

Bill Miller Engineering Award

Code:	683
Faculty:	Engineering
Applicable study:	Undergraduate or Postgraduate study in the Faculty of Engineering
Closing date:	23 May 2024
Tenure:	One year
For:	Assistance
Number on offer:	Up to four per year
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$2,500-\$10,000

Description

The Bill Miller Engineering Award was established in 2011 and is funded from an endowed gift by the Bill Miller Trust.

The main purpose of the Award is to provide support for academically able students enrolling full time in the Faculty of Engineering who have demonstrated need for financial assistance.

Selection process

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- A Selection Committee assesses the applications
- The Award is made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

Regulations

1. The Award will be known as the Bill Miller Engineering Award.
2. Up to four Awards may be made annually, each for a period of one year, up to a total value of \$10,000. Each Award will have a minimum value of at least \$2,500.
3. The Award may be made to students who have paid fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for full-time enrolment in an undergraduate or postgraduate programme within the Faculty of Engineering.
4. The Award is tenable by students who are citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand.
5. The basis of selection will be demonstrated financial hardship, particularly where such hardship might result in the student not completing their Engineering studies, academic merit and the potential to achieve in the study of Engineering (see Notes I-II).
6. The Award will be made by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering (or nominee), the Associate Dean of Engineering (or nominee) and an additional staff member nominated by the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering.
7. The Award will be paid in one lump sum.
8. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Award.

9. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 23 May in year of the award.

10. Notes [I]-[II] below are deemed to be regulations.

Notes

- I. For the purpose of this award, academic merit for students enrolled in Part One is based on results at Level Two or higher in the National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) or an equivalent qualification. For students enrolled in Part Two, academic merit is assessed as a Scholarships grade point average (GPA) or grade point equivalent (GPE) obtained over the applicant's first year of full-time graded study. For students entering Part Three or subsequent years, academic merit is assessed as a Scholarships grade point average (GPA) or grade point equivalent (GPE) obtained over the applicant's most recent two years of full-time graded study.*
- II. Financial hardship will be determined by a range of factors including eligibility for a StudyLink Student Allowance, and personal and financial circumstances.*