

## Duffus Lubecki Award

<b>Code:</b>	90
<b>Faculty:</b>	Science
<b>Applicable study:</b>	PhD in Physics, Chemistry or Biology
<b>Closing date:</b>	By nomination
<b>Tenure:</b>	One year
<b>For:</b>	Assistance with study
<b>Number on offer:</b>	One
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	\$1,000

### Description

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In 1924 Mr A D Lubecki gifted the sum of \$2,000 for the encouragement of experimental research.

The main purpose of the Award is to encourage and support confirmed PhD candidates undertaking research in Physics, Chemistry and Biology.

### Selection process

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- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Award is made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Associate Dean (Postgraduate Research)

### Regulations

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1. The Award will be known as the Duffus Lubecki Award.
2. One Award will be made annually and will be of the value of \$1,000.
3. To be eligible for Award consideration, candidates must be confirmed PhD candidates undertaking research in either Physics, Chemistry or Biology at the University of Auckland.
4. The basis of selection will be academic merit as assessed by the grade point average (GPA) or grade point equivalent (GPE) obtained in the candidate's qualifying programme for doctoral study and the report of the Confirmation Review Committee.
5. The Award will be made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Associate Dean (Postgraduate Research) (or nominee) in consultation with the Head of the School of Biological Sciences (or nominee), the Head of the School of Chemical Sciences (or nominee) and the Head of the Department of Physics (or nominee).
6. The Award will be paid in a lump sum.
7. To be paid the Award, awardees must be enrolled in a PhD undertaking research in either Physics, Chemistry or Biology.
8. The Award may be held with any other scholarship, award or grant as long as the regulations for that scholarship,

award or grant permit and the University of Auckland Council is informed and approved. It is the responsibility of the awardee to declare to the Scholarships Office all other scholarships, awards or grant funding received and for which the awardee receives payment while also in payment for this Award.

9. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if it is determined that there is no candidate that meets the criteria and/or no candidate of sufficient merit.
10. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these Regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Award.
11. Notes [I]-[III] are deemed to be regulations.

## Notes

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- I. Where the qualifying programme is an undergraduate honours degree (or equivalent undergraduate degree or integrated undergraduate and postgraduate degree), the GPA/GPE will be calculated over the final two years of full-time study (or equivalent) in the programme. In all other cases, the GPA/GPE will be calculated over the entirety of the qualifying programme.*
- II. Payments under the terms of this Award remain tax-free as long as they are used directly for the payment of costs associated with an awardee's programme of study and to assist the awardee with living costs while studying. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the termination of the Award.*
- III. Awardees will be required to comply with the regulations for the Award and will notify the Scholarships Office of any change in their enrolment or funding status. The University of Auckland may, in the event that it can be established that an awardee is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Award and require repayment of the funds received.*