

Eric and Kathy Hertz Māori and Pacific Residential Scholarships

Closing date: 15 November

In conjunction with a generous donation from the Trilogy International Foundation, Auckland University of Technology (AUT) is pleased to be able to offer a scholarship to Māori and Pacific students in the Bachelor of Business Studies to support their accommodation in an AUT Hall of Residence. The aim of the Eric and Kathy Hertz Residential Scholarships is to offer financial assistance for Māori or Pacific students residing in an AUT Hall of Residence.

AMOUNT AND TYPE OF AWARD

- There are five Eric and Kathy Hertz Residential Scholarships Hertz AUT offered per year to Māori and Pacific students commencing study in the Bachelor of Business in the year following application.
- The scholarship consists of around NZD10,000 (depending on the current US/NZ exchange rate) contribution towards the costs of board and lodging in an AUT Hall of Residence.
- The scholarship must be taken up in the year following application.

TENURE

- The tenure of this scholarship is for one year.

CRITERIA

All applicants for these scholarships must:

- Be New Zealand citizens or permanent residents.
- Be of Māori or Pasifika descent.
- Have a provisional offer of place for full-time study or be enrolling in the second or subsequent year in an undergraduate programme in the AUT Business School.
- Intend to reside in an AUT Hall of Residence.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must complete the AUT on-line scholarship application form and upload:

- A written statement outlining how this scholarship would benefit the applicant.
- A copy of their Year 12 NCEA Record of Achievement or equivalent if applicant is new to AUT. The University Scholarships Office will upload transcripts for current AUT students.
- A copy of the AUT provisional offer of place if applicant is new to AUT.

Applicants must nominate two referees in the application portal who can support their application.

CONDITIONS OF SELECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

- Recipients will be selected by the scholarship selection panel, comprising the Business School Deputy Dean and the Friends of AUT Inc.

- The decision of the scholarship selection panel is final.
- If the panel is of opinion that there is no applicant of sufficient merit, the scholarship will not be awarded.
- Recipients must write a letter to the Hertz family trust at the end of Semester 2 outlining the academic progress they have made during the year of tenure and submit this to the Scholarships Office by 1 December of the year of award.