

THE AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
PETER AND LENA KARMEL HONOURS SCHOLARSHIP IN THE SCHOOL OF ART
CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION

The Peter and Lena Karmel Fund shall provide funds for one scholarship for award each year to be known as the “Peter and Lena Karmel Honours Scholarship in the School of Art”. The scholarship is to assist a student who has gained entry into the Honours year of an undergraduate program offered by the School of Art in the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences, and who has demonstrated a high capacity for achievement in his or her chosen field of Arts practice.

2. VALUE

The value of the Scholarship will be set out in the formal scholarship offer letter. The scholarship shall be paid in two equal instalments unless otherwise stated in the scholarship offer letter.

3. ELIGIBILITY

The Scholarship shall be awarded to the applicant who:

- (a) has an outstanding academic record in Art and has demonstrated a high capacity for achievement in his or her chosen field of Arts practice; and
- (b) is eligible for enrolment at the University in the Honours year of the program for the degree of Bachelor of Arts (Visual) with Honours or Bachelor of Visual Arts with Honours or Bachelor of Design Arts with Honours.

4. APPLICATION

There will be a call for applications each year by the School of Art. Applications must be submitted on the prescribed form to the School of Art.

5. SELECTION

5.1 A Selection Committee of at least three members of academic staff of the School of Art, chaired by the Head of the School of Art (or nominee) shall select the scholars.

5.2 When making recommendations the Selection Committee shall take into account:

- (a) the merit of the Honours application;
- (b) the recommendation of the relevant Head of Workshop;
- (c) the applicant’s academic record; and
- (d) the presentation at the end of semester six exhibition, or equivalent folio documentation.

5.3 A Scholarship shall not be awarded if, in the opinion of the Selection Committee, there is no applicant of sufficient merit.

6. CONCURRENT HOLDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS

The scholar must seek approval from the Dean of the College of Arts and Social Sciences, to hold any other scholarship or award concurrently with the Peter and Lena Karmel Honours Scholarship in the School of Art.

7. COMMENCEMENT

The Scholarship is normally to be taken up in the first semester of an academic year but, on request and with the approval of the Dean of the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences, acting on the advice of the Head of the School of Art, the scholarship may be taken up in the second semester of that year.

8. LEVEL OF PERFORMANCE

If a scholar's academic performance is unsatisfactory in the opinion of the Dean of the College of Arts and Social Sciences, acting on the advice of the Head of the School of Art, payment of the Scholarship may be withheld.

9. TENURE

The Scholarship shall be tenable for two consecutive academic semesters.

10. ENROLMENT

- 10.1 The scholar may be enrolled on a full-time or part-time basis in the relevant program offered by the School of Art. If a scholar fails to enrol for the Honours year of the program, or withdraws from the program, the Scholarship must be surrendered.
- 10.2 Suspension of the Scholarship, after the scholar has enrolled, may be approved by the Dean of the College of Arts and Social Sciences subject to concurrent approval for leave of absence from the relevant program being obtained from the relevant Program Authority.

11. TERMINATION

The scholarship shall terminate at the conclusion of the second semester for which it was awarded or on the date on which the scholar ceases to attend the University other than for approved absences, whichever is the earlier. The University may terminate the scholarship before this time if the scholar does not fulfil his or her obligations or if, in the opinion of the Dean of the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences, acting on the advice of the Head of the School of Art, satisfactory academic progress is not being made by the scholar.

12. REPAYMENT OF FUNDS

The scholarship instalment for the semester in which the enrolment change or withdrawal occurred may be requested to be refunded. The determination will be made by the Dean of the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences taking into account information from the scholar and the Head of the School of Art.



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13. PUBLICITY

It is anticipated that Peter and Lena Karmel Honours Scholarship in the School of Art, holders may be requested to participate in publicity of the scholarship from time to time. This may include publicity in the state or territory of residence or of schooling. Scholars may be contacted for an interview and photograph. The University may also publicise the scholarships by publishing the names of the scholars. Arrangements for such publicity will be made through the Communications and External Liaison Office of the University.