Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies Summer Research Scholarship

Terms and Conditions
August 2018

1. Background

a. This Scholarship was established by the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies to provide students with outstanding academic ability the opportunity to undertake a summer research project to gain valuable research experience and knowledge to advance their careers.

2. Eligibility

a. Candidates must be enrolled in a relevant undergraduate or postgraduate coursework program at the University of Sydney or at another Australian university.

b. Successful Candidates must enrol in ENGG4000, be participating in the Professional Engagement Program or enrol as an Affiliate.

c. Undergraduate candidates are normally required to have a WAM of 75 or above and be in their third or fourth year of study to be eligible. Outstanding second year students with a WAM of at least 80 or above are also eligible. Postgraduate candidates must have a WAM of at least 75 or above in their current degree program to be eligible.

d. Candidates must demonstrate well-developed skills in the field relevant to the research project and interest in each of their chosen research projects.

3. Selection Criteria

a. The Scholarship will be awarded to students who have been accepted into the Summer Research program.

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

4. Value

a. The Scholarship is valued at $5,000 over 10 weeks or $4000 over 8 weeks.

b. Payments shall be made in two equal instalments, one in early December, the other in mid-February the following year.

c. Deferral of the Scholarship is not permitted and it is not transferable to another University school, faculty or university.

d. The Scholarship shall be awarded subject to the availability of funds.

e. No other amount is payable.

5. Ongoing Eligibility

a. To continue receipt of the Scholarship, the recipient must complete all project requirements outlined by the project supervisor.

6. Termination
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a. The Scholarship will be terminated if the recipient:

I. withdraws from an eligible course,
II. withdraws or transfers from the research project without prior approval,
III. commences or continues to undertake paid employment that interferes with their ability to complete the summer research program as required,
IV. does not maintain satisfactory performance in the research program,
V. is determined by the University to be guilty of serious misconduct, including, but not limited to, having provided false or misleading information as part of their Scholarship application,
VI. accepts another Summer Research Scholarship during the tenure of this Scholarship or
VII. any other provision as indicated in these terms that would lead to termination.

b. Once the Scholarship has been terminated, it will not be reinstated unless due to University error.

c. Where a student is found guilty of serious misconduct or withdraws from the relevant course and research project, the University reserves the right to request that any Scholarship funds paid to the Scholarship recipient be reimbursed.

7. Reporting

a. The recipient must complete and submit a report to their project supervisor at the end of the program.

b. Recipients must provide a short presentation on their research project at the conclusion of the program.

c. Recipients must complete a questionnaire about their experiences to the Senior Education Officer in the Faculty of Engineering and Information Technologies.
## Approval – Terms and Conditions and Accounts

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