

## New Zealand AUT-NCUK Excellence Scholarships

**CLOSING DATE: 30 November (Semester One, Trimester One, Term 1-3 intakes)**  
**31 May (Semester Two, Trimester Three, Terms 4-6 intakes)**

### PURPOSE

This scholarship is exclusive to high achieving international students enrolled in the NCUK New Zealand Global Education Pathway programmes, who wish to study at Auckland University of Technology (AUT).

### AMOUNT AND TYPE OF AWARD

New Zealand AUT-NCUK Excellence Scholarships are divided into the following categories:

Category	Value	Number on offer
<p><b>New Zealand AUT-NCUK South East Asia Excellence Scholarships</b></p> <p>New full-fee paying international students with South East Asia* citizenship, who are currently enrolled in the NCUK New Zealand Global Education Pathway Programmes (International Foundation Year, International Year One, or Pre-Master's Programme).</p> <p><small>*South East Asian countries: Brunei, Cambodia, East Timor, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam.</small></p>	<p>\$10,000 Contribution to fees</p>	2
<p><b>New Zealand AUT-NCUK Global Excellence Scholarships</b></p> <p>New full-fee paying international students with citizenship from countries other than South East Asia, who are currently enrolled in the NCUK New Zealand Global Education Pathway Programmes (International Foundation Year, International Year One, or Pre-Master's Programme).</p>	<p>\$3,000 Contribution to fees</p>	4

### TENURE

- The scholarship is awarded for one year only.

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants must be full-fee paying international students (Note: International students are students who are neither citizens, permanent residents nor resident visa holders of New Zealand or Australia or in the process of applying for the aforementioned categories).
- Applicants must have a current and valid conditional or unconditional offer to study at an AUT programme (Undergraduate level or above, excluding doctoral and at least 120 points).

- Applicants will be asked to provide their AUT Student ID in the box provided on the application form.
- Scholarships are awarded on academic merit.
- Applicants with an equivalent B Average or above in their most recent NCUK programme (International Foundation Year, International Year One, or Pre-Master's Programme) will be considered.
- Returning AUT students (i.e. students who have already commenced study at AUT) will not be considered.
- Applicants are required to declare if they have applied for other forms of scholarships both internally (i.e. awarded by AUT) and externally (e.g. government scholarships). The selection committee will take this into consideration.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Application is through the AUT online scholarship portal [www.aut.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.aut.ac.nz/scholarships). Applicants must complete the New Zealand AUT-NCUK Excellence Scholarships application online through the AUT Scholarships Database from this link.

Applicants will be asked to indicate under which category (select one only) they wish to be considered and must meet the eligibility criteria for the category under which they are applying.

Applicants are required to upload:

- Detailed academic transcript with grading scale of the most recent qualification from NCUK;
- Graduation certificate or evidence of completion from NCUK;
- Current and valid conditional or unconditional offer to study at an AUT programme.

All documentation must be uploaded by the closing date otherwise the application will be considered ineligible.

## SELECTION PROCESS

- Applications will be shortlisted and selected by the selection committee comprising of representatives from AUT International.
- Selection will be based on demonstrated academic excellence.
- The country of origin of the applicant may be considered by the selection committee to align with AUT's strategic aims.
- Applicants who have declared other forms of scholarships both internally (i.e. awarded by AUT) and externally (e.g. government scholarships) will be considered on a case-by-case basis regarding eligibility.

## CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE AND APPOINTMENT

- The award of this scholarship is conditional on the student gaining entry to an AUT programme (Undergraduate level or above, excluding doctoral and at least 120 points).
- The scholarship will be paid as a contribution to fees towards the first semester of study at AUT.

- Recipients of this scholarship are required to be enrolled full time at AUT during the tenure of the scholarship. Failure to do so may result in the recipient being required to pay back the full value of the scholarship received.
- Recipients who are found to have not truthfully declared their details during the scholarship application process may result in termination of the scholarship.
- Recipients who do not maintain satisfactory academic standing or conduct during the tenure of the scholarship may be required to pay back the full value of the scholarship received.
- Except in cases where there are compelling medical reasons or adverse personal circumstance beyond a student's control, the uptake of the scholarship cannot be deferred to the following round. A new scholarship application will be required.
- The regulations are reviewed by the Scholarships Committee from time to time and are subject to change.