

**Application Form**  
**Venture Trust Research Grants in Agricultural Economics and Policy**

The Venture Trust Inc. was established in 1986 to encourage, promote and assist research and development in New Zealand agriculture and land use, especially that involving agricultural policy, management, economic and strategic studies, agricultural trade and market studies, and agricultural resource use and management in New Zealand. The word "agriculture" is broadly interpreted to include any rural land productive activity including forestry and horticulture.

Please note that the Trust is a 'funder of last resort'. Applicants should therefore ensure that their efforts to obtain other funding support for their project, and the outcomes, are included in their application.

Applications for funding are submitted for consideration at the Venture Trust's Annual Meeting which is held at Massey University in March each year.

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Contact person:

Phone no.

Address:

Email address:

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Project title:

Primary researcher(s):

Position(s):

Address(es):

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**1. Project description and Methodology**

Please provide up to two pages describing the project, methodology, and anticipated outcomes

**2. Budget**

Please provide a detailed budget for the project, showing all sources of funding (denoted as approved or anticipated). Indicate specifically that funding which is sought from the Venture Trust.

**3. Significance:**

Please outline the significance of your project to New Zealand's land-based industries.

**4. Curriculum Vitae:**

Please provide a brief (no more than two-page) cv for each primary researcher.

**Application Form**  
**The Venture Trust International Travel Fellowship Programme**

The Venture Trust Inc. was established in 1986 to encourage, promote and assist research and development in New Zealand agriculture and land use, especially that involving agricultural policy, management, economic and strategic studies, agricultural trade and market studies, and agricultural resource use and management in New Zealand. This includes sustainable agriculture and climate change. The word "agriculture" is broadly interpreted to include any rural land productive activity including forestry and horticulture.

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Massey Contact person:  
(only required for visitors from overseas)

Phone no.

Address:

Email address:

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Name of Visitor:

Phone no.

Address:

Email address:

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**1. Objectives of the visit**

Please indicate the major purposes of the visit, and expected achievements.

**2. Benefits to Massey University**

Please describe the ways in which you expect Massey University to benefit from the proposed visit. This could include new research collaborations, projects and contracts, delivery of lectures and seminars, and knowledge and data transfers.

**3. Budget**

Please give a detailed budget for the visit, including all travel, accommodation and other expenses associated with the visit, and the components for which you seek Trust funding.

**4. Proposed dates and itinerary for the Visit.**

**5. Curriculum Vitae:**

Please provide a short (no more than four-page) cv for the nominated Visitor.



**Application Form**  
**The Postgraduate Scholarship in Agricultural Policy Research**

The Venture Trust Inc. was established in 1986 to encourage, promote and assist research and development in New Zealand agriculture and land use, especially that involving agricultural policy, management, economic and strategic studies, agricultural trade and market studies, and agricultural resource use and management in New Zealand. The word "agriculture" is broadly interpreted to include any rural land productive activity including forestry and horticulture.

Please note that the Trust is a 'funder of last resort'. Applicants should therefore ensure that their efforts to obtain other funding support for their project, and the outcomes, are included in their application. Preference will be given to research with an Asian-Pacific focus.

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Name:	Telephone no.
Home address:	Telephone no.
Term address:	Email address:

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List any awards held with their annual value:

List other awards currently applied for with their annual value:

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**Educational History and Research Area**

Universities previously attended by years, and qualifications completed or pending:

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**Proposed course of Study:**                      PhD                      Masterate

Campus:

College/ /Institute/Department:

Supervisor's name or names:

Title of research study:

**Academic referees (2):**

Name:

Address:

Email address:

Name:

Address:

Email address:

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**1. Project description**

Please provide an outline of your proposed postgraduate research (not more than one page) and its significance to New Zealand's land-based industries. Doctoral student reapplying for a continuation of annual funding should also include a statement of progress.

**2. Curriculum Vitae and Academic Record:**

Please provide a brief (no more than two-page) cv and a Certified copy of your Academic Record.



**Application Form**  
**The Venture Trust Post-Doctoral Scholarship in Agricultural Trade and Policy**

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Massey Project Leader:

Phone no.

Address:

Email address:

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Project Title:

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Participating Staff and Postgraduate Students:

Position(s):

Address(es):

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Name of Nominated Postdoctoral Scholar (if known):

Address:

Email address:

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**1. Project description and Methodology**

Please provide up to two pages describing the project(s) to which the Postdoctoral Scholar will contribute, methodology, and anticipated outcomes. For ongoing projects, evidence of past outcomes would be useful.

**2. Objectives of the Visit.**

Please indicate the specific contributions of the Scholar to the project(s) and expected achievements of the visit.

**3. Significance of the Project:**

Please outline the significance of your project to New Zealand's land-based industries.

**4. Benefits to Massey University**

Please describe the ways in which you expect Massey University to benefit from the proposed Scholarship. This could include access to specific research knowledge and skills, new contracts, delivery of seminars, publications, and knowledge and data transfers.

**5. Budget**

Please give a detailed budget for the Project, including all travel and other expenses associated with the Scholarship, and the components for which you seek Trust funding. Please also indicate other sources of funding for the project (secured or anticipated).

**6. Proposed dates** and itinerary for the Visit.

**7. Curriculum Vitae:**

Please provide a summary (no more than five-page) cv for the nominated Postdoctoral Scholar and for the Project Leader.



**Application Form**  
**The Venture Trust Eminent Visitors Programme**

The Venture Trust Inc. was established in 1986 to encourage, promote and assist research and development in New Zealand agriculture and land use, especially that involving agricultural policy, management, economic and strategic studies, agricultural trade and market studies, and agricultural resource use and management in New Zealand. The word "agriculture" is broadly interpreted to include any rural land productive activity including forestry and horticulture.

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Massey Contact person:

Phone no.

Address:

Email address:

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Project title:

Primary researcher(s):

Position(s):

Address(es):

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Name of Visitor:

Phone no.

Address:

Email address:

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**1. Project description and Methodology**

Please provide up to two pages describing the project(s) to which the Eminent Visitor will contribute, methodology, and anticipated outcomes

**2. Objectives of the Visit.**

Please indicate the major purposes of the visit, the specific contributions of the Visitor to the project(s) and expected achievements of the visit.

**3. Significance of the Project:**

Please outline the significance of your project to New Zealand's land-based industries.

**4. Benefits to Massey University**

Please describe the ways in which you expect Massey University to benefit from the proposed visit. This could include access to specific research knowledge and skills, new contracts, delivery of lectures and seminars, publications, and knowledge and data transfers.

**5. Budget**

Please give a detailed budget for the visit, including all travel, accommodation and other expenses associated with the visit, and the components for which you seek Trust funding. The latter should not include project costs unrelated to the specific visit.

**6. Proposed dates** and itinerary for the Visit.

**7. Curriculum Vitae:**

Please provide a summary (no more than five-page) cv for the nominated Visitor.