



The Scholarships Update is circulated monthly to postgraduate co-ordinators, the PGSA, Heads of School, School and Faculty Managers.

If there have been any changes to these roles, please advise and we will make the changes to the mailing list.

For current scholarships or the Scholarships Database

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## Victoria University Scholarships

**Victoria PhD Scholarships** also known as Victoria Doctoral Scholarships and PhD Admission. Although there is now a combined process for PhD Admission and scholarships it is still possible for existing PhD candidates or potential PhD students with a letter of offer to apply for PhD funding. There are three rounds a year (November, March & July) **Closing Date: 1 July** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+100008>

**Victoria Doctoral Completion Awards** PhD candidates who submit their thesis for examination in under 42 months are eligible for Doctoral completion funding. The value of Victoria Doctoral Completion Awards is up to \$6,000 depending on the outcome of the examination and the date of submission. Candidates must have the endorsement of their supervisor and Head of School to submit. Candidates receiving other scholarship funding designed to provide support during the examination period e.g. extended stipend support, are not eligible to apply. **Closing Date: Anytime** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+600532>

**Victoria PhD Submission Scholarships** are available for the three month period immediately prior to submission of the PhD thesis only. These scholarships are contestable and strong support for the intended time frame will be needed from the School. Candidates who have received a PhD Submission Scholarship are not eligible to apply for a Doctoral Completion Award. (Closing dates every 2 months) **Closing date: 28 May 2012** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+600302>



## Call for Papers

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**Postgraduate Research Conference on Power and Politics** - We are pleased to announce the inaugural 'Postgraduate Research Conference on Power and Politics' to be held at the University of Otago, Dunedin from the **2nd to the 3rd July 2012**.

Power and Politics are key topics within the disciplines of the humanities and social sciences. These contemporary topics will be discussed at this two day conference. Discussion of power and politics in their broadest senses will focus on historical or contemporary developments and will analyse whether these concepts have been progressive or regressive, integrating or fragmenting. Postgraduate researchers will present material from a variety of methodological and disciplinary approaches.

Scholars from the humanities and social science disciplines are invited to submit a 200 word abstract by the **1st June 2012**. Please include a title for your presentation, your name, your institution/department/discipline and level of postgraduate research.

Presentations will be approximately 15 minutes in length with further time for questions. There will also be a postgraduate workshop related to methodological issues raised from the interdisciplinary study of power and politics in the humanities and social sciences.

Please submit an abstract no later than **1st June 2012** to [prcpp2012@gmail.com](mailto:prcpp2012@gmail.com)

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**International Fulbright Science and Technology Awards** For promising graduate students to undertake PhD study at top US universities in fields of science, technology or engineering. Candidates are nominated by their home country's Fulbright commission and selected by rigorous international competition.  
**Closing Date: 1 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+500188>

**Japanese Government (Monbukagakusho) Research (Graduate) Students** The Ministry of Education, Science, Sports and Culture (monbukagakusho) of the Government of Japan offers scholarship to foreign students who wish to study at Japanese universities. For university graduates who wish to undertake postgraduate studies at a Japanese University.  
**Closing Date: 23 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+100121>

**Nora Bateson Scholarship** The Scholarship is intended to encourage beginning practitioners to include some form of overseas study or experience of professional practice in their programme rather than to support work for a research degree.  
**Closing Date: 31 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+801102>

**Fulbright-Platinum Triangle Award in Business** The Fulbright-Platinum Triangle Award in Business is for a talented New Zealander in a knowledge economy-related field to complete a Master's degree at an American university and to gain professional work experience in the US and in New Zealand.  
**Closing Date: 1 June** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+500120>

**Rotary Vocational Scholarships** Students at Victoria University of Wellington who are considering post-graduate study overseas in 2013 are invited to apply for a Rotary Foundation Vocational scholarship.  
**Closing Date: 30 June** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+801671>

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**Google Australia and New Zealand Anita Borg Memorial Scholarship** The aim of this scholarship is to encourage women to excel in computing and technology, and become active role models and leaders.  
**Closing Date: 1 May** <http://www.google.com.au/intl/en/anitaborg/>

**Tufi Taufao Scholarship** In order of Pacific students to participate in international exchanges, the Office of the Assistant Vice-Chancellor (Pasifika) will grant scholarships to eligible students who have been approved for exchange to approved exchange partner institutions, and who meet the requirements of the selection panel. **Closing Date: 1 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+500513>

**NZ Tobacco Control Research Turanga Doctoral and Masters Scholarships** The purpose of the scholarships is to support research students to contribute to the overarching goal of the Tobacco Control Research Turanga, which is to deliver new knowledge to inform policies and practices with the aim of halving smoking prevalence in New Zealand by 2020.  
**Closing Date: 15 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+500589>

**Cranfield New Zealand Alumni Scholarship** The award is open to any New Zealand citizen or permanent resident. Applicants of any academic work or background are welcome to apply as long as they meet the requirements for entry onto the Cranfield MBA course. There is no age limit: the average age of participants on the current MBA programme is 31, although ages range from 25 to 44.  
**Closing Date: 31 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+802690>

**Hauraki Maori Trust Board Education Grants** Grants are available to registered iwi members who are studying towards a diploma or higher level qualification. To be eligible you must whakapapa to one or more of the Hauraki iwi and be on the Tribal Register of Hauraki Maori Trust Board.  
**Closing Date: 31 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+802884>

**Wanganui Federation of University Women Trust - Wynne Costley Study Award** The Wynne Costley Study Award is a grant of up to \$3000 made to a female student in her second to fourth year of full-time tertiary study. **Closing Date: 31 May** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+600295>

**James E Worsfold Scholarship** To encourage research into the early history of the Wellington region. Candidates must be studying for a Masters degree or Doctor of Philosophy relating to the history of the Wellington region between 1830 and 1900.  
**Closing Date: 1 June** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+100281>

**Rutherford Foundation Post-doctoral Fellowships in New Zealand** The New Zealand Postdoctoral Fellowships are two-year awards for up to two applicants per year who have recently completed their PhD. They will enable recipients to undertake full-time research programmes within New Zealand in any area of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Support for this programme comes from the New Zealand Government. **Closing Date: 30 June** <http://www.fis.org.nz/BreakOut/vuw/schols.phtml?detail+802953>

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