

# Shirley Barker Calderwood Memorial Scholarship

<b>Code:</b>	255
<b>Faculty:</b>	Business & Economics
<b>Applicable study:</b>	Postgraduate programme in Accounting and Finance
<b>Closing date:</b>	By nomination
<b>Tenure:</b>	One year
<b>For:</b>	Assistance
<b>Number on offer:</b>	One
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	Up to \$4,500

## Description

The Scholarship was established in 1988 as a result of public subscriptions, and later with a significant family contribution, in memory of the late Shirley Caroline Barker Calderwood, who was a member of staff of the Accounting and Finance Department from 1982 to 1988.

## Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Scholarship is awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of Department of Accounting and Finance.

## Regulations

1. The Scholarship will be known as the Shirley Barker Calderwood Memorial Scholarship.
2. One Scholarship will awarded annually for a period of up to one year, and will be of the value of up to \$4,500. Recipients may reapply in subsequent years.
3. The Scholarship may be awarded for the encouragement of postgraduate study in Accounting and Finance and will be open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in Commerce. The Scholar will be required to enrol and pay the fees, or arrange to pay the fees, for a postgraduate programme in Accounting and Finance 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) calculated over the most recently completed qualifying programme. Successful candidates will have a minimum GPA/GPE of 7.00 (6.50 for Māori and Pacific candidates) (see Notes I to II).
5. The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Accounting and Finance.
6. The Scholarship shall be paid in two equal instalments, one in each semester.
7. The Scholarship may be held concurrently with any other scholarship, award or grant as long as a) the terms of that scholarship, award or grant permit and b) the University of Auckland Council is informed and approves.
8. The University of Auckland Council has the power to terminate or suspend a Scholarship if it receives a report of

unsatisfactory progress from the Head of the Department of Accounting and Finance.

9. The University of Auckland Council shall not be bound to award the Scholarship in any year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
10. 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 Scholarship.
11. Notes [I]-[III] are deemed to be regulations.

## Notes

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- I. The most recent qualifying programme is defined as the most recently completed programme of study that qualifies the applicant for entry to the research masters programme for which they are applying. Where the most recently completed programme is a conjoint programme the GPA/GPE will be calculated over the entirety of the conjoint programme. The maximum approved exchange or transfer credit that can be excluded from the GPA/GPE calculation for the qualifying programme is 60 points. Where the most recently completed programme is a Transitional Certificate, the qualifying programme is the Transitional Certificate and the most recently completed prior degree.*
- II. Payments under the terms of this Scholarship remain tax-free as long as they are used directly for the payment of costs associated with an awardee's programme of study. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the termination of the Scholarship.*
- III. Recipients of a Shirley Barker Calderwood Memorial Scholarship will be required to give undertaking that they will comply with the regulations for the Scholarship and will notify the Scholarships Office of any changes in their enrolment, employment or funding status. The University of Auckland may, in the event that it can be established that a recipient of a Shirley Barker Calderwood Memorial Scholarship is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received from the date of the breach.*