

# International Creative Excellence Masters Degree Scholarship

## Scholarship Regulations

### Focus

International students

### Level of Study

Postgraduate

### Purpose

The International Creative Excellence Masters Degree Scholarship acknowledges the creative excellence and strength of creative vision to support international students enrolling in the first year of a masters degree with the College of Creative Arts Massey University.

### Value and Tenure

The value of the scholarship is up to NZ\$5,000 towards the tuition fee. The tenure is one year, to be used in the first year of study.

Depending on the quantity of applications, lesser amounts may be awarded.

### Typical Number on Offer

Up to 2 scholarships are available.

### Eligibility

Applicants must be:

- international students
- intending to enrol full time in the first year of a masters degree in the College of Creative Arts. Eligible degrees are:
  - Master of Commercial Music
  - Master of Design
  - Master of Fine Arts
  - Master of Screen Arts

## **Selection Criteria**

The selection will be based on the submission of a portfolio of creative work, accompanied by a short statement of creative purpose. Consideration of personal characteristics including country of residence will be given to ensure equitable awarding.

## **Selection Committee**

The scholarship is awarded by the University Scholarships Selection Committee on the recommendation of a panel consisting of university staff within the College of Creative Arts.

## **Conditions of the Scholarship**

To be eligible for this fee scholarship, students must have received an Admission Offer of Place into a full-time masters degree within the College of Creative Arts commencing in 2026.

Applicants must be international students. This fee scholarship is not open to Australian or New Zealand citizens or permanent residents of Australia or New Zealand.

Applicants must not have already started a degree at Massey University at the time of application for the award.

Applicants who are already enrolled in a Massey University partner institution's articulation programme are not eligible for this award.

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

Fee scholarships are not transferable or deferrable. They are valid only for use by scholarship winners in the academic year for which they have been awarded.

If awarded, the fee scholarship will be paid into the student's Massey Account after the census date (last date of withdrawal without financial penalty).

Should the applicant withdraw from study in the first year, the scholarship will be withheld from any refunds.