THE SCHOOL OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES MASTER OF DATA
SCIENCE ENTRY SCHOLARSHIP

OPEN TO

Students who have a full/unconditional offer for the Master of Data Science in the School of Information Technologies for Semester One 2017. Applicants should also be a graduate of a quantitative degree program.

SCHOLARSHIP VALUE

$6,000 per annum for one year only

ENQUIRIES

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2016/17 KEY DATES

Semester One 2017 applications

Tuesday 27 September 2016
Applications open

Sunday 15 January 2017
Applications close

Monday 30 January 2017
Offers made

Friday 3 February 2017
Last date to accept or decline offer

This Scholarship was established to encourage and support high achieving candidates commencing their studies in the Master of Data Science in the School of Information Technologies within the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies.

To be eligible, applicants must:

• have a full/unconditional offer for the Master of Data Science at the time of the Scholarship application closing date for Semester One 2017 and subsequently enrol,
• be a graduate of a quantitative degree program which includes data science, computer science, mathematics statistics, engineering, physics, economics and finance, or other disciplines that are deemed quantitative by the relevant School Academic Director. As a guideline, the curriculum of a quantitative disciple should include a minimum of 12 credit points of mathematics or statistics at the tertiary level,
• have achieved a distinction average in their previous studies, and
• not have already commenced their studies in the Master of Data Science or transferred into the program from another postgraduate program.

Selection criteria

The Scholarship shall be awarded based on an applicant's overall academic merit and performance in their quantitative subjects.

The Scholarship shall be awarded on the recommendation of the Associate Dean (Education), or their nominee and a nominated academic from the School of Information Technologies.

The Scholarship is tenable for one year only for full-time students. Part-time students will receive pro-rata payments based on the number of credit points undertaken each semester until the $6000 Scholarship amount is exhausted. Payments shall be made after the census date of each semester. Full-time students will receive their payments in two equal instalments. Ongoing payments are subject to satisfactory academic progress deemed to be a high credit average (70%) or above each semester.

Deferment of the Scholarship is not permitted.

Please refer to the terms and conditions of this Scholarship for a full list of the conditions that apply.