

Alex C P Chu Trade for Training Scholarship

Scholarship Regulations

Focus

Agriculture and Horticulture – student exchange and overseas travel

Level of Study

Undergraduate and Postgraduate

Purpose

To encourage New Zealand agriculture and horticulture students to experience aspects of their discipline area within an overseas culture.

Value and Tenure

The value of the scholarship is determined each year from the interest earned on the capital.

The scholarship is offered annually as funds permit and the tenure is for a single academic year.

Typical Number on Offer

Typically, one scholarship is offered each year, determined by available funds.

Eligibility

Applicants must be:

- enrolled in a postgraduate or undergraduate course in agriculture or horticulture.
- eligible to participate in overseas study and/or student exchange as part of their programme.

Selection Criteria

The selection criterion is academic merit and the approval into an overseas exchange programme or internship.

Selection Panel

The scholarship is awarded by the University Scholarships Selection Committee on the recommendation of the Applied Academic Programmes Scholarships Committee which includes Associate Professor Alex Chu, or nominee.

Conditions of the Scholarship

A single payment of the scholarship will occur 3 weeks prior to departure to the overseas destination on presentation of air tickets and itinerary to the chair of the Applied Academic Programmes Scholarships Committee for recipients with future travel dates.

Undergraduate students who intend to undertake an overseas exchange in semester 2 of the year of scholarship application are expected to have registered their intention to participate with the Office of Global Engagement prior to applying for this scholarship.

Undergraduate students who are undertaking an overseas exchange in semester 1 of the year of scholarship application are welcome to apply after the commencement of their exchange programme, on the understanding that the selection and award of the scholarship will be at the discretion of the panel.

The University Scholarships Selection Committee have the right to refrain from making an award if there are no suitable applicants and their decision is final.

In recommending the award of the scholarship the Applied Academic Programmes Scholarships Committee, College of Sciences, will take account of other scholarships held.

The scholarship may be held in conjunction with other scholarships, bursaries or awards, so long as those scholarships, bursaries or awards permit co-tenure.