potential to contribute to the electric power engineering industry in New Zealand.

1. The scholarship provides financial support to a value of \$7,000.
2. One scholarship is available annually.
3. The scholarship is tenable for one year and must be taken up in the year of application.
4. Applicants must be enrolled full-time at the University in the Third Professional Year of a programme for a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (BE(Hons)) degree in Electrical and Electronic Engineering that includes at least two electric power engineering courses.<sup>1</sup>
5. Applicants must be New Zealand citizens or holders of New Zealand residence class visas.
6. The scholarship is awarded by the Council of the University, on the recommendation of a selection committee comprising:
  - a. the Vice-Chancellor (or nominee);
  - b. the Director of the Electric Power Engineering Centre (or nominee); and
  - c. a representative of Power Systems Consultants New Zealand Limited (PSC).
7. In making its recommendation, the committee will consider:
  - a. academic achievement in a candidate's Second Professional Year of a programme for a BE(Hons) degree;
  - b. character, leadership potential, and social skills; and
  - c. interest in, and potential to contribute to, the electric power engineering industry in New Zealand.
8. Applications for the scholarship must be made at the Scholarships website<sup>2</sup> by 31 March.
9. The scholarship may be held with any other award unless the conditions of the other award preclude this.
10. If, in any year, there are no candidates of sufficient merit, no award will be made.
11. Unless otherwise specified in the offer letter, an offer of a scholarship will lapse if it is not formally accepted within one calendar month of the date of the offer.
12. The scholarship will be paid in three equal instalments by direct credit to a recipient's nominated New Zealand bank account. The first payment will be made as soon as practicable after acceptance of the scholarship offer and full-time enrolment in the appropriate programme (see clause 4).
13. A condition of acceptance is that recipients permit publication and announcement of their acceptance of the award, and that they are willing to engage in University community activities, such as student

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<sup>1</sup> The current applicable electric power engineering courses are ENEL 471 *Power Electronics 2*, ENEL 480 *Electrical Power Systems*, and ENEL 481 *Electrical Machines*.

<sup>2</sup> <http://www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships/>

mentoring, acting as University ambassadors, and being involved with University publicity as appropriate.

14. In the event of a recipient's withdrawal from full-time enrolment in the programme of study described in clause 4 during the term of the scholarship, the scholarship will be withdrawn, and any paid funds may be recovered.
15. Continuation of the scholarship is conditional on satisfactory academic progress and adherence to the University's statutes and regulations.

**History of the award:** Power Systems Consultants New Zealand Limited (known as PSC) established the scholarship in 2005 with the support of the Electric Power Engineering Centre. PSC funds the scholarship. PSC was founded in 1995 to provide specialist engineering and consulting services to the electricity industry.

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