K.E Bullen International Conference Scholarship

Terms and Conditions

Description

The scholarship was established in 2013 from the K.E. Bullen Endowment, which was initially created in 1982 from public subscriptions to honour the late K.E. Bullen, Professor of Applied Mathematics at the University of Sydney from 1946 to 1971. The scholarship is provided to enable an outstanding graduate enrolled as a candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Mathematics in the School of Mathematics and Statistics to present a paper at a major overseas conference.

The scholarship shall be awarded under the following conditions:

Purpose

The purpose of the scholarship is to assist, by means of supplementary assistance, a postgraduate student proceeding to a doctorate in Applied Mathematics to present at a major overseas conference.

Eligibility

The scholarship is open to international and domestic students in the School of Mathematics and Statistics enrolled full-time for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the area of Applied Mathematics. Students must have satisfactorily completed an annual progress report after their first full-time year to be eligible for consideration.

Selection Criteria

Subject to the availability of funds, the scholarship will be advertised annually. Applicants are required to submit a written application addressing the selection criteria as well as submitting details of the conference they are planning to attend and a brief budget.

The selection criteria for the award of the scholarship shall include:

(a) demonstrated academic excellence;
(b) established research direction;
(c) evidence of high-quality research on which the presentation is to be based.

Written applications will be evaluated by a selection committee chaired by the Postgraduate Director, School of Mathematics and Statistics.

Value and Duration

The value of the scholarship shall be determined each year by the Head of School, but is capped at $3,500.

The terms and conditions of the scholarship may be varied in such manner as the Senate of the University of Sydney, or such other body delegated by the Senate, shall determine provided that the objectives of the award and the special selection criteria stated above are preserved.