

# AUEA Braithwaite-Thompson Graduate Research Awards

<b>Code:</b>	519
<b>Faculty:</b>	Engineering
<b>Applicable study:</b>	International student undertaking an ME, MOR or PhD in Engineering
<b>Closing date:</b>	16 April 2024
<b>Tenure:</b>	One year
<b>For:</b>	Assistance
<b>Number on offer:</b>	Up to two (see Note II)
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	Up to \$10,000

## Description

The Awards were established in 2007 and are funded by Ray and Joan Thompson.

The main purpose of the Awards is to support innovative graduate research in the Faculty of Engineering at the University of Auckland. The Awards are intended to assist International graduate students and to foster international relationships.

## Selection process

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

## Regulations

1. The Awards shall be known as the AUEA Braithwaite-Thompson Graduate Research Awards.
2. The main Award will be awarded annually for a period of one year, and will be the value of up to \$10,000. From time to time, a further one or two Awards may be offered, each for a period of one year, and up to the value of \$5,000.00 each.
3. The Awards will be made to a student who has paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for full-time enrolment in a Masters of Engineering, a Masters of Operations Research or a PhD degree in the Faculty of Engineering.
4. The Awards are only tenable by international students, i.e. students who are neither citizens nor permanent residents of New Zealand (see Note II).
5. The basis of selection will be academic potential, quality and relevance of the proposed research and its likely contribution to the standing of research in the Faculty.
6. The Awards 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), an academic of the Faculty of Engineering and one representative of the Donor.
7. The Award will be paid in one instalment.

8. On completion of their degree, recipients of the Award will be required to submit a copy of their thesis to the donor, at the donor's expense.
9. The Awards may be held concurrently with any other award or grant as long as the terms of that award or grant permit and the University of Auckland Council is informed and so approves.
10. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
11. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with the Donor, provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Awards.
12. Applications by way of form close with the Scholarships Office on 16 April in the year of the award.
13. Current recipients applying for a second year of funding will be required to submit a letter requesting continuation by the closing date.
14. Notes [I]-[II] below are deemed to be regulations.

## Notes

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- I. In making a recommendation for this Award the selection committee may take into account other scholarships, bursaries and awards held by the candidates, with a view to achieving a fair distribution of monies among qualifying candidates.*
- II. To be eligible to apply, applicants must have been granted a visa allowing them to study in New Zealand for the duration of the award.*