

UTS Scholarship Conditions of Award

Bouygues Senior Cooperative Scholarship

Faculty of Engineering & Information Technology

This document sets out the conditions of award for the below scholarship ('Scholarship') as well as the obligations of recipients ('Recipient') and UTS in regards to this Scholarship. The administrative processes to support awarding this Scholarship will be managed, and may be amended, in accordance with UTS Rules, Policy and Procedures.

1. NAME: Bouygues Senior Cooperative Scholarship

2. PURPOSE

The Bouygues Senior Cooperative Scholarship aims to support applicants who are enrolled in the Bachelor of Engineering and have an interest in the construction and services industry.

The Scholarship is open to applicants enrolled in the Bachelor of Engineering Diploma in Engineering Practice (BEngDipEngPrac) or Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Diploma in Professional Engineering Practice (BEng(Hon)DipProfEngPrac) course, including Engineering combined degrees.

3. VALUE AND BENEFIT

3.1 Number of Recipients

One (1) new Recipient will be awarded the Scholarship each year.

3.2 Benefit/s to Recipient

- The Scholarship: the maximum total value of the Scholarship is \$29,000 to each Recipient.
- The Internship: The Recipient will complete one unpaid internship of twenty-four (24) weeks with Bouygues, as required by the course, usually in their fourth year of study.

3.3 Payment of benefit/s:

- Each Recipient will receive equal fortnightly installments by electronic funds transfer to his/her nominated bank account for the period April to December for the scholarship duration.
- Payments are subject to the Recipient satisfying ongoing eligibility criteria as defined in clause 8.

4. DURATION

- The duration of the Scholarship is one (1) year

5. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be eligible for the Scholarship, an applicant must meet all of the following criteria:

- Australian or New Zealand citizen or the holder of a permanent resident visa or permanent humanitarian visa;
- Enrolled in either the BEng DipEngPrac, BEng(Hon)DipProfEngPrac Engineering degree or combined Engineering program at UTS; and
- Majoring in Civil or Civil and Environmental Engineering; and
- Enrolled or have successfully completed all prerequisites subjects for 48141 Engineering Practice Preview 2 or 41045 Engineering Practice Preparation 2/Engineering Practice Preview 2; and
- Have achieved a Pass Average (WAM of 50+) in their current UTS course to date; and
- All candidates must apply using the UTS online Scholarship Application form to be eligible; and
- All candidates must be available to attend an interview in person.

6. RECIPIENT SELECTION CRITERIA

- Academic merit (based on WAM in current course to date).
- Motivation to succeed in the BEngDipEngPracB or BEng(Hon)DipProfEngPrac course.

- Demonstrated interest in the construction industry and in a work placement at Bouygues.
- Preference will be given to applicants that have completed an internship with Bouygues in the years prior to this scholarship.
- Bouygues's recommendation of recipient.

7. SELECTION

Applications of eligible candidates will be presented to the Sponsor. The Sponsor (or nominee) will chair an Interview Panel, conduct interviews, and make a recommendation to the Scholarship Selection Committee.

The Scholarship Selection Committee will be made up of at least three relevant members of the UTS community, chaired by the Dean, Faculty of Engineering & Information Technology (or nominee), and is to include a member experienced in the selection of scholarships. The Sponsor(or their representative) will be invited to sit on the Committee.

All eligible applicants including the Sponsor's recommended recipients will be presented to the Scholarship Selection Committee which will endorse and approve the selection of recipients based on the above selection criteria and the Sponsor's recommendation.

Offers will be authorised by the chair of the selection committee in line with the Scholarships and Prizes Policy.

8. ONGOING RECIPIENT ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

8.1 Academic progress

- The Recipient must maintain a Pass average each session for the duration of the scholarship.

8.2 UTS enrolment

The Recipient:

- must continue to be enrolled in the BEngDipEngPrac, BEng(Hon)DipProfEngPrac or combined Engineering program at UTS; and
- must have completed 48141 Engineering Practice Preview 2 or 41045 Engineering Practice Preparation 2 before starting the internship; and
- during the internship must be enrolled in either:
 - 48130 Engineering Experience 2; or
 - 41046 Engineering Professional Experience 2 and 41047 Work Integrated Learning 2

8.3 Leave / Deferral / Course Withdrawal

- If the Recipient defers the UTS offer or withdraws from the UTS course after the start of the session in which the Scholarship is first awarded, the Scholarship will be terminated and any Scholarship payment already made is to be reimbursed to UTS.
- Leave of Absence is not permitted for this scholarship.

8.4 Other obligations and conditions

- The offer of the Scholarship is made subject to information provided by the Recipient being true and accurate.
- By accepting the offer of the Scholarship, each Recipient agrees to the Conditions of Award.
- The offer of the Scholarship is only valid for the intake defined in the Scholarship letter of offer and cannot be deferred.
- For the duration of the Scholarship the Recipient is not permitted to hold other UTS Scholarships, unless an equity-based scholarship is approved by exception.
- The Recipient is responsible for advising UTS of any changes in circumstances that would make him/her ineligible for continuation of the Scholarship, e.g. reducing study load to part-time, taking leave of absence or deferring study.
- Any change in the Recipient's circumstances not addressed by these Conditions of Award will be considered by the Scholarship Selection Committee case-by-case.
- By accepting the offer of the Scholarship, each Recipient agrees to allow for his / her personal information to be provided to Bouygues (or any third party engaged by Bouygues) and authorises the External Funder (or third parties engaged by Bouygues) to use that information for any purpose in connection with promoting the Scholarship Program or Bouygues;

- The Recipient will be invited to consent to allowing his/her name, photograph and a short article to be used for the promotion of UTS.

9. TERMINATION OF RECIPIENT'S SCHOLARSHIP

The Scholarship will terminate:

- If the Recipient ceases to meet the eligibility criteria; or
- If the Recipient breaches any conditions of the Scholarship; or
- If UTS determines that the student is guilty of misconduct and after consultation with the Director, Student Administration Unit, the delegate able to award the Scholarship deems that it is not appropriate for the Recipient to continue to hold the Scholarship.
- If the scholarship is terminated due to breaching any conditions or misconduct, the Recipient may be required to reimburse UTS for any scholarship payments already made.