



ANU GLOBAL DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP CONDITIONS OF AWARD

1. INTRODUCTION

Each year the Australian National University ('the University') may offer up to 100 awards known as the *ANU Global Diversity Scholarship* ('the Award').

The objective of the Award is to attract students from diverse regions of the world to pursue a degree at the ANU.

Funding for this Award has been provided by the University.

2. BENEFITS

The value of the Award is stated in your letter of offer. The duration of the Award is for a maximum of four years. The Award is paid in equal instalments at the beginning of each 6 month period after enrolment has been confirmed unless otherwise stated in the letter of offer.

The recipient is responsible for making payment of all tuition fees by the prescribed date as set out by the University/ANU College each session. Recipients of this Award are responsible for the costs of books, study materials, accommodation and all other costs of study.

3. ELIGIBILITY

The Award is available each year to a prospective ANU student who:

- (a) is defined as an overseas student under the terms of the Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000 and does not hold a 995 visa;
- (b) is a citizen of one of countries listed on the corresponding website for this Award in the *ANU Targeted Diversity Source Regions*;
- (c) is self-funded for fee purposes and is a full-fee paying student (i.e. is not the recipient of a tuition fee sponsorship by a government or organisation); and
- (d) receives an offer of admission to a pathway program at the ANU College and an offer to the subsequent program at ANU.

4. APPLICATION

There is no application as students are automatically considered based on them meeting the eligibility criteria or conditions prescribed under the Eligibility section.

5. SELECTION

Selection is made on the basis of applicants meeting the eligibility criteria. Where there are more applicants than Awards available, selection will be based on academic merit.

6. CONCURRENT HOLDING OF AWARDS

A recipient of the Award is permitted to hold concurrent scholarships as outlined in the ANU Coursework Scholarships procedure.

7. DEFERMENT

The Award cannot be deferred.

8. ONGOING ELIGIBILITY

A recipient of this Award is required to enrol in a full-time load of 24 units per semester/6 month period or the equivalent full-time load at the ANU College.

Recipients are expected to make satisfactory academic progress in their course/s of study at ANU College (per the [ANU College Policy - Academic Progression and Completion](#)).

While enrolled at ANU, recipients are expected to maintain a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 4.0 or above each semester (with the average being across all courses taken in a particular semester or session/s overlapping that semester).

If a recipient is unable to achieve the required academic progression or GPA in any semester a formal warning may be sent.

If the recipient does not meet the required GPA or progress as required in a subsequent semester they risk having their Award suspended or terminated.

A recipient is given the opportunity to explain their performance and how their performance can be remedied before a decision on the suspension or termination of the Award is made.

9. CESSATION OF AWARD

The Award ceases or should be surrendered:

- (a) if a student no longer meets the eligibility requirements
- (b) at the conclusion of the period outlined in section 2; or
- (c) on the date on which the recipient withdraws or ceases to attend ANU College or the University other than for approved absences;
- (d) if a recipient fails to enrol as required in section 8;
- (e) if a recipient changes to part-time enrolment without receiving permission to retain their scholarship;
- (f) if a recipient changes their program or course without permission;
- (g) if a recipient fails to meet the minimum academic performance requirements;
- (h) if a recipient breaches academic or behavioural standards set by the University under the Academic Misconduct & Discipline Rules;

whichever is earliest.

10. REPAYMENT OF FUNDS

Subject to the information available at the time, the Registrar (or nominee) may request that the payment for the semester in which the breach of conditions or withdrawal occurs be refunded in part or in full.

11. PROVIDING FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION

The awarding of a scholarship is based on the information provided to the University. An award may be withdrawn at any stage if incorrect, false or misleading information is provided or relevant information is withheld. This includes circumstances where the false information is unrelated to the assessment in awarding the scholarship.

12. TAXATION & CENTRELINK

Recipients are responsible for seeking taxation advice regarding their own individual circumstances. Scholarships may be regarded as taxable income if a recipient is enrolled on a part-time basis.

13. ACCOMMODATION

It is the recipient's responsibility to obtain residential accommodation. Information on student accommodation and application forms are available from the University Accommodation Services. Information may be found on the Web at:
<http://www.anu.edu.au/study/accommodation>

14. PUBLICITY

The recipient may be requested to participate in publicity for the Award from time to time. This may include publicity in the state or territory of residence or of schooling. Recipients may be contacted for an interview and photograph. The University may also publicise the Award by publishing the names of the recipients. Arrangements for such publicity will be made through the ANU Coursework Scholarships Office or Strategic Communications and Public Affairs Office of the University.

15. CONTACT WITH THE SCHOLARSHIP OWNER

All enquiries regarding the award and changes, issues, or further information after acceptance should be made to:

ANU Coursework Scholarships Office
Email: coursework.scholarships@anu.edu.au

16. GOVERNANCE OR ADMINISTRATION

The recipient of this Award is subject to The Australian National University Act 1991 as amended, and to the Statutes, Rules, Orders, Policies, Procedures and Guidelines of the University.

The Award does not carry any commitment by the University for future employment.

These Conditions of Award should be read in conjunction with the University's Coursework Scholarships Policy & Procedures available from the ANU website.

17. RELATED POLICIES, PROCEDURES & RULES

ANU Diversity Scholarship recipients are expected to read and abide by the academic and behavioural standards outlined in the following rules, policies and procedures:

ANU Academic Misconduct Rule - <https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2015L02025>

ANU Discipline Rule - <https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2015L02046>

ANU College Academic Progression and Completion - https://www.anucollege.edu.au/-/media/ISC/ANU/PDFs/2019/Policies/ANU_College_Academic_Progression_and_Completion_Policy_April_2019.pdf

ANU Coursework Scholarship Policy - https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_007803

ANU Coursework Scholarship Procedure - https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_009607

ANU Student academic study load and progression policy - https://policies.anu.edu.au/ppl/document/ANUP_002611