The Muriel Anderson Scholarship for Female Students in the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies

Terms and Conditions

1. Background
   
a. This Scholarship was established in 2004 by the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies at the University of Sydney with funding from the late Mrs. Muriel Anderson to encourage and assist female students who are beginning their studies in the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies.

2. Eligibility
   
a. The Scholarship shall be open to all female Australian Citizens or Australian Permanent Residents who are in their final year of schooling and qualify to enter and enrol in any Bachelor of Engineering Honours degree in any one of the following specialisations: chemical, biomedical, mechanical or electrical engineering at the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies at the University of Sydney.

b. The Scholarship shall only be awarded to applicants who have achieved an ATAR of 95 or above in their N.S.W. HSC examination or equivalent.

3. Awarding of the Scholarship
   
a. The Scholarship shall be awarded on the basis of academic merit as indicated by the applicant's performance in the NSW HSC or equivalent and in accordance with Term 2.b.

b. The Scholarship shall be awarded by the Associate Dean (Education), or their nominee.

4. Tenure
   
a. The scholarship shall be tenable for one year only and subject to satisfactory academic progress deemed to be a mid-credit average (70%) or above each semester.

b. Deferment of the Scholarship is not permitted.

c. The Scholarship shall be tenable in the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies at the University of Sydney and shall not be transferable to another faculty or university.

5. Value and Payment
   
a. The total value of the Scholarship is $6,000 per annum.

b. Payments shall be made in equal instalments after the Census date of each semester.

c. The Scholarship shall be awarded subject to the availability of funds.
6. Termination of Scholarship and other conditions

The Scholarship will be terminated on the following grounds:

a. The recipient withdraws from their degree program,

b. If the recipient changes their program (i.e. course, major or stream) in their first year of study without the prior approval of the Associate Dean (Education),

c. The recipient commences part-time study without the prior consent of the Associate Dean (Education),

d. The recipient does not maintain satisfactory academic performance as defined in Term 4.a, and

e. The recipient receives and accepts another primary University of Sydney Scholarship or Faculty scholarship during the duration of this Scholarship.

f. In the event that the recipient discontinues their course any money paid to the student during that academic year may be requested to be repaid to the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies. This is subject to the Associate Dean (Education)’s discretion.

g. The recipient will not pursue a course of studies at any institution other than the University of Sydney during the course of the Scholarship.

h. The recipient may be entitled to a “Leave of Absence” during the Scholarship program in the event of extenuating circumstances subject to the discretion of the Associate Dean (Education).

Approved