James Strong Woolworths Scholarship for Business

The intention of this scholarship is to assist highly qualified, new commencing students from around Australia, to pursue an undergraduate Business degree offered by the Business School in honour of James Strong's long and distinguished career across many pursuits and successes.

Scholarship value and duration

$7,500 per year tenable for 3 years.

Eligibility criteria

— The scholarship is available for permanent residents and citizens of Australia who:
— Will enrol full time in a University of Sydney Business School undergraduate degree;
— Intend to commence their studies in the year of award;
— Have completed the NSW Higher School Certificate (HSC) or an approved equivalent secondary school examination in the year prior to commencing an undergraduate coursework degree with the University of Sydney Business School.

For more information

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Background

Established from a generous donation from Woolworths Australia Limited in honour of James Strong, the scholarship titled the James Strong Woolworths Scholarship for Business is offering support to talented students studying an undergraduate degree on a full time basis, at the University of Sydney Business School.

Selection criteria

— Applicants are required to complete and submit the University Merit Scholarship application form, which closes in late September at the Central Scholarships Office.

— Shortlisted applicants may be invited to attend an interview with the selection committee. The scholarship will be awarded following recommendations of the selection committee, consisting of the Deputy Dean of the Business School and two academic members of the Business School.

— The scholarship will be awarded on academic merit, personal qualities, leadership potential, and community involvement.

Ongoing eligibility

— The scholarship must be taken up in the semester in which it is offered.

— The scholarship recipient must be enrolled in the agreed degree program and must undertake a full time study load of 24 credit points each semester. If extenuating circumstances arise, the scholarship recipient may submit a request to decrease their study load to 18 credit points per semester but only with the permission of the Business School. The duration of the scholarship will not be extended if permission is obtained.
Ongoing eligibility cont’…

– The scholarship recipient must maintain a continuous enrolment and may not defer or suspend their enrolment in the degree. No leave of absence is allowed, except under exceptional circumstances such as a medical condition which limits the student’s capacity to undertake study. In the event that the scholarship recipient discontinues study, or transfers to another program, the scholarship is no longer tenable.

– The scholarship recipient must maintain a minimum distinction average of 75% each semester. The award is conditional on the scholarship recipient meeting all regulations of the coursework program.

Payment schedule

– Payments will be made in two equal instalments following the census date (March 31st and August 31st) each semester.