

T W J Johnson Scholarship in Clinical Medicine

Code:	260
Faculty:	Medical and Health Sciences
Applicable study:	Research Year for MBChB student undertaking BMedSci(Hons) degree
Closing date:	30 October 2025
Tenure:	1 year
For:	Assistance with study
Number on offer:	One
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	\$8,000

Description

The funds for this Scholarship are provided from a bequest made by Mrs Mary Lillian Johnson for the promotion and encouragement of and research into clinical medicine.

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 Scholarship will be known as the T W J Johnson Scholarship in Clinical Medicine.
2. One Scholarship will be awarded annually for a period of up to one year and will be of the value of up to \$8,000.
3. To be eligible for Scholarship consideration, an applicant must i) have successfully completed Part III of the Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB) degree at the University of Auckland in the year of application, and ii) be enrolled, or intending to enrol, in a Bachelor of Medical Sciences (Honours) research year in clinical medicine at Waipapa Taumata Rau, University of Auckland in the following year before resuming their MBChB programme. A grade point average (GPA) of at least 7.00 (6.50 for Māori and Pacific candidates) is required for Award consideration (see Note II).
4. The Scholarship is tenable by domestic or international students.
5. The basis of selection will be academic merit and the quality and nature of the applicant's research proposal.
6. The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Dean of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (or nominee), the Associate Dean (Postgraduate) of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (or nominee) and one other academic staff member of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences nominated by the Dean of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences.
7. The Scholarship will be paid in two equal instalments, in Semester One and Two, as soon as is practical after confirmation of the awardee's enrolment (that is, after the final date on which a student may add or delete courses without incurring a late enrolment fee).

8. To be paid the Scholarship, the awardee must be enrolled full-time in a BMedSci(Hons) at Waipapa Taumata Rau, University of Auckland.
9. The University of Auckland Council has the power to terminate or suspend a Scholarship if it receives a report of unsatisfactory progress by a Scholar from the Associate Dean (Postgraduate) of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences.
10. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if it is determined there is no candidate that meets the criteria and/or no candidate of sufficient merit.
11. 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/or to assist the awardee with living costs while studying (see Note I). Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the termination of the Scholarship.
12. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these Regulations, provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.
13. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 30 October in the year preceding the award.
14. Notes [I]-[III] below are deemed to be regulations.

Notes

- I. The tax-free status of this Scholarship is under current legislation. The University of Auckland cannot guarantee this tax-free outcome.*
- II. For the purpose of this Scholarship, academic merit is assessed as a Scholarships GPA obtained over the candidate's most recent two years of full-time graded study.*
- III. Awardees will be required to comply with the regulations for the Scholarship and must notify the Scholarships Office of any change in their enrolment or funding status. Waipapa Taumata Rau, University of Auckland may, in the event that it can be established that an awardee is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received from the date of the breach.*