

## DOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIP (ART AND DESIGN)

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### CLOSING DATE: 16 FEBRUARY 2010

This scholarship is offered to PhD candidates in order to nurture and support the research culture of the School of Art and Design.

#### AMOUNT AND TYPE OF AWARD

- Up to four scholarships to be awarded annually
- The value of the scholarship is full tuition and student services fees and includes the Students' Association fee
- Will normally only be available to full-time students.

#### TENURE

- The tenure of this scholarship is for one year.
- An applicant may re-apply for one subsequent year of full-time prior to the closing date for applications.

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- AUT Application Form
- No Referee Reports required.

#### CRITERIA

- Applicants must be NZ citizens or permanent residents
- Official confirmation of enrolment in the PhD programme
- The quality and contribution of the research
- The likely contribution to the overall research goals of the school
- The provision of evidence of past academic excellence, including research.

#### SELECTION

- Recipients will be selected by the School of Art and Design scholarships panel
- No scholarship will be awarded upon any occasion if the panel is of the opinion that there is no applicant of sufficient merit applying for the award
- Scholarships will normally only be available to full-time candidates within the four year PhD timeframe
- Scholarships will not be awarded to AUT University Staff.

#### CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE

- This scholarship may not be held in conjunction with any other fees scholarship
  - » The recipient may hold additional non-tuition fee based scholarships with the approval of the Head of Department and the Scholarships Office
- Grants may also be available on a contestable basis for research related costs. Applications and information are available through the School of Art and Design.