

# EY Scholarship in Information Systems

**Code:** 792

Faculty: Business School

Applicable study: Stage II of a BCom or BCom conjoint degree in Information Systems

Closing date: 4 April 2024
Tenure: One Year

For: Assistance with study

Number on offer:OneOffer rate:AnnuallyValue:Up to \$2,500

### **Description**

The Scholarship was established in 2014 and is funded by EY New Zealand.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to encourage and support undergraduate students in the study of Information Systems at Stage II level.

### 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 Scholarship will be known as the EY Scholarship in Information Systems.
- 2. One Scholarship will be awarded annually, for a period of one year, and will be of the value of up to \$2,500.
- 3. The Scholarship will be awarded to an undergraduate candidate who has paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees, for fulltime enrolment in a Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) undertaking Stage II courses in Information Systems. Students undertaking a BCom as part of a conjoint degree are eligible to apply. Applicants must have completed INFOSYS 110 Business Systems and intend to major in Information Systems to be eligible for Scholarship consideration.
- 4. The Scholarship is tenable by students who are citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand.
- 5. The basis of selection will be academic merit (a minimum GPA of 7.00 across Stage I Commerce courses), and a personal statement outlining the candidate's leadership potential, written and verbal communication skills, interpersonal abilities, project management skills and demonstrated skills as a self-starter. Applicants are required to submit an essay with their application outlining their career goals and aspirations, and their philosophy of service, including contribution to their community.
- 6. The Scholarships will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the Business School (or nominee), the Head of the Department of Information

- Systems and Operations Management (or nominee) and one representative of the EY New Zealand.
- 7. The Scholarship will be paid in one instalment upon award.
- 8. The Scholarship may be held concurrently 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 approves. It is the responsibility of the recipient 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 Scholarship.
- 9. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there is no candidate of sufficient merit
- 10. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with EY New Zealand, provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.
- 11. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 4 April in the year of the award.
- 12. Notes [I]-[IV] below are deemed to be regulations.

#### **Notes**

- I. Recipients of the EY Scholarship in Information Systems will have the opportunity of two days of work experience with EY New Zealand.
- II. The recipient will receive entry into the EY assessment day for the EY Graduate & Intern Programme (subject to completion of the entry form).
- III. Payments under the terms of this Scholarship remain tax-free as long as they are used 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 Scholarship.
- IV. Recipients of an EY Scholarship in Information Systems will be required to give undertakings that they will comply with the regulations for the Scholarship 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 a recipient of an EY Scholarship in Information Systems is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received.