The Julian Small Scholarship

The Julian Small Scholarship provides research grants to promote and foster study, research and development of the law relating to employment, workplace law and industrial relations in Australia.

Scholarship value and duration

The value of the Julian Small Scholarship for a PhD candidate is $35,000.

The value of the Julian Small Scholarship for a LLM is $15,000.

Scholarships are awarded for the normal full time duration of the degree (1.5 years in the case of an LLM by Research; 3.5 years in the case of a PhD).

Eligibility criteria

- Open to commencing, fulltime domestic and international applicants seeking to be admitted to a PhD or LLM by research degree, at the Sydney Law School, in order to undertake study in the discipline of labour law (encompassing employment law, industrial relations, workplace health and safety and workplace discrimination).

- Currently enrolled students, who have already commenced a PhD or LLM by research in the discipline of labour law are eligible to apply for this scholarship, but preference will be given to commencing students who hold an offer of admission.

- Applicants must commence their studies in the year for which the offer is made. No deferment is allowed.

- This scholarship may be held in conjunction with other scholarships such as the RTP (former APA).

For more information

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Background

Established by a gift to Sydney Law School from the Julian Small Foundation.

The Foundation was established in memory of Julian Small, a leading employment and industrial lawyer, by his partners at Minter Ellison, and for many years provided research grants to promote and foster study, research and development of the law relating to employment, workplace law and industrial relations in Australia. In 2014, the Foundation passed its funds to the University to continue this work.

Selection criteria

- The scholarship is competitive and shall be awarded to the most outstanding applicant assessed on the basis of academic merit, previous research achievements and quality of the proposed program of research detailed in the application.

- Applicant performance against these criteria is assessed by a scholarship committee chaired by the Associate Dean, Postgraduate Research, acting on advice from a member of Sydney Law School Labour Law cluster.

Ongoing eligibility

- The recipient must enrol fulltime through the tenure of their scholarship.

- The continuation of the scholarship is conditional on evidence of satisfactory progress. Each scholarship is renewed every semester on the recommendation of the Associate Dean (Postgraduate Research).

Payment schedule

- Each year, payments will be made in equal instalments after the census date in each semester.

Termination

- In the event that a scholarship holder falls below academic progression requirements, chooses to enrol part time, changes degree or discontinues study, the scholarship is no longer tenable and will be withdrawn.