

Coastal and Ocean Engineering Conference Fund

Waeture | Regulations

Whakamāramatanga | Key Information

Rā whakamutunga Closing dates

- 31 March
- 30 September (if the available funds have not been fully allocated in the March round)

Whaipanga | Value

Grants from an annual fund of \$10,000 are available. Grants do not normally exceed the following values:

- For conferences in Aotearoa New Zealand: \$1,000
- For conferences in Australia: \$1,500
- For conferences in other countries: \$3,000

Herenga tika | Applicable enrolment/programme

A student research programme in Te Tari Pūhanga Metarahi, Rawa Taiao | Department of Civil and Natural Resources Engineering or in Mātai Matawhenua | Geography.

1. Aronga | Purpose

The fund is to support research students at Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha | University of Canterbury to present papers at coastal and/or ocean conferences, normally those in Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand.

2. Paearu māraurau | Eligibility criteria

- 2.1 Applicants must be students engaged in a research programme at the University in Pūhanga Metarahi me te Rawa Taiao | Department of Civil and Natural Resources Engineering or in Mātai Matawhenua | Geography.
- 2.2 Applicants must be intending to present a paper at a coastal and/or ocean conference.

3. Tukanga tononga | Application process

- 3.1 Applications must be made online at the Scholarships website¹ by:
 - a. 31 March; or
 - b. 30 September (if the available funds have not been fully allocated in the March round).
- 3.2 Applications are accepted from previous recipients of the grant. All applications are given equal consideration.

4. Tukanga kōwhiringa | Selection process

- The grant is awarded by Te Kaunihera | University Council on the recommendation of a selection committee comprising:
- a. the Tumu Whakarae | Vice-Chancellor (or nominee);

- b. the Tumuaki Tari, Te Tari Pūhanga Metarahi, Rawa Taiao | Head of the Department of Civil and Natural Resources Engineering (or nominee); and
- c. the Kaihautū Hōtaka, Mātai Matawhenua | Programme Director, Geography (or nominee).

5. Paearu kōwhiringa | Selection criteria

- 5.1 In making the recommendation(s) of the recipient(s) and the value(s) of the award(s), the selection committee gives equal consideration to:
- a. quality of the research to be presented at the conference;
 - b. the fit with the stated aims of the conference's host organisation of the research to be presented;
 - c. potential value of the conference attendance to the research; and
 - d. cost of the conference attendance.

Consideration is given to applicants who wish to present at a conference outside Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand, but preference is given to applicants who intend to present at a conference in Australia or Aotearoa New Zealand.

- 5.2 If, at any time that the fund is made available, there is no candidate of sufficient merit, no grant is made at that time.

6. Mahere utu | Value and payment schedule

- 6.1 Grants from an annual fund of \$10,000 are available. Grants do not normally exceed the following values:
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 - b. For conferences in Australia: \$1,500
 - c. For conferences in other countries: \$3,000

- 6.2 A grant is paid by direct credit to a recipient's nominated Aotearoa New Zealand bank account on presentation of evidence of conference registration and associated costs.

7. Paearu here | Tenability

The grant is co-tenable with any other award unless the conditions of the other award preclude this.

8. Whakamahuki | Background information

The Organising Committee of the 1985 Australasian Conference on Coastal and Ocean Engineering, held in Ōtautahi Christchurch, established the award in 1987.

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Pitopito kōrero | Notes

¹ www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships/