LEIGHTON CONTRACTORS UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP IN ENGINEERING

OPEN TO
Students of disadvantaged Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent pursuing studies in Bachelor of Engineering (Civil, Electrical or Mechanical Engineering)

SCHOLARSHIP VALUE
$10,000 p.a.

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2014 KEY DATES
Sunday 2 November
Applications close
Friday 7 November
Interview notification
Friday 14 November
Last date to accept or decline interview
Wednesday 19 November
Interviews
1-5 December
Conditional scholarship offers made

The Leighton Contractors Undergraduate Scholarship in Engineering was established in 2012 to encourage prospective students of disadvantaged Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent with a strong academic record to pursue further studies in engineering in the areas of civil, electrical or mechanical engineering at the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies.

To be eligible, applicants must:
- be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent
- not hold any other primary scholarship
- complete an online scholarship application and include a personal statement addressing their personal qualities, leadership potential, extracurricular activities and community involvement, CV, and most recent Year 12 reports

Preference will be given to:
- applicants in receipt of a means tested Centrelink or other Government payment, such as ABSTUDY, Youth Allowance, or AUSTUDY.
- students enrolling in their first year of study of a bachelor degree program in the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies in Semester 1, 2015, specialising in civil, electrical or mechanical engineering. Combined degrees are also eligible.

Shortlisted applicants must be available to attend an interview with the selection committee.

The scholarship shall be awarded on academic merit, personal qualities, leadership potential, and community involvement, based on recommendation of the selection committee consisting of the Associate Dean of Education, an academic member from the faculty and a representative from Leighton Contractors.

The value of the scholarship is $10,000 per annum and shall be tenable for up to five (5) years for a combined degree recipient or four (4) years for a single degree recipient provided the recipient continues to satisfy the requirements of the scholarship.

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

Applicants must complete an online scholarship application, and submit their most recent Year 12 report, personal statement and CV by the scholarship closing date.