

Our mission: to empower Pasifika students and communities to achieve their social and economic aspirations through excellence in education, research, and leadership.

The Pasifika Postgraduate Scholarships are offered to encourage Pasifika students to undertake and complete postgraduate degree studies at Massey University. Applicants must be enrolled or intend to enrol in a postgraduate degree programme at Massey University, with consideration given to applicants who are actively involved in the Pasifika community.

Value

The value of the Pasifika Postgraduate Scholarship shall be a **one-off payment** of \$5,000.

Eligibility and conditions

- The Pasifika Postgraduate Scholarships are open to Pasifika students who are enrolled or intending to enrol part time or full time in a postgraduate degree programme in any field or discipline at Massey University.
- The scholarships are open to domestic and international students.
- Applicants studying or intending to study towards a doctoral degree are not eligible to apply.
- Consideration will normally only be given to students with a GPA score of 6.0 or better (on a 9 point scale). This is an average grade of B+. However, the decision to award will be at the discretion of the selection committee.
- The applicant's short statement on Pasifika community involvement must be accompanied by a reference from a member of the community.
- No Postgraduate Scholarship payment will be made if, for whatever reason, the applicant is not actively involved in his/her degree programme.
- Failure to pass courses for the year of tenure will result in full repayment of the scholarship monies to Massey University by the end of the following year .i.e. if the scholarship is awarded in 2017 and a recipient fails to pass courses during that year, the monies must be repaid in full by the end of 2018.

Term

The Pasifika Postgraduate Scholarship shall be tenable at Massey University for a maximum period of 12 months. No retrospective payments will be permitted beyond this period.

Tenure

The tenure of the Postgraduate Scholarships shall commence within the current year. No deferrals beyond these dates are permitted, except in exceptional circumstances.

CLOSING DATE: Friday 3rd March 2017

[TYPE OR WRITE INTO THE FIELDS ON THIS FORM. LATE AND INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.]

PERSONAL DETAILS		
Legal Family Name		
Legal Given Name(s)		
Street		
Suburb/RD Number		
Town/City		Postcode:
Home Telephone	()	Cell phone ()
Date of birth		Gender:
Citizenship	<input type="checkbox"/> NZ Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please state):	Do you hold a NZ residence class visa? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Ethnicity		
Student Email		
Personal Email		

PROGRAMME OF STUDY/ENROLMENT DETAILS			
(Proposed) degree programme:			
Enrolment Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Full-time	<input type="checkbox"/> Part-time	<input type="checkbox"/> Extra-mural
Year of Study	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 st	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
Details of proposed research (or research project) involved in postgraduate degree programme:			

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Briefly describe your involvement in the Pasifika community (maximum 250 words). This must be accompanied by a supporting reference from a member of your community. Please attach the reference to your application.

CHECKLIST

- Attach your supporting information to your application form with a staple or paper clip:
- Read the declaration below, date it, print and sign
- Take a copy of your application, for your record

PRIVACY PROVISIONS and DECLARATION

The personal information you provide in this scholarship application will be treated in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993. It will be used solely for the purpose of assessing your application, and will be held confidential to members of the selection committee.

Conditions of the Award:

- The successful candidate will provide permission to the Pasifika Directorate at Massey University to use their profile and photo at no cost to Massey University for recruitment and marketing activities.

Applicant's Declaration

I confirm that:

- The information set out in this application form is true, accurate and complete; **AND**
- I have read and understood the regulations for the Scholarships; and I agree to abide by them; **AND**
- Should I be successful with this application, I give permission to the Pasifika Directorate at Massey University to use my profile and photo at no cost to Massey University recruitment and marketing activities.

Applicant's Name:

Signature: **Date:** / /

CLOSING DATE: Friday 3rd March, 5pm

By post:

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Acknowledgement of receipt of application will be sent by email within 5 working days.

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